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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

New York, July 13, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Corporation Counsel—Returning forms of contract, in duplicate, with form of advertisement inviting proposals for new building for Engine Company 77, to be located on the easterly side of Briggs avenue, south of Two Hundredth street, borough of The Bronx; for alterations to Headquarters Building, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, and for general repairs and alterations to quarters of Engine Company 120, located at No. 532 Eleventh street, borough of Brooklyn, approved as to form.

From Department of Finance—

1. Forwarding indemnity bond of Patrick Fogarty, for the use and keeping of explosives, with approval of sureties thereon. Bond filed in office Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals opened on 10th instant.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. In reply to letter of 7th instant with reference to case of John J. Slyman, applicant for reinstatement.

2. In reference to case of Foreman Michael J. Fitzgerald, candidate for promotion to grade of Chief of Battalion.

From Police Department—Acknowledging receipt of communication of 20th ultimo inclosing copy of report of Chief of Battalion John J. Burns, respecting meritorious act of Officer William Mulcahey, of the 19th Precinct, at fire Nos. 62-66 Henry street, on the 9th ultimo.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of complaint in relation to premises Nos. 316 and 318 Seventh avenue.

From Francis M. Rutherford—Tendering his resignation as Superintendent of Construction and Repairs.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Reporting 133 fires for week ending July 12, 1903.

From Acting Chief of Department—Returning communication from the Police Department, requesting information relative to an extension of time granted the proprietors of the Trocadero Music Hall and the Savoy and Circle Theatres. Reply communicated.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communication of 10th instant, inclosing copy of communication from Department of Finance, relative to vouchers for payments on proposals of less than one thousand dollars for supplies.

2. Transmitting charges of "neglect of duty" and "being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound," and evidence submitted at trial of Fireman first grade Timothy O'Connor, Engine Company 155, held in Brooklyn on the 8th instant, and recommending that he be fined three days' pay on each charge. Findings approved.

Referred.

From Mrs. B. Tostelle—Complaining that premises No. 61 West One Hundred and Sixth street are not provided with fire escapes. To Tenement House Department.

From H. F. Cutler—Requesting modification of order respecting premises No. 207 West Fifty-sixth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From New York Machine Company—Calling attention to tools, etc., manufactured by them. To Cashier.

From State Factory Inspector—Reporting that premises No. 576 West Broadway are not provided with water. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of violation of Tenement House Laws at premises No. 236 Elizabeth street, Nos. 111 and 113 Norfolk street, southwest corner One Hundred and Twelfth street and Park avenue, No. 105 East Second street and No. 693 Columbus avenue. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaining of a wire fence at No. 106 West Ninety-ninth street. To Bureau of Buildings.

3. Complaining of storage of large quantity of cardboard in factory, and that halls are obstructed, at premises No. 193 Chrystie street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises known as Grand Circle Roof Garden, Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine Company 12—Reporting chimney fire at premises No. 43 Madison street on 11th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 15—Reporting open hoistway at premises Nos. 643 and 645 Water street during fire on 12th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 68—Reporting chimney fire at premises Ogden avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 16—Reporting chimney fire at premises No. 208 East Sixty-third street on 11th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 145—Reporting failure to comply with order of the Department at Brighton Beach race-track. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Engine Company 154—Reporting failure to comply with order of the Department at Brooklyn Jockey Club race-track, Gravesend. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 60—Reporting failure to comply with order of the Department at the Brooklyn Turn Hall, Nos. 351-355 Atlantic avenue, borough of Brooklyn.

From Acting Chief of Department—Recommending modification of notices respecting premises No. 121 West Twenty-fourth street, Nos. 54 and 539 West Forty-third street and No. 207 West Fifty-sixth street, and that an extension of thirty days' time be granted in which to comply with notices respecting premises Nos. 533-543 West Thirty-sixth street and Nos. 530-540 West Thirty-seventh street. Recommendation approved. Back.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Requisitions for plumbing work and relaying sidewalk at quarters of Engine Company 127. To Superintendent of Buildings.

Notices to provide fire extinguishing appliances were prepared and forwarded to Acting Chief of Department for service, as follows: Premises No. 368 East Eighth street, Nos. 235-237 East Fourteenth street, Nos. 234-238 East Twenty-second street, Nos. 141-147 East Twenty-eighth street, Nos. 307-311 East Thirty-sixth street, Nos. 313-321 East Thirty-sixth street, Nos. 152-156 East Forty-fourth street, Nos. 510-514 East Seventy-second street, No. 139 East Seventy-ninth street, Nos. 225-227 East Eightieth street, Nos. 412-416 East Eightieth street, Nos. 44-46 East Eighty-fourth street, No. 227 East One Hundred and Fourth street, Nos. 229-231 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, No. 15 West Forty-third street, No. 17 West Forty-fourth street, Nos. 424-426 West Fiftieth street, Nos. 446-456 West Fifty-second street, Nos. 149-155 West Sixtieth street, No. 516 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street, Nos. 334-338 Willis avenue, No. 184 Eldridge street, No. 1350 Columbus avenue, No. 156 Leonard street, No. 17 Jefferson street, Nos. 225-227 East Broadway, Nos. 264-266 Madison street, No. 29 Montgomery street, Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets; No. 94 Lawrence street, Nos. 109-111 Washington place, Nos. 2247-2249 Second avenue and Nos. 22-23 Morningside avenue, southeast corner Seventy-first street and Madison avenue, southwest corner Seventy-first street and Park avenue and Nos. 1931-1933 Madison avenue.

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 84, 1902—Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$1,293 94
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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Schedule 15, 1903—Maintenance and extension of Fire Alarm System in borough of Queens, including apparatus, etc., for Volunteer Companies.....	1,388 20
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Two contracts of A. Gunnison & Co., for furnishing kerosene oil for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, having been duly executed in accordance with the provisions of law, were forwarded to the Department of Finance.

The Corporation Counsel was requested to advise the Commissioner as to his power to require compliance of A. Gunnison & Co., under certain provisions of their contracts for furnishing oils.

Form of contracts, in triplicate, for furnishing forage for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and for furnishing varnish for the Repair Shops, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, together with form of advertisement, was forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

Advertisement inviting proposals for erecting new building on Briggs avenue, borough of The Bronx, and alterations to Headquarters Building, borough of Manhattan, and quarters of Engine Company 120, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, was forwarded to the "City Record" for publication.

New York, July 14, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Assistant Secretary, Mayor's Office—Forwarding letter dated the 11th instant, from Hon. Frederick Lewis, Mayor, Allentown, Pa., for prompt consideration. Reply communicated.

From Corporation Counsel—Advising that title to premises on southerly side of Watkins street, 200 feet south of Glenmore avenue, borough of Brooklyn, is good and marketable, and that the contract will be closed on July 15, 1903, at 12 o'clock. Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

From Department of Finance—Forwarding indemnity bond of the New York Mutual Gas Light Company, with approval of the sureties thereon. Bond filed in office of Inspector of Combustibles.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Acknowledging receipt of letter of 10th instant with reference to case of William J. Wieland.

From Tenement House Department—Acknowledging receipt of letter of 10th instant, inclosing complaint of violations of Tenement House Laws.

From Department of Parks—Acknowledging receipt of communication of 9th instant, in reference to bell tower in Mount Morris Park.

From H. de B. Parsons, Consulting Engineer—Reporting that fireboat "Abram S. Hewitt" was successfully launched at 2.31 o'clock p. m., Saturday, July 11. Reply communicated.

From L. E. Weill & Co.—Complaint that light is obstructed in premises No. 11 East Houston street. Reply communicated.

From Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Reporting that two lengths of 6-inch hose, five lengths of 3-inch hose and nine nozzles were forwarded to Camden, N. J., for use on the new fireboat "Abram S. Hewitt." Action approved.

From Fireman John E. Tighe, Engine Company 25—Applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman.

From Foreman Engine Company 39—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for service.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that application be made to the Empire City Subway Company, Limited, for duct space in general subway in Gold street, from Beekman to Franklin street. Application forwarded.

2. Returning communication from Degnon-McLean Contracting Company, with list of cables operated by this Department on Broadway, south of Ann street to Battery place, and in State street, from Battery place to Bridge street. List forwarded to Degnon-McLean Contracting Company.

3. Forwarding communication from Foreman Engine Company 18, advising that Mr. John Wanamaker had offered accommodation for three horses in his stable at No. 160 West Tenth street, without cost to the Department. Reply communicated.

4. Returning communication from State Factory Inspector, relative to premises No. 576 West Broadway, with report thereon. Copy of report forwarded.

5. Returning communication from Police Department, relative to Pabst Grand Circle Roof Garden, Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, with report thereon. Communicated to Police Department.

From Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Transmitting report of Assistant Inspector of Combustibles of violation of chapter 760 of the Charter (chimney fires).

Referred.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Requesting that Fireman Samuel G. Elliott, of Engine Company 128, be notified to appear for mental examination. To Acting Chief of Department.
2. Advising that examination of applicants for promotion to rank of Chief of Department will take place July 21, 1903. To Acting Chief of Department for his information.

From Corporation Counsel—Requesting that Fireman John F. McKeon, Engine Company 14, be directed to report to Assistant Corporation Counsel George E. Blackwell at his office, No. 21 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, on 16th instant. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Calling attention to waste of water in quarters of Engine Company 4, No. 119 Maiden lane. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Commissioners of Accounts—Report of test of axle grease. To Cashier.

From Department of Finance—Respecting deductions on vouchers of Thomas F. Gaynor, for repairs to quarters of Engine Company 31. To Bookkeeper.

From Charles Dushkind, Attorney—Requesting name of person holding permit to do blasting at premises No. 3216 Third avenue in April, 1903. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From J. H. Galleher, Agent—Requesting further modification of order respecting Pier 29, East river. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Bondy and Lederer—Requesting modification of order respecting premises Nos. 1298-1300 First avenue. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Edward Redmond—Calling attention to pyrotechnic illuminator. To Acting Chief of Department.

From George M. Stevens Company—Requesting extension of time of thirty days in which to complete contract for furnishing bell towers, etc., borough of Queens. To Chief Operator Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch for report.

From P. A. Tracy—Respecting appointment as Architectural Draughtsman. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From Superintendent of Buildings—Returning requisition for work at quarters of Engine Company 129, and recommending that Acting Assistant Building Superintendent be directed to report whether the work can be done at price stated and if the lowest bidder is responsible. Recommendation approved. Back.

From Assistant Inspector of Combustibles, boroughs Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting a number of chimney fires in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Back, with directions to enforce collection of penalties.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Racks and cupboards for Fire Alarm Telegraph Station..... \$300 00

Requisition was forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list from which to appoint a Stableman, a Machinist, a Plumber and a Laborer, for the borough of Brooklyn.

New York, July 15, 1903.

Trials.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Before the Commissioner—John McCarthy, Lineman, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, for "being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound," and "conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline." Found guilty and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect from 8 o'clock a. m., July 16, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

From Assistant Secretary to the Mayor—

1. Forwarding letter from William A. Young, retired Fireman, and requesting report thereon. Reply communicated.
2. Acknowledging receipt of letter of 3d instant in reference to application of two volunteer fire companies in borough of Queens for incorporation. Reply communicated.

From Assistant Corporation Counsel, borough of Brooklyn—Forwarding satisfaction piece for signature of the Commissioner. Reply communicated.

From Department of Finance—

1. Advising that the Comptroller's certificate has been endorsed upon contracts of A. Gunnison & Co., dated July 6, 1903, for furnishing supplies, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx and Brooklyn and Queens. Cashier and Deputy Commissioner notified.
2. Returning proposals of Foote, Pierson & Co., Manhattan Rubber Manufacturing Company and Woodhouse Manufacturing Company for fire alarm switchboard, rubber connections and water towers for the fire boats, with approval of sureties endorsed thereon.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Eligible list from which to appoint 110 Firemen.
2. Enclosing copy of opinion of Corporation Counsel rendered June 29, 1903, respecting increase of salaries or compensation and the application of the Civil Service rules governing the same.

From the Department of Correction—Receipt for hose, etc., delivered for use on Riker's Island.

From Tenement House Department—Acknowledging receipt of communication of 13th instant forwarding complaints of violations of tenement house laws.

From Acting Chief of Department—Reporting delivery to Department of Charities and Correction of one hose wagon, two nozzles and forty lengths of hose.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Returning communication from Department of Finance enclosing copy of application of St. Albans Hook and Ladder Company, borough of Queens, for an appropriation of one thousand dollars, which was referred by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to this Department with report thereon. Copy of report forwarded.
2. Transmitting permits in duplicate for display of fireworks by Stephen Montanini and Nicola Ricciardi, at Havemeyer and North A streets, borough of Brooklyn, on July 16. Permits approved and returned.

From John F. Toumey and others—Requesting five hundred feet of hose for use at the Volunteer Firemen's Home, Hudson, N. Y. Reply communicated.

From Manhattan Rubber Manufacturing Company—Acknowledging receipt of communication of 13th instant regarding sureties on proposal for suction hose, etc.

From Foote, Pierson & Co.—Acknowledging receipt of letter of July 13 in relation to contract for completing additional apparatus for the Fire Alarm Telegraph System, borough of Richmond.

From the New York Shipbuilding Company—Transmitting policies, No. 6132, issued by the Aetna Insurance Company, and No. 1532, issued by the British and Foreign Marine Insurance Company, covering \$30,000 additional insurance placed on the fire boat "Abram S. Hewitt." Policies of insurance forwarded to Department of Finance and reply communicated.

From Tams, Lemoine & Crane—Requesting copies of printed specifications for electric installation for new fire boat. Request complied with.

From Mr. E. Hewitt—Acknowledging receipt of letter of 13th instant advising him that the new fire boat was named "Abram S. Hewitt."

From B. J. Humphrey—In relation to application for incorporation of Aqueduct Hose Company 4, Borough of Queens. Reply communicated.

From Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—

1. Report relative to launching new fire boat "Abram S. Hewitt."
2. Reporting temporary loan of spare hose wagon to Tompkins Hose Company 6, of New Brighton, Staten Island.

From Superintendent of Buildings—

1. Returning requisition for repairs, etc., at quarters of Hook and Ladder Companies 52 and 58 and Engine Companies 140, 148, 127 and 128, with recommendation that the requisitions be approved. Recommendation approved.
2. Reporting that Union Railway Company and Westchester Lighting Company have not removed poles at present in front of building being erected for Engine Company 62 on White Plains road, near Julianna street, borough of The Bronx. Communicated to the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Referred.

From New Jersey Car Spring and Rubber Company—Calling attention to bill of March 22, amounting to \$2,200, and requesting that payment be expedited. To Bookkeeper.

From Rev. William L. Penny—Respecting order for direct telegraphic communication from the Annunciation School. To Acting Chief of Department.

From George M. Stevens Company, Boston—Requesting extension of 30 days' time, from July 18, on contract for bell towers and striking apparatus, for borough of Queens. To Chief Operator in charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph.

From Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Company—Requesting extension of time to July 9 in which to complete contract for furnishing 22,000 feet of telegraph cable. To Chief Operator in charge Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

From Department of Finance—Calling attention to several errors in calculations and extensions in contract of J. Newton Van Ness for furnishing harness, etc. To Cashier.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Concerning obstructions to fire hydrant at Duane street and Broadway. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Advising that notice was sent to Fireman James J. Egan to appear for examination for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Department of Health—Advising that Dr. Wilson will take up the matter of disinfectants at once. To Cashier.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Incidental expenses, Building Superintendent..... \$200 00
Buttons and keys..... 500 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Plumbing work, quarters Engine Company 127..... \$39 50
Relaying sidewalk, Engine Company 127..... 150 00
New sidewalk, quarters Engine Company 128..... 95 00
Relaying sidewalk, quarters Engine Company 140..... 233 00
Alterations and painting, Engine Company 148..... 539 00
New sidewalk, Hook and Ladder Company 52..... 105 00
Relaying sidewalk, quarters Hook and Ladder Company 58..... 150 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Wagon, harness and hangers for Chief of North Shore Fire Department.. 200 00

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Schedule 175, 1901—Fire Department Fund for sites, buildings and telegraph system..... 96 13
Schedule 115, 1902—Apparatus, supplies, etc..... 1,597 50
Schedule 55, 1903—Apparatus, supplies, etc..... 2,688 58

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Schedule 26, 1903—Revenue Bond Fund for fire alarm telegraph, Borough of Richmond..... 53 13

Notices to provide fire extinguishing appliances in the following premises were forwarded to Acting Chief of Department for service: Premises Nos. 334-336 West Forty-third street, Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets and Broadway, Nos. 310-312 East Eleventh street, No. 436 East Eleventh street, No. 433 East Twelfth street, Nos. 424-426 East Eighteenth street, No. 441 East Nineteenth street, Nos. 209-203 East Twenty-third street, Nos. 403-407 East Twenty-third street, Nos. 143-145 East Twenty-fourth street, No. 319 East Twenty-sixth street, Nos. 231-233 East Fifty-first street, No. 214 East Fifty-fourth street, Nos. 239-245 East Fifty-sixth street, No. 150 East Fifty-seventh street, Nos. 232-236 East Fifty-ninth street, Nos. 120-122 East Sixty-third street, Nos. 124-126 East Sixty-third street, Nos. 432-434 East Seventy-first street, Nos. 112-118 East Seventy-fifth street, Nos. 115-119 East Seventy-fifth street, Nos. 192-194 East Seventy-fifth street, Nos. 51-53 East Seventy-sixth street, No. 64 East Seventy-sixth street, No. 205 East Seventy-sixth street, No. 121 West Twenty-fourth street, Nos. 103-105 West Fifty-third street, Nos. 221-223 West Fifty-third street, No. 307 West Fifty-third street, Nos. 122-124 West Fifty-fourth street, Nos. 138-140 West Fifty-fourth street, Nos. 154-155 West Fifty-fourth street, Nos. 238-240 West Fifty-fourth street, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street, Nos. 120-122 West Fifty-sixth street, Nos. 539-544 West Forty-third street, Nos. 231-235 West Fortieth street, Nos. 218-220 West Fifty-eighth street, Nos. 132-134 West Fifty-sixth street, Nos. 124-130 West Fifty-sixth street, Nos. 302-304 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Nos. 257-259 West Eighty-seventh street, No. 152 West Fifty-sixth street, No. 201 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Nos. 827, 850-852 and 912-920 Seventh avenue, Nos. 690-696 Lexington avenue, Nos. 481-483, 503-509 and 876 Park avenue, southwest corner Seventy-sixth street and Park avenue, No. 170 Sullivan street, Nos. 1721-1723 Broadway, No. 1722 Broadway, Broadway between One Hundred and Twenty-first street and One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Nos. 538-540-544 Greenwich street, No. 525 Washington street, Nos. 40-42 Renwick street, No. 1311 Amsterdam avenue and Nos. 231-233 St. Nicholas avenue.

Dismissed the Service.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Lineman John McCarthy, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, for being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound, and conduct prejudicial to good order, to take effect from the 16th instant.

Policy of insurance issued by the Aetna Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., and the British and Foreign Marine Insurance Company of Liverpool, England, covering additional insurance placed on the new fireboat "Abram S. Hewitt," was forwarded to the Department of Finance.

New York, July 16, 1903.

Trials.

Trials upon charges preferred against delinquent members of the uniformed force, borough of Manhattan, were held before the Commissioner and disposed of as follows:

Uniformed Fireman Jacob German, Engine Company 1—For "absence without leave." Found guilty, but excusable under the circumstances.

Fireman second grade John D. Sullivan, Engine Company 16—For "being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound" and "disobedience of orders." Decision reserved.

Fireman first grade John F. Sullivan, Engine Company 27—For "neglect of duty." Found guilty and sentenced to forfeit three days' pay.

Fireman first grade Otto Fiick, Hook and Ladder Company 10—For "absence without leave." Found guilty and decision reserved.

Assistant Foreman Howard C. Ruch, Engine Company 39—For "violation of section 70 of Rules and Regulations." Testimony taken and decision reserved.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Assistant Secretary to the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 14th inst., relating to invitation of the Mayor of Allentown, Pa., to have present in that city on October 6 the Life Saving Corps of the Fire Department.

From Corporation Counsel—

1. Requesting that Fireman John F. McKeon, Engine Company 14, be directed to report to the Assistant Corporation Counsel, borough of Queens, at 11 o'clock this a. m. Ordered.
2. Returning forms of contract for furnishing forage for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens and Repair Shops supplies, with form of advertisement inviting proposals for same approved as to form.

From Department of Finance—Respecting the payment of bills for hose furnished by the Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Company. Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Company notified to file claim with the Department of Finance.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Inclosing copy of letter addressed to Deputy Chief Thomas Lally under date of July 10, and a copy of Mr. Lally's acknowledgment of the same on the matter of his examination for promotion to the position of Chief of Department. Reply communicated.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of complaint in reference to means of escape in case of fire from premises No. 467 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

From John F. Walsh—Explaining cause of delay in completing repairs to fireboat "Zophar Mills."

From Isaac Marx—Applying for a copy of the stations alarm book. Reply communicated.

From Cashier—Returning communication from Foreman in charge of Repair Shops, relative to the equipment of the new fireboat with nozzles, with report thereon.

From Chief Operator in Charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch—Report respecting telegraphic connection with Department wires in premises of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company, No. 18 Cortlandt street.

From Foreman Engine Company 9—Report that new horse on trial is suitable for the service.

From Foreman Engine Company 32—Returning notice from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, relative to waste of water in premises No. 108 John street, with report thereon. Reply communicated to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Foreman Engine Company 47—Returning complaint relative to fire escapes, premises No. 2123 Eighth avenue, with report thereon.

From Foreman Engine Company 120—Reporting that Fireman first grade Joseph F. Campbell was unable to appear for mental examination by the Municipal Civil Service Commission owing to absence from the City. Communicated to the Civil Service Commission.

From Acting Chief Instructor, School of Instruction—Report of probationary members having completed their term of service at the School of Instruction.

From Rev. William L. Penny—Requesting information respecting an order to provide direct telegraphic communication from the Annunciation School, No. 601 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street. Reply communicated.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Request to be informed if members of the Department who applied for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foremen and have since been promoted to the position of Engineers of Steamer are now eligible for examination for promotion to Assistant Foremen. Communicated to the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

2. Forwarding list of transfers from July 1 to July 12, 1903. Communicated to Municipal Civil Service Commission.

3. Returning communication from the Municipal Civil Service Commission respecting failure of Samuel G. Elliott, Engine Company 128, to report for mental examination, with report thereon that said Fireman will be notified to report for examination of July 27 or 28. Communicated to the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

4. Returning communication from John R. Cox, architect, for approval of the substitution of 3-inch lines in place of 4-inch line in premises to be erected, with report thereon. Reply communicated to Mr. Cox.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Reporting that premises No. 231 Radde street, Long Island City, occupied as quarters of Engine Company 161, is a desirable site, but the purchase of the house is not recommended.

2. Transmitting certificates of incorporation, in duplicate, of the Aqueduct Hose Company 4, located at Aqueduct, Borough of Queens, together with copy of report of inspection of the territory covered by the proposed company by the Chief of the Twenty-ninth Battalion. Certificate of incorporation approved and forwarded to the Mayor.

3. Requesting information regarding the following proposed companies, Borough of Queens: St. Albans Fire Hook and Ladder Company, Hook and Ladder Company of Little Neck, Point Pleasant Hook and Ladder Company, Aqueduct Hose Company and Springfield Hose Company. Reply communicated.

4. Transmitting certificate of incorporation, in duplicate, of Springfield Hose Company, located at Springfield, Borough of Queens. Certificate of incorporation approved and forwarded to the Mayor.

5. Respecting lease from the Friendship Engine and Hook and Ladder Company, Sheepshead Bay, of premises occupied as quarters by Engine Company 146. Referred.

From Hartog and Beinhauer Candy Company—Advising that fire escapes have been placed on premises No. 539-541 West Forty-third street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From J. Hindler—Complaining of gasoline tank in premises No. 129 Ridge street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From M. L. Roulston—Complaining of fence erected on fire escapes, premises Nos. 212-214 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street. To Tenement House Department.

From Paula Meyer—Accepting offer relative to stenographic and typewriting work for the Municipal Explosives Commission. To Municipal Explosives Commission.

From J. B. King & Co.—Calling attention to Cold Water paint manufactured by them. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From J. J. Pulley—Respecting notice to provide standpipes, etc., in premises No. 51 Chambers street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Palace Pharmacy—Requesting information respecting permits for the sale, etc., of naphtha, etc. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From President, Borough of The Bronx—Advising that it will be necessary to procure a permit to connect new house at One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and Sedgwick avenue by sewer with the old stone drain. To Superintendent of Buildings with direction to procure permit.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Report of waste of water at quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 15. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws, premises No. 146 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Nos. 25-33 East Ninety-ninth street, No. 217 East Eighty-fifth street; Fifty-first street, Park and Lexington avenues; No. 221 West Fifteenth street, and No. 481 Seventeenth street, Brooklyn. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaints of mattress factory, premises No. 86 Chrystie street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 24—Reporting that a frame building is being erected on premises, No. 588 Greenwich street and Nos. 318-320 West Houston street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine Company 25—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 130 East Houston street, on 14th inst. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 10—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 29 Stone street, on 14th inst. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 14—Reporting insufficient means of escape in case of fire, premises Nos. 120-126 West Fifty-second street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 16—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 313 East Seventieth street, on 14th inst. To Inspector of Combustibles.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Iron bedsteads.....	\$1,878 50
Hair mattresses.....	3,315 00
Blankets.....	603 00
Feather pillows.....	331 50
Pillow cases and sheets.....	685 00
Bed spreads.....	165 00

Notices to provide certain fire extinguishing appliances in the following premises were forwarded to the Acting Chief of Department for service:

Nos. 140-150 East Thirty-second street, Nos. 47 and 49 East Sixty-second street, No. 182 East Seventy-third street, No. 337 East Seventy-fifth street, Nos. 117 and 119 West Forty-sixth street, Nos. 112-116 West Fifty-second street, Nos. 120-126 West Fifty-second street, Nos. 2026 and 2028 Seventh avenue, No. 207 West Fifty-sixth street, No. 227 West Fifty-eighth street, Nos. 285 and 287 East Broadway, Nos. 219 and 221 Sullivan street, No. 235 St. Nicholas avenue, Nos. 507 and 509 Washington avenue, No. 156 Leonard street, Ittner place, between Park and Webster avenues, Nos. 208 and 210 Spring street, Nos. 456-464 Cherry street, No. 488 Hudson street, No. 116 Leroy street, and Public School 113, Nos. 7-11 Downing street.

Transactions of the Department from June 15 to June 27, 1903, both dates inclusive, were forwarded to the Supervisor of the City Record for publication.

New York, July 17, 1903.

Trial.

Trial upon charge preferred against the following employee was held and disposed of as follows:

Joseph T. Allen, Painter, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, for "disobedience of orders." Found guilty and ordered to be dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect from July 20, 1903.

Communications were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From City Clerk—Certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 14, 1903, requesting the Fire Commissioner to grant vacation of one week with pay to the per diem men in the Fire Department.

From President Borough of Richmond—Respecting the early completion of the fire alarm telegraph system in the borough of Richmond.

From Department of Finance—Notice that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon the contract of James McFerran June 25, 1903, for erecting buildings for Engine Companies 145 and 146, borough of Brooklyn.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Advising that Fireman William J. Mulligan has passed a re-physical examination and has been notified to appear for the mental examination for promotion to the position of Engineer of Steamer and Assistant Foreman. Communicated to the Acting Chief of Department.

2. Advising that Chief Clerk John T. O'Hara has successfully passed the examination for promotion to Clerkship of the thirteenth grade. Copy forwarded to Deputy Commissioner.

From Supervision of the City Record—Respecting advertising in the Corporation papers of Brooklyn for proposals for repairs and alterations to quarters of Engine Company 120. Reply communicated.

From Empire City Subway Company, Limited—Notice that a 3-inch trunk duct in the electrical subway on Gold street, from the northeast corner of Beekman to the southeast corner of Franklin street, was set aside for the use of the Department in accordance with application forwarded on the 14th instant. Communicated to the Acting Chief of Department.

From Herman N. Hanson—Respecting claim against an employee of the Department. Reply communicated.

From Gannon & Curry—Calling attention to the fact that a citizen spends most of his time in the quarters of volunteer companies, borough of Richmond. Reply communicated.

From Standard Underground Cable Company—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 15th instant, advising them of the award of contracts for furnishing supplies.

From Superintendent of Buildings—

1. Reporting that a trolley pole owned by the Queens County Railway Company obstructs the entrance to building being erected for Hook and Ladder Company 66, on Jackson avenue, near Kouwenhoven street, Long Island City. Request to have pole removed forwarded to the Queens County Railway Company.

2. Reporting that John Harper, contractor for work in quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 9, No. 209 Elizabeth street, refuses to carry out the terms of his contract. Ordered that the original requisition for the work be canceled.

From Assistant Fire Marshal James H. Lestranger—Returning communication from the Mayor's office, dated April 20, 1903, forwarding certificate of incorporation of the Chemical Engine Company 1, Edgewater, borough of Richmond, with report of inspection. Certificate of incorporation approved and forwarded to the Mayor.

From Fireman Second Grade James M. Heffernan, Engine Company 126—Applying for permission to enter the examination for promotion to the position of Engineer of Steamer. Disapproved and reply communicated.

From Acting Chief of Second Battalion—Reporting arrest of John Doran, No. 397 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, employee of Degnon-McLean Contracting Company, for interfering with him while returning from an alarm of fire.

From Acting Chief of Department—Returning communication from Department of Finance, inclosing claim of David S. Brown for the sum of \$30 alleged to be due to him for damage to rockaway on March 30, 1903, caused by the running away of a horse belonging to the Fire Department, with report thereon. Copy of report forwarded to Department of Finance.

From Foreman Engine Company 4—Returning notice from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, relative to waste of water in premises No. 119 Maiden lane, quarters of Engine Company 4, with report thereon. Communicated to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Requisition for bedsteads, bedding, etc. Reply communicated.

2. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 16th instant, regarding incorporation of volunteer companies, borough of Queens.

3. Respecting the manner of transmitting calls to various hospitals for ambulances.

From McKenzie & Vail—Certificate extending Policy No. 2554, issued by the Federal Insurance Company, covering insurance on fireboat "Zophar Mills," to July 31, 1903. Certificate forwarded to Department of Finance.

Referred.

From George T. Clover—Requesting modification of order respecting premises known as St. Luke's Hospital. To Acting Chief of Department.

From W. D. Hanningan—Returning notice and stating that he is not the owner of premises Nos. 115 and 117 East Fourteenth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Albert Baker, Manager—Stating that the New York Building Loan Company is not the owner of premises No. 43 East Twentieth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From George E. Weaver—Requesting information respecting the use of gasoline in automobile establishments. To Inspector of Combustibles to furnish the information.

From Miss L. C. Holmes, Assistant Treasurer—Requesting an extension of time in which to comply with order respecting premises occupied as a school, Nos. 225 and 227 East Eightieth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Superintendent of Buildings, Board of Education—Respecting order to provide direct telegraphic communication from Public School 63, Fulton avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Department of Finance—Notice of deduction on claim of James F. Gaynor. To Bookkeeper.

From Assistant Secretary, Mayor's Office—Forwarding communication from the United States Census Bureau, requesting statistics of the fire-alarm system. To Chief Operator in charge of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch for report.

From Foreman Engine Company 20—Reporting that water tank on roof of premises No. 528 Broadway, is not properly supported. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine Company 45—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 1225 East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, on the 15th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 6—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 51 Forsyth street, on the 15th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From United States Cartridge Company—Requesting information relative to regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission, relative to blank cartridges. To Inspector of Combustibles.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Typewriter.....	\$90 00
Varnish.....	112 50
Life preservers for fireboats.....	25 00
Additions and Alterations to quarters of Hook and Ladder Company No. 9.....	367 00

Notices to provide certain fire appliances in the following premises forwarded to the Acting Chief of Department: Nos. 116 to 120 West Thirty-second street, Nos. 405 to 409 West Forty-first street, Nos. 357 to 361 West Forty-eighth street, Nos. 427 and 429 West Forty-ninth street, No. 109 West Forty-ninth street, Nos. 106 to 112 West Fiftieth street, Nos. 424 and 426 West Fiftieth street, Nos. 355 and 357

West Fifty-first street, Nos. 451 to 455 West Fifty-first street, Nos. 419 and 421 West Fifty-second street, No. 440 West Fifty-sixth street, Nos. 331 to 337 West Fifty-sixth street, Nos. 334 to 338 West Fifty-seventh street, Nos. 212 to 218 West Fifty-seventh street, Nos. 307 and 309 West Fifty-seventh street, Nos. 417 and 419 West Fifty-seventh street, No. 420 West Fifty-seventh street, Nos. 543 and 545 East Eleventh street, Nos. 527 and 529 East Seventeenth street, Nos. 86 and 88 Forsyth street, No. 58 Eldridge street, Nos. 458 and 460 Tenth avenue, Nos. 7 and 9 King street, Nos. 292 and 294 Hudson street, No. 341 West street, No. 343 West Houston street, Nos. 248 to 252 Spring street, Nos. 210 to 214 Bleecker street, northeast corner of Washington avenue and St. Paul's place, Nos. 1199 and 1201 Washington avenue, No. 14 Charlton street, Nos. 528 and 530 Greenwich street, Nos. 127 to 131 Seventh avenue, No. 451 Fourth avenue, Nos. 215 and 217 Lexington avenue, No. 44 Watt street, Nos. 528 and 530 Washington street, Nos. 35 to 39 Renwick street, Nos. 96 and 98 Sullivan street, Nos. 118 and 120 Sullivan street, Nos. 117, 130 and 132 Hester street, Nos. 127 to 131 Hester street and Nos. 48 to 52 Orchard street.

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Schedule No. 116, 1902. Appropriations for two new fireboats..... \$14,875 00
Schedule No. 56, 1903. Apparatus, supplies, etc..... 6,703 16

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule No. 37, 1903. Apparatus, supplies, etc..... \$1,693 26

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Schedule No. 16, 1903. Maintenance and extension of fire alarm system in the borough of Queens, including apparatus, etc., for volunteer companies \$2,826 00
Minutes of the rehearing of the case of Fireman first grade Patrick J. Gilroy, together with memorandum of Commissioner Sturgis, relating to the application, were ordered on file.

Decisions.

Decisions in the matter of charges heard on the 16th instant:
Fireman second grade John D. Sullivan, Engine Company 16. Ordered that he be dismissed the service, to take effect at 8 o'clock a. m. July 18.
Fireman first grade Charles Fay, Engine Company 39. Fined five days' pay.
Assistant Foreman Howard Ruch, Engine Company 39. Charge dismissed.
Drafts of forms of contract, together with printer's proof, for alterations and repairs to quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 7 and Eighth Battalion Headquarters, and to quarters of Engine Company 13, were forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

Requisition forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list from which to appoint two Engineers of steamer, for the borough of Brooklyn.
Form of contract, in triplicate, for services of Edward B. Casey, as Architect, for new building to be erected on Spring street, forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

Dismissed the Service.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Fireman second grade John D. Sullivan, Engine Company 16, for being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound, and disobedience of orders, to take effect July 18, 1903.

Painter Joseph T. Allen, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, for disobedience of orders, to take effect from July 20, 1903.

Certificate of insurance issued by the Federal Insurance Company, for extending the time to July 31, 1903, of Policy No. 2565 covering insurance on fireboat "Zophar Mills," was forwarded to the Department of Finance.

Drafts of form of contract, together with revised proofs, for alterations and repairs to quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 7, Eighth Battalion Headquarters, and additions and alterations to quarters of Engine Company 13, were forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

Contract of Edward P. Casey for services as Architect for preparing plans, etc., for new building to be located on the south side of Spring street, east of Hudson street, was forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

New York, July 18, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Transmitting indemnity bonds of M. O'Connell, Ryan and Parker, Antonio Pucci and P. F. Brennan, with approval of the sureties thereon. Bonds filed in the office of the Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Returning proposals of Frederick Pearce for furnishing telegraph supplies for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens and the borough of Queens; proposals of the Standard Underground Company for furnishing supplies and proposals of Thomas B. Leahy for erecting building in One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, near Washington avenue, for alterations to premises No. 132 West Tenth street, with approval of the sureties thereon.

3. Returning proposal of James Reilly Rubber & Supply Company for electrical installation on new fireboat, for substitution of sureties. Substitution of sureties approved.

4. Notice that the Comptroller's certificate has been endorsed upon the contract of Foote, Pearson & Co., for furnishing switchboard for the fire alarm telegraph system, borough of Richmond, and that it is now a valid contract. Chief Operator in charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch notified.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communication of July 17, requesting copies of questions for examination of applicants for promotion to position of Foreman.

2. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 16th instant, respecting examination of Joseph F. Campbell for promotion to Assistant Foreman.

3. Advising that only those persons are admitted for examination who hold the rank of first grade Firemen and those holding the title of Engineer of Steamer, who have served the requisite number of years to entitle them to the rank of first grade Fireman.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 16th instant, enclosing complaints of violation of the Building Code.

From Martin L. Biggans—Declining appointment as Bookkeeper.

From New York Belting and Packing Company—Acknowledging receipt of communications of the 13th instant, relative to award of contract for furnishing smooth-bore rubber suction and hydrant connections.

From Supervisor of the City Record—In respect to advertising in the Brooklyn corporation papers for proposals for work at quarters of Engine Company 130. Receipt of acknowledged and new advertisements forwarded.

From Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Company—Acknowledging receipt of communication of July 13, respecting award of contract for furnishing suction hose and hydrant connections.

From Acting Chief of Department—Returning communication from W. O. B. Clifford, complaining of the loss of property from his residence No. 430 Columbus avenue, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Transmitting requisition for typewriting machine and stenographer's copy stand.

2. Transmitting requisition for one ton of canal coal for Morris Park Engine Company 1, of Richmond Hill, borough of Queens.

3. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 15th instant, advising that the Comptroller's certificate has been endorsed on contract of A. Gunnison & Co. for furnishing supplies.

4. Forwarding requisition for \$700 for incidental expenses.

Referred.

From Interborough Rapid Transit Company—Requesting attention to loose fire alarm telegraph wires on Second avenue, below Fourteenth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Joseph P. Gay—Requesting modification of order, premises No. 114 Park row. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Christian Herald—Requesting an order concerning the Bowery Mission. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Rothchild Bro. & Co.—Complaining that their premises were opened by a Fireman without cause on the 16th instant. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Sister Mary Agnes—Returning notice relative to premises No. 149-155 West Sixty-sixth street, and requesting that notice be served upon Mr. J. C. Shafer, No. 1 Hanover square. To Acting Chief of Department.

From P. W. Rou—Requesting why he is not allowed to sell blank cartridges under permit at Nos. 149-155 Broadway. To Inspector of Combustibles.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From the Law Department—

1. Certified check of Joseph W. Duffy, for \$4,547.50, being in payment of amount due upon mortgage (\$4,500) on premises at northeast corner of Sixth avenue and Sixteenth street, and accrued interest (\$47.50) thereon.

2. Regarding conference with counsel of Brooklyn Rapid Transit and Brooklyn Heights Companies, regarding the use of elevated structures for Fire Department wires.

From Chief of Hollis Fire Department—Forwarding report of operations of said department for first half of year 1903.

From Acting Chief of Thirty-second Battalion—Reporting condition of water supply and hydrants at Bath Beach and Bensonhurst.

From Foreman St. Albans Fire Hook and Ladder Company—Reporting operations of said company for six months ending June 30 and requesting that chemical engine be supplied. Reply communicated.

From Chief of Rockaway Beach Fire Department—Requisition for hangers, blankets, acid bottles and gong to be connected with indicator in house.

From Fireman second grade James W. Hefferman, Engine Company 126—Requesting permission to enter competitive examination for promotion to Engineer of Steamer.

From Frederick Pearce—Regarding inspection of telegraph poles to be used in constructing Fire Alarm System in borough of Queens.

From M. L. McGuire, on behalf of General Chemical Company and Nichols Chemical Company—Requesting that a fire alarm box be installed in their works at Laurel Hill. Reply communicated.

From Foreman of Point Pleasant Hook and Ladder Company—Respecting incorporation of said company.

From Chief of Jamaica Fire Department—Reporting conduct of officers and members of Woodhull Hose Company 1. Reply communicated.

From Acting Chief of Department—Directing the organization of Engine Company 156, to take effect July 19, 1903, to be located at No. 124 DeKalb avenue; also directing that location of Water Tower 6 be changed from No. 124 DeKalb avenue to the quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 68; and that the location of Searchlight Engine be changed from quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 68 to Hospital and Training Stables.

From Chief of Rockaway Beach Fire Department—Communication from J. L. Laidlaw, respecting necessity for fire alarm box on the Boulevard, between Sea-view and Florence avenues, Edgemere. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—

1. Regarding the shifting of fire alarm boxes from south to north side of Surf avenue. To Chief Operator, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

2. Respecting application for permit to remove dangerous pole. To Chief Operator, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

3. Copy of communication from New York and New Jersey Telephone Company respecting poles on DeKalb avenue used for carrying Fire Department circuits. To Chief Operator, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

From John O'Grady—Reporting dangerous condition of sidewalk at No. 486 Smith street owing to removal of pole. To Chief Operator, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

From Anonymous—Reporting dangerous condition of cellar at No. 191 Boerum street. To Bureau of Fire Marshal.

From J. Lehrenkrauss' Sons—Complaining of smoke stack on building adjoining premises No. 654 Sixth avenue. To Bureau of Fire Marshal.

From Department of Street Cleaning—Requesting that a fire alarm box be placed at foot of Sixth street and Gowanus Canal. To Chief Operator, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

From Commanding Officers of Companies—Reporting chimney fires as follows:

From Foreman Engine Company 102, at No. 694 Henry street.

From Assistant Foreman Engine Company 104, at No. 50 Wyckoff street.

From Foreman Engine Company 129, at No. 890 Metropolitan avenue.

From Assistant Foreman Engine Company 142, at Fourth avenue, between Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, and Eighty-ninth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 56, at No. 108 Newell street.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 62, at No. 21 Bleecker street. To Assistant Inspector of Combustibles.

New York, July 20, 1903.

Opening of Proposals.

In presence of the Fire Commissioner and a representative of the Comptroller. Affidavits as to due publication of advertisement in the "City Record" inviting proposals were read and filed, and approved forms of contract were submitted.

Proposals were received as follows:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

For Furnishing and Delivering Seventy (70) Fire Alarm Boxes.

1. Frederick Pearce, Nos. 18-20 Rose street..... \$3,700 00
2. George M. Stevens Company, No. 15 Chardon street, Boston, Mass. \$3,800 00
Each accompanied with security deposit of \$60.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

For Furnishing and Delivering Hay, Straw, Oats and Bran.

1. George N. Reinhardt, No. 699 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street \$28,408 50
2. John Moonan, No. 429 West street..... 27,658 75
3. Horace Ingersoll, No. 640 West Thirty-fourth street..... 27,020 00
Each accompanied with security deposit of \$600.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

1. Horace Ingersoll, No. 6 West Fourth street..... \$5,992 00
2. John Moonan, No. 429 West street..... 5,895 00
3. George N. Reinhardt, No. 699 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street 5,480 00
Each accompanied with security deposit of \$150.

Contracts were awarded as follows:

To Frederick Pearce, for furnishing and delivering fire alarm boxes upon his estimate of \$3,700.

To Horace Ingersoll, for furnishing and delivering hay, straw, oats and bran for the borough of Manhattan upon his proposal of \$27,020.

To George N. Reinhardt, for furnishing hay, straw, oats and bran for the borough of The Bronx upon his proposal of \$5,480.50.

The unsuccessful bids were ordered on file.

It was ordered that the security deposits be transmitted to the Comptroller.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Assistant Secretary to the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 15th inst., relative to case of William A. Young.

From President, borough of Richmond—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 15th inst. with reference to the loan of a spare hose wagon to Thompson Hose Company 6 at New Brighton.

From Hon. Herbert Parsons, Alderman—Requesting information as to what particular buildings the proceeds of the issue of Corporate Stock are to be applied. Reply communicated.

From Corporation Counsel—

1. Opinion on the matter of proposals of A. Gunnison & Co. for furnishing oils.
2. Forwarding return of writ of certiorari in the matter of the People ex rel. Ryan vs. Sturgis for certification. Returned verified and transmitted to the Corporation Counsel.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission, Labor Clerk—Eligible list from which to appoint one Bricklayer for the borough of Brooklyn.

From Tenement House Department—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 16th inst., inclosing complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws.

From H. P. Christie, Inspector of Forage, Finance Department—Concerning defective forage furnished under contract for use in the borough of Brooklyn.

From Assistant Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting sixty fires during week ending July 18, 1903.

From Chief Operator in Charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch—Reporting test of auxilialized boxes Nos. 141 and 170, from which false alarms were received July 16, 1903.

Referred.

From New York Telephone Company—Requesting to be informed if application to place six-pin cross-arm on eight poles on Longwood avenue was approved. To Chief Operator in charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

From Gillio Risarez—Requesting modification of order respecting premises Nos. 403-409 East Seventy-sixth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Acting Chief of Department—Recommending extension of time in which to comply with notice respecting premises Nos. 225-227 East Eightieth street and Nos. 309-311 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Recommendation approved. Back.

From Bureau of Highways—Notice to repair sidewalk in front of premises No. 84 Attorney street. To Buildings Department.

From Department of Finance—Transmitting bill of Bryan L. Kennelly for services in appraising Fire Department sites. To Bookkeeper.

From S. Banner—Requesting modification of order respecting premises No. 102 West Seventy-fifth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Incidental expenses of Cashier.....	\$200 00
Mattresses and pillows for new fireboat.....	175 00
Desks, chairs, typewriter and cabinet for repair shops.....	195 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Typewriter for office of Assistant Superintendent of Buildings.....	98 00
Relaying sidewalk, quarters of Engine Company 129.....	75 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Incidental expenses.....	300 00
Hire of horse, wagon and driver.....	400 00
Cannel coal for Richmond Hill Fire Department.....	16 00

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule No. 85, 1902—Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	9,600 00
Schedule No. 38, 1903—Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	5,681 38

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Stephen J. Byrnes, as Bricklayer, at salary of \$939 per annum, to take effect from July 21, 1903.

Notices to provide certain fire appliances in the following premises were forwarded to the Acting Chief of Department for service: Nos. 151-153 East Twenty-second street, Nos. 11 and 337 East Twenty-eighth street, No. 1 East Twenty-ninth street, Nos. 207-211 East Thirtieth street, No. 211 East Thirty-seventh street, Nos. 306-310 East Forty-second street, No. 209 East Forty-sixth street, Nos. 312-314 East Forty-seventh street, Nos. 317-321 East Fiftieth street, Nos. 221-223 East Fifty-first street, Nos. 139-141, 308, 355-359 East Fifty-fifth street, No. 7 West Tenth street, Nos. 126-128 West Sixteenth street, Nos. 255-259 West Sixteenth street, Nos. 208-212, 236-238 West Twenty-third street, No. 325 West Thirty-third street, No. 305-307 West Thirty-fourth street, No. 346-348 West Fortieth street, Nos. 159-161, 231-233 West Fifty-third street, Nos. 414-416, 519 West Fifty-fourth street, Nos. 426-428 West Fifty-fifth street, No. 403 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, No. 504 West One Hundred and Fifty-third street, northeast corner Fifty-fourth street and Seventh avenue, Nos. 56-56½ Chrystie street, Nos. 18-20 Barclay street, southeast corner Convent avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, northeast corner Convent avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street, Fifty-second street and Lexington avenue, No. 245 Division street, No. 290 Madison street, Nos. 455-459 Kenith avenue, Thirty-fourth street and Park avenue, Nos. 259-261 Lexington avenue, Thirty-fifth street and Madison avenue, southeast corner Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, southwest corner Thirtieth street and Lexington avenue, northwest corner One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Old Broadway, southwest corner One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Amsterdam avenue, northwest corner One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Amsterdam avenue, northwest corner One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Broadway, southeast corner Thirty-first street and Madison avenue.

Requisition forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for eligible lists from which to appoint one Bricklayer and a Chief of Battalion.

The original return of writ of certiorari in the matter of the People ex rel. Ryan vs. Sturgis, having been duly certified by the Commissioner and attested by the Secretary, was forwarded to the Corporation Counsel.

New York, July 21, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Assistant Secretary to the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of communications of the 17th instant, containing certificate of incorporation of Chemical Engine Company 1, borough of Brooklyn, and relating to the matter of Lieutenant Ruch.

From Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Certified copy of resolution adopted July 15, 1903, approving the selection of premises on northerly side of West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, 100 feet westerly from the northwesterly corner of Amsterdam avenue; premises on southerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-third street, 300 feet easterly of the southerly corner of Eighth avenue, each of said plots being 50 feet wide, as sites for apparatus houses.

From Corporation Counsel—Returning drafts of form of contract for alterations and repairs to Hook and Ladder Company 7, and Eighth Battalion Headquarters, and quarters of Engine Company 13. Approved as to form, together with revised proofs.

From Department of Finance—

1. Returning proposal of James Reilly Repair and Supply Company for electric installation on new fireboat, with approval of sureties endorsed thereon.

2. Receipt of security deposit accompanying proposals opened at public letting on the 20th instant.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 16th instant, in reference to examination for promotion to Chief of the Fire Department.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 17th instant, inclosing complaint of violations of the Building Code.

From Police Department—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 17th instant, respecting notices in cases where permits are issued for the discharge of fireworks, and requesting that the Police Department be notified when permits are issued.

From Chief Operator in Charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch—Returning communication from the Mayor's office with request from the United States Census office for statistical information relating to fire alarm telegraph, with report thereon, that information was forwarded to the Census Office.

From Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Company—Respecting award of contract for rubber suction and hydrant connections to the Manhattan Rubber Manufacturing Company.

From A. J. Olmstead, Captain—Requesting permission to present a medal to Fireman George H. Kellock, Hook and Ladder Company 58. Reply communicated.

From Frederick Pearce—Requesting permission to sublet a portion of contract for constructing fire alarm telegraph system in the borough of Richmond. Reply communicated.

From Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Report of operations for the quarter ending June 30, 1903.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Reporting one hundred and forty-eight fires for the week ending July 19.

From Superintendent of Buildings—Recommending that requisition be made on the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list from which to appoint two Inspectors of Buildings.

From Inspector of Combustibles—

1. Requesting that a Clerk with a knowledge of stenography and typewriting be assigned to the Bureau of Combustibles. Requisition forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Acknowledging receipt of copy of contract of James McFerran for erecting buildings for Engine Companies 145 and 146, and requesting information relative to other contracts. Reply communicated.

2. Acknowledging communication of the 17th instant, inclosing copy of communication from S. William Briscoe, Secretary, Municipal Civil Service Commission, advising that Chief Clerk John T. O'Hara successfully passed examination for promotion.

Referred.

From Miss L. E. Holmes—Requesting extension of time in which to comply with order respecting premises Nos. 2247 and 2249 Second avenue. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Fidelity and Casualty Company—Requesting information respecting bond of Charles Hamilton for storing and using explosives. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Advising that Foreman Michael J. Fitzgerald, Engine Company 152, has been notified to appear for mental examination. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that modified notices be prepared for service, respecting premises No. 341 Seventh avenue, and that owners be notified to comply with notices respecting premises Nos. 114, 115-117 East Fourteenth street. Recommendation approved. Back.

2. Returning request of Superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital for permission to change location of fire hooks and axes, and recommending that request be granted. Recommendation approved. Back.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaints of violation of Tenement House Laws, premises No. 1286 Columbus avenue, No. 325 East Seventieth street, No. 36 Seventh street, No. 2173 Eighth avenue and Nos. 157 and 159 Monroe street. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaints of danger of fire from stove, premises No. 1682 Avenue A, and dangerous forge, premises No. 330 East One Hundred and Tenth street. To Fire Marshal.

3. Complaints of storage of oils, etc., premises No. 437 East Tenth street, No. 484 1-2 East Seventieth street, No. 175 Allen street, and the storage of matches, premises Nos. 29 and 31 Bayard street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

Promoted.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Firemen first grade John Fitzmaurice, Engine Company 161, and Joseph Schick, Engine Company 150, to the rank of Engineer of Steamer, to take effect July 22, 1903.

Requisition forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for eligible lists from which to appoint one Clerk with a knowledge of stenography and typewriting and two Inspectors of Buildings.

Forms of contract, in triplicate, together with forms of advertisement inviting proposals for alterations and repairs to fireboat "Seth Low" were forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

New York, July 22, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Corporation Counsel—Returning forms of contract, in triplicate, with Edward P. Casey, for services as Architect for new building for Engine Company 30, on south side of Spring street, approved as to form.

From Department of Finance—Transmitting indemnity bond of the George A. Fuller Company and the Vermilye Garry Construction Company, with approval of sureties thereon. Bonds filed in the office of the Bureau of Combustibles.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Advising that Chief Clerk John T. O'Hara successfully passed examination for promotion to thirteenth grade Clerk instead of tenth grade Clerk, as previously reported.

2. Eligible lists from which to appoint two Engineers of Steamer.

From Michael G. Garrahy—Declining appointment as Fireman.

From Cashier—Returning communication from Department of Finance respecting voucher in favor of J. Newton Van Ness Company for \$2,032.10 on contract dated May 1, 1903, with report thereon. Reply communicated to Department of Finance.

From Chief Operator in Charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch—Returning communication from Department of Finance respecting claim No. 18216, filed by J. J. Donnelly, for the sum of \$552.67, alleged to be due for services, with report thereon. Reply communicated to Department of Finance.

From Foreman Engine Companies 3, 10, 50 and 55—Reporting new horses on trial as suitable for the service.

From Foreman Engine Company 54—Applying for permission to withdraw application for examination to the position of Engineer of Steamer. Approved and communicated to Municipal Civil Service Commission.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 7—Reporting the arrest of Peter Leavy for creating a disturbance in front of company quarters.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 8—Reporting repairs required to hydrants in company district. Communicated to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 15—Returning notice from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, relative to waste of water in company quarters, with report thereon. Reply communicated to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Deputy Chief of Department, First Division—Report respecting complaint filed by Arnold W. Papk, No. 303 Warren street, against an officer of the Department.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Returning request of the New York Telephone Company to replace Fire Department pole on south side of Burnside avenue, west of Anthony avenue, with report thereon from Acting Chief Operator in charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, and recommending that permission be granted. Recommendation approved and permit issued.

2. Returning application from the New York Telephone Company, for permission to place six-pin cross-arm on eight poles of the Fire Department on Longwood avenue, east of the Southern Boulevard, with report thereon from the Chief Operator in charge of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, recommending that request be granted. Recommendation approved and permit issued.

3. Forwarding application from the Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company for box number for premises No. 22 North William street. Approved and Acting Chief of Department authorized to designate a number.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Respecting the examination for promotion taken by Chief Clerk John T. O'Hara.

Referred.

From Consolidated Fire Alarm Company—Requesting early return of proof of book of assignments. To Acting Chief of Department.

From James Curren Manufacturing Company—Reporting order respecting premises No. 512 West Thirty-sixth street complied with. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Joseph I. Schweinfest, Secretary—Requesting modification of order respecting premises Nos. 351-353 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Thomas B. Leahy—Requesting extension of time on contract for new building for Engine Company 32, at No. 49 Beekman street. To Buildings Superintendent for report.

From R. W. Zendel—Requesting permit to sell matches, premises No. 47 Whitehall street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Dodge & Olcott—Relative to permit to keep and sell essential oils, premises Nos. 86-88 William street. To Municipal Explosives Commission.

From E. F. Marvin—Requesting to be informed as to the best fire extinguishers in order to comply with order respecting premises occupied as a church, Nos. 292-294 Hudson street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Joseph P. Ryan—Reporting that order respecting premises Nos. 497-505 Pearl street had been complied with. To Acting Chief of Department.

From F. J. Gould—Requesting withdrawal of notice respecting premises Nos. 218-220 West Fifty-eighth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From E. C. Bridgman, Secretary—Relative to locating a fire alarm box near the Smith Infirmary Hospital, Staten Island. To Chief Operator in charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch for report.

From Department of Finance—Notice that voucher in favor of N. C. Mellon, \$4,173.47, for services as Architect, was cancelled and requesting that new voucher be prepared. To Bookkeeper, borough of Brooklyn.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of Oriental Music Hall, No. 245 Grand street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine Company 1—Reporting non-compliance with provision of section 762 of the Charter, premises Nos. 316-318 Seventh avenue, No. 41 West Twenty-fourth street and No. 29 West Twenty-sixth street. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Engine Company 16—Reporting necessity for fire escapes on premises No. 319 East Twenty-sixth street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine Company 31—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 60 Baxter street, on 19th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 37—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 613 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, on the 18th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 8—

1. Reporting that elevator machinery in premises Nos. 141-150 Franklin street is not properly protected. To Bureau of Buildings.

2. Reporting quantity of alcohol, etc., stored in premises No. 144-150 Franklin street, and that floors of premises Nos. 200-206 West Broadway are obstructed by merchandise. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 21—Reporting non-compliance with provisions of section 762 of the Charter, premises Nos. 334-336 West Thirty-ninth street, and Nos. 448-450 West Thirty-ninth street. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Fireman Jacob Benack, Hook and Ladder Company 8—Reporting 150 persons standing in passageway of Tony Pastor's Theatre during performance on the 18th instant. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

From Acting Chief of Department—Recommending modification of order respecting premises No. 51 Chambers street, and extension of time to comply with order respecting premises Nos. 2247-2249 Second avenue. Recommendation approved. Back.

From the United States Cartridge Company—Requesting further information respecting the regulation prohibiting the storage of blank cartridges. To Inspector of Combustibles.

Notices to provide certain fire appliances in the following premises were forwarded to the Acting Chief of Department for service: No. 220 East Twenty-third street, Nos. 45-47 East Twenty-seventh street, Nos. 47-49 East Sixty-second street, No. 515 East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, Nos. 546-548 East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, Nos. 535-541 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Nos. 511-513 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Nos. 476-480 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, Nos. 135-143 West Eighteenth street, Nos. 307-311 West Eighteenth street, Nos. 155-161 West Nineteenth street, Nos. 310-312 West Fifty-fourth street, No. 448 West Fifty-sixth street, Tenth avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, No. 859 Morris avenue, No. 112 Lincoln avenue, No. 83 Alexander avenue, Nos. 523-533 Southern boulevard, Fifth avenue, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, southwest corner Fifty-fifth street and Lexington avenue, Nos. 690-692 Eighth avenue, and northeast corner Sixth avenue and Twenty-third street.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Daniel Gallagher, as Stableman, at a salary of \$912 per annum, to take effect from July 24, 1903.

John J. Farrell, as Machinist at repair shops, at \$3.50 per diem, to take effect from July 24, 1903.

John J. Clairpet, as Plumber at repair shops, at \$3.50 per diem, to take effect from July 24, 1903.

William H. Vreeland, as Laborer at repair shops, at \$2.50 per diem, to take effect from July 24, 1903.

New York, July 23, 1903.

Hearing.

Upon charges of absence without leave, violation of section 1551 of the Greater New York Charter, conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline, and neglect of duty preferred against Francis M. Rutherford, Superintendent of Construction and Repairs attached to the Building Branch of the Department. Testimony taken and case adourned.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Corporation Counsel—Returning form of contract, in triplicate, together with form of advertisement inviting proposals for repairs to the fireboat "Seth Low," with his approval endorsed thereon.

From Department of Finance—Returning voucher in favor of Nathan C. Mellon for services as Architect, the same having been cancelled.

From Tenement House Department—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 21st instant, forwarding complaints of violation of the tenement house laws.

From Foreman Engine Company 13—Explaining why Fireman First Grade Thomas J. Donnelly No. 2 did not appear at the Municipal Civil Service Examination for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foreman.

From Foreman Engine Company 32—Reporting inspection of premises Nos. 51-55 Maiden lane. Communicated to Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 25—Reporting new horse on trial as suitable for the service.

From C. P. Devare—Requesting information respecting order to provide direct means of communicating alarms of fire from the St. Abigail School, No. 170 Sullivan street. Reply communicated.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Returning communication from the Automatic Fire Alarm Company, requesting inspection of manual fire alarm box installed in premises No. 7 West Fifteenth street, with report thereon from the Chief Operator in charge of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch. Reply communicated to the Automatic Fire Alarm Company.

2. Requisition for one Lineman and one Painter for the Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch. Requisition forwarded to the Labor Clerk, Municipal Civil Service Commission, for an eligible list.

Returning communication from the New York Shipbuilding Company respecting the matter of transportation to the launching of the fireboat "Abram S. Hewitt," with report thereon.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Returning eligible list for Stableman, Plumber, Machinist and Toolman, with list of names selected for appointment.

2. Statement of facts relative to occupancy of premises East Twenty-third street and Voorhees avenue, Sheepshead Bay, by Engine Company 146; No. 231 Radde street, Long Island City, by Engine Company 161, and No. 443 Buckley street, Long Island City, by Hook and Ladder Company 66. Application forwarded to Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for renewal of leases.

3. Recommending renewal of leases of premises occupied by Engine Company 157, on the east side of Rockaway avenue, near Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn. Application forwarded to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

4. Acknowledging receipt of copy of circular issued from the Department of Finance containing instructions concerning the preparation of the Budget for 1904.

5. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 21st instant, directing that the Police Department be notified when permits are issued for the discharge of fireworks.

6. Requisition for bedsteads, bedding, etc.

7. Respecting bills of the Manhattan Supply Company and C. W. Keenan for furnishing supplies.

Referred.

From Charles Duskind, Attorney—Requesting names of persons to whom a blaster's permit was granted for premises No. 3216 Third avenue, and names of bondsmen. To Inspector of Combustibles for report.

From Corbin & O'Ryan—Requesting copy of Rules and Regulations governing the use and storage of explosives for blasting purposes. To Inspector of Combustibles, with directions to forward.

From F. A. Spencer—Requesting re-inspection of church and school, Nos. 334-338 Willis avenue. To Acting Chief of Department.

From Hungerford Brass and Copper Company—Requesting inspection of area-way, premises No. 497 Pearl street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Eligible list from which to appoint Chiefs of Battalion. To Acting Chief of Department for recommendation.

From Foreman Engine Company 13—Reporting storage of packing boxes, premises No. 241 West Broadway. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 65—Reporting that premises No. 35 West Forty-third street is now protected by iron shutters or fire escapes; has a blacksmith's furnace on second floor, and hoistway not provided with guardrail. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 10—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 75 Vesey street, on 21st instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Forwarding reports from Foremen Engine Companies 6, 8, 12, 20, 24, 25 and 27 of failure to comply with provisions of section 762 of the Charter, premises No. 2 Greenwich street, Nos. 203-207 East Fifty-sixth street, Nos. 128 and 130 East Fifty-eighth street, Nos. 126-130 East Fifty-ninth street, No. 78 South street, Nos. 592, 594 and 596 Broadway, No. 184 Sullivan street, Nos. 121 and 123 Second street, No. 258 West street and No. 186 West street. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

2. Recommending modification of order respecting premises Nos. 2149-2151 Eighth avenue; school, One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Fulton avenue, and withdrawal of notice respecting premises Nos. 403-409 East Seventieth street. Recommendation approved. Back.

Notices to provide certain fire appliances in the following premises were forwarded to the Acting Chief of Department for service: Nos. 310-318 Sixth avenue, Nos. 50-56 West Twentieth street, Nos. 53-59 West Twenty-second street, Nos. 5 and 7 East Sixteenth street, Nos. 14, 16, 18, 20, 33, 35, 37 East Seventeenth street, No. 341 Seventh avenue, Nos. 5, 7 and 9 Union square, No. 20 East Fifteenth street, No. 270 South street, Nos. 2, 4 and 6 East Broadway, No. 860 Broadway, Nos. 27 and 29 East Seventeenth street, Nos. 32 and 34 East Eighteenth street, Nos. 304-308 Sixth avenue, Nos. 57 and 59 West Nineteenth street, Nos. 1, 7, 9, 11, 13, 35 and 53 Bowery, Nos. 61 and 63 New Bowery, No. 160 Fifth avenue, No. 2 West Twenty-first street, Broadway and Sixty-seventh street, Nos. 93-99 Nassau street, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, No. 149 West Twentieth street, Nos. 148 and 150 West Twentieth street, Nos. 124-128 West Twentieth street.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Uniformed Firemen on probation as Firemen of the fourth grade, to take effect from July 24, 1903, as follows:

Herman Nessel, assigned to Engine Company 8.

John A. Murray, assigned to Engine Company 23.

Joseph A. Halpin, assigned to Engine Company 18.

Thomas J. Burke, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Joseph B. Griffin, assigned to Engine Company 4.

James P. Tobin, assigned to Engine Company 23.

Patrick F. Frawley, assigned to Engine Company 18.

John T. O'Connor, assigned to Engine Company 7.

Thomas R. Ryan, assigned to Engine Company 10.

William F. Irving, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Edward D. Lahey, assigned to Engine Company 5.

John Morris, assigned to Engine Company 65.

George Nye, assigned to Engine Company 34.

John E. Drumm, assigned to Engine Company 5.

Stephen J. J. Hannon, Jr., assigned to Engine Company 28.

Thomas F. McKeever, assigned to Engine Company 32.

John Edwards, assigned to Engine Company 13.

Joseph P. Ketcham, assigned to Engine Company 55.

John J. Connell, assigned to Engine Company 14.

Peter J. Hayes, assigned to Engine Company 15.

Joseph A. Ledogar, assigned to Engine Company 55.

James A. Keating, assigned to Engine Company 18.

George A. Hughes, assigned to Engine Company 20.

Patrick Hally, assigned to Engine Company 4.

Michael J. Cregan, assigned to Engine Company 14.

Hugh F. Golden, assigned to Engine Company 16.

Thomas F. De Lacy, assigned to Engine Company 5.

John J. Donohue, assigned to Engine Company 33.

John A. Kearney, assigned to Engine Company 2.

James McConeghy, assigned to Engine Company 11.

John J. McCaffrey, assigned to Engine Company 32.

John F. Rotchford, assigned to Engine Company 29.

Jacob German, assigned to Engine Company 1.

Cornelius F. Ahern, assigned to Engine Company 54.

Asa R. Thorn, assigned to Engine Company 27.

Franklyn G. Pierce, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Edward H. Conklin, assigned to Engine Company 30.

William J. Regan, assigned to Engine Company 6.

George J. Hartigan, assigned to Engine Company 5.

Augustine Nicholson, assigned to Engine Company 6.

Charles Biegler, assigned to Engine Company 13.

Thomas H. Ryer, assigned to Engine Company 72.

Stephen W. Van Nostrand, assigned to Engine Company 19.

Edward W. Levy, assigned to Engine Company 26.

Caspar C. Wiseman, assigned to Engine Company 15.

Christopher J. Deegan, assigned to Engine Company 25.

William F. Craven, assigned to Engine Company 16.

Manuel Viadero, assigned to Engine Company 24.

Mathew A. Murray, assigned to Engine Company 18.

Stephen A. Byrnes, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Edward F. Giblin, assigned to Engine Company 72.

James W. McCosker, assigned to Engine Company 10.

Matthew McElroy, assigned to Engine Company 3.

Joseph M. Dewey, assigned to Engine Company 26.

James J. Craven, assigned to Engine Company 25.

Edward J. Brennan, assigned to Engine Company 26.

Edward Hackney, assigned to Engine Company 8.

Lawrence J. Kane, assigned to Engine Company 24.

John J. McGuire, assigned to Engine Company 3.
 James F. Connolly, assigned to Engine Company 9.
 James P. Prendergast, assigned to Engine Company 55.
 Edward V. Hoey, assigned to Engine Company 1.
 Samuel V. Robinson, assigned to Engine Company 28.
 Frank Hehn, Jr., assigned to Engine Company 7.
 George Breler, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 5.
 Diederich J. Ruege, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 9.
 Hugh J. Joyce, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 8.
 Robert J. Carleton, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 2.
 Charles Lavin, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 11.
 James Curran, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 10.
 John K. Ormond, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 18.
 Nicholas F. George, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 7.
 William E. Coles, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 20.
 John J. Sweeney, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 6.
 George P. Oates, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 1.
 Ignatius A. Keller, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 4.
 Edward X. Barry, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 12.
 James T. Pyne, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 7.
 Cornelius Byrnes, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 10.
 David J. Murphy, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 6.
 Owen Connor, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 24.
 Thomas F. McCauley, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 1.
 William F. Egan, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 20.
 John J. Clancy, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 3.
 George Poynton, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 4.
 John R. Harcke, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 21.
 James J. Reilly, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 11.
 Frederick Ruff, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 18.
 Edward J. Flaherty, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 8.
 John S. Tobin, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 11.
 Robert F. White, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 21.
 John Howard, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 3.
 John Greene, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 12.
 William H. Hale, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 5.

Requisition forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for eligible lists from which to appoint one Lineman and one Painter, for service in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Forms of contract, in triplicate, for furnishing fire alarm telegraph supplies for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens, were forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

Advertisements inviting proposals for supplies and forage and for repairs and alterations to the fireboat "Seth Low" were forwarded to the Supervisor of the City Record for publication.

WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Meeting of the Board of Elections held Wednesday, August 26, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present—Commissioners Voorhis, Page and Fuller.

The reading of the minutes of the meeting held on the 19th inst. was on motion dispensed with.

The following communications were received, viz.:

From Francis V. Greene, Police Commissioner, dated August 21, 1903, transmitting a copy of an order directed to the commanding officers of the various police precincts and providing for the taking of inventory of the election materials stored in the precinct station houses. Filed.

From Wm. H. Kipp, Chief Clerk, Police Department, dated August 20, 1903, referring to the Board a communication from one John Williams relative to proposed polling place at No. 980 Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Referred to the Chief Clerk of the branch office for the Borough of Manhattan to investigate and report his findings to the Board.

From Nicholas J. Hayes, First Deputy and Acting City Clerk, dated August 22, 1903, acknowledging receipt of Assembly District maps for filing in the office of the City Clerk. Filed.

The President returned the communication referred to him received from the Department of Finance, N. Taylor Phillips, Deputy Comptroller, dated August 10, 1903, in reference to the claim of one Morris H. Hart for alleged rental of premises No. 2060 Lexington avenue, Borough of Manhattan, by the Board for use as a polling place in 1902. Communication having been answered it was ordered to be filed.

From the Chief Clerk to the Board, dated August 24, 1903, reporting the various supplies received by him on account of contract with the Martin B. Brown Company, and another of the same date, reporting that the supplies received at the various Branch Offices of the Board on account of contract with said company are as called for therein with the exception of a shortage in letter-heads for the Richmond office. Filed.

From the Chief Clerks of the Branch Offices for the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, dated respectively the 24th, 21st, 22d, 22d, and 23d days of August, 1903, reporting the receipt of supplies on account of contract with the Martin B. Brown Company. Referred to the Chief Clerk to the Board to ascertain whether the supplies received are as called for in said contract.

From Richard H. Murphy, of No. 220 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, dated August 19, 1903, protesting against the selection and appointment of Richard S. Harley, of No. 234 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, and David S. Bary, of No. 214 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, as election officers, on the ground of alleged violations of the election law; also communication from the Chief Clerk of the Branch Office of the Board for the Borough of Manhattan, dated August 20, 1903, reporting certain facts in relation thereto. On motion, it was resolved that all the parties be notified to attend before the Board on Tuesday, September 1, 1903, at 12.30 o'clock p. m., at its headquarters office, No. 107 West Forty-first street, Borough of Manhattan, when a hearing will be given in the matter.

From Thos. A. Fulton, Secretary, Citizen's Union of The City of New York, dated August 21, 1903, requesting copies of Assembly and Municipal Court District maps, and another in the same relation, dated August 25, 1903. Request complied with and communication filed.

From Darmstadt, Scott & Courtney, dated August 25, 1903, enclosing their check for \$221.23 to the order of "Board of Elections, City of New York," in payment on account of the purchase by them for destruction of old ballots, etc., of the election of 1902. Communication filed and said amount to be transmitted to the Finance Department.

From Gerard B. Van Wart, Chairman Republican City Committee of The City of New York; M. Linn Bruce, Chairman, Republican County Committee of the County of New York; Alexander Robb, Chairman, Kings County Republican General Committee; Richard W. Bainbridge, Chairman, Democratic General Committee of Kings County; George Ripberger, Chairman, Republican County Committee of the County of Queens; Joseph Cassidy, Chairman, Democratic General Committee for the County of Queens; Robert W. Nelson, Chairman, Republican County Committee of the County of Richmond; Edward M. Muller, Chairman, Democratic General Committee for the County of Richmond, transmitting certified copy of the rules and regulations adopted by their respective organizations for conducting the Primary Elections to be held September 15, 1903, with a statement of the conventions and committees for which delegates and members are to be elected and the number of delegates to conventions and members of committees to be elected in each unit of representation. Referred to the Chief Clerk to the Board for the preparation of notice to be published as provided in subdivision 4 of section 4 of the Primary Election Law.

From H. L. Suydam & Co., real estate agents, dated August 19, 1903, in reference to loft at Nos. 128 to 132 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan. Filed.

Supplemental lists of election officers to fill vacancies were received from the Branch Offices of the Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

The following payrolls for the month of July, 1903, were approved and ordered to be forwarded to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for certification and thence to the Comptroller for payment, viz.:

Commissioners	\$1,666 64
Clerks and employees of the Board	1,591 65
Clerks of Manhattan Borough Office	1,562 48
Clerks of The Bronx Office	374 99
Clerks of Brooklyn Office	1,312 47
Clerks of Queens Office	308 32
Clerk of Richmond Office	183 33
	\$6,999 88

The following resolutions were adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, be and hereby are requested to authorize for the purpose of storing voting booths, ballot boxes, and other election material in the custody of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, the leasing from August Mietz of the sixth loft (seventh floor) of the premises No. 128-132 Mott street, in the Borough of Manhattan, being about 72 feet wide by 61 feet deep, for a period of two years and three months from September 1, 1903, at an annual rental of sixteen hundred dollars, payable quarterly on the first days of December, March, June and September; the lessor to furnish ample elevator service, with the necessary light and facilities for the receiving, delivering and removal of said property between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m., on such days and occasions as may be required.

On motion, the Chief Clerk of the Board was authorized to invite bids for cartage of election material for the coming primary election, days of registration and for the general election.

The Board then adjourned to meet Tuesday, September 1, 1903, at 12 m.

CHARLES B. PAGE, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District, held July 14, 1903, the following members were present: Aldermen Meyers and Klett and President Cantor.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

The President presented the matter of macadamizing the remaining unimproved 40 feet of the roadway of the Boulevard Lafayette and acquiring title to an additional 40 feet from West One Hundred and Fifty-seventh to West One Hundred and Eighty-first streets.

The President announced that the Board was not in receipt of the substitute proposition which Mr. Peter Hendrick promised to lay before them.

Mr. J. C. Butterley appeared before the Board and urged that action be taken upon the subject.

A representative of the firm of Bowers & Sands, appearing for the Blind Asylum, asked for an adjournment.

Mr. Schermerhorn also asked for an adjournment.

On motion, the matter was laid over until Tuesday, July 21, at 11 a. m.

The President submitted communications from the Commissioner of Public

Works recommending the placing of crosswalks at the following locations and the expense of same:

South side of West One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Broadway...	\$303 00
North side of West One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Broadway...	303 00
South side of West One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Broadway...	303 00
North side of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Broadway...	303 00
South side of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Broadway...	303 00
West side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Broadway...	130 50
South side of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Broadway...	303 00
West side of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Broadway...	130 50

Total estimated cost..... \$2,079 00

Assessed value of property within the probable area of assessment, \$1,143,000.

Suitable resolutions were introduced and adopted authorizing the above improvements.

The President submitted the matter of repairing sidewalks on the east side of Broadway, from West One Hundred and Twenty-first street to West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, which was laid over for one week.

The President submitted for the Board's consideration petition for the paving of West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, with asphalt blocks.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported that the grade of this street between Amsterdam avenue and Audubon avenue was 4 per cent., and between Audubon avenue and Broadway 1 per cent.

On motion of Alderman Klett a resolution providing for the paving of the roadway of West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, with asphalt blocks was introduced, the estimated cost being \$23,340 and the assessed value of property affected \$596,500.

Alderman Meyers offered an amendment that the roadway of West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, between Audubon avenue and Broadway, be paved with sheet asphalt, which was lost by the following vote: Aldermen Klett, no; Meyers, aye; President Cantor voting no after having announced that the petition called for asphalt blocks and the Alderman of the District had assured him that the property owners desired such a pavement.

The original resolution of Alderman Klett, being put, was adopted unanimously. Adjourned.

GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.



CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

September 2—John J. McHenry, of No. 114 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, New York City, has been appointed a Bridge Mechanic in this Department, at a compensation of 43 3/4 cents per hour, to date from Tuesday, September 8, 1903, under a certificate of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated September 1, 1903.

CITY MAGISTRATES—SECOND DIVISION.

August 31—Richard J. Brophy, of No. 704 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, has been appointed a Stenographer and assigned for duty to the Fifth District City Magistrates' Court, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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 of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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Telephone 1929 Cortlandt.

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WILLIAM J. MORAN, Assistant Secretary.

JOHN GRUENBERG, Chief Clerk.

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9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone 706 Cortlandt.

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Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall, JAMES D. MERRIMAN, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; JOSEPH MCGUINNESS, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM R. WOELFLE, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City; CHARLES H. SMITH, Financial Clerk, Borough of Queens.

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Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books. Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone 1505 and 1506 Cortlandt. Supply Room, No. 2, City Hall.
CHARLES S. HERVEY, Supervisor; HENRY MCMILLEN, Deputy Supervisor.

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City Hall, Rooms 11-12, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone 5365 Cortlandt.
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Telephone 39 Cortlandt.
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Surrogate's Court sits on Thursday and Friday of each week, except during the month of August, when no court is held. Calendar called at 10 A. M.

COUNTY COURT.

County Courthouse, Long Island City.
County Court opens at 9:30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M.
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HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

SHERIFF.

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County Courts—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, County Judge.

First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury;
First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury;
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EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD W. HATCH, FRANK C. LAUGHLIN, Justices; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk. WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office opens at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Courthouse, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.
Special Term, Part VI., (Elevated Railroad Cases), Room No. 36.
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 25.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, VII., Room No. 26.
Appellate Term, Room No. 31.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.
Clerks in attendance from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 13.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner mezzanine floor.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Trial Term Calendar, room northeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner third floor.

TRIAL TERM, PART I. (criminal business).

Criminal Courthouse, Centre street.

Justices—CHARLES H. TRUAX, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., LEONARD A. GIGERICH, JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, HENRY A. GILDERSLERVE, JAMES FITZGERALD, DAVID LEVENTRITT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, GEORGE C. BARRETT, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, EDWARD E. MCCALL, EDWARD B. AMEND, VERNON M. DAVIS.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Courthouse, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.

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

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building. City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Part V.
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, SAMUEL SEABURY, Justices. THOMAS P. SMITH, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 A. M.

Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, JULIUS M. MAYER, WILLARD H. OLMSTED, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, ROBERT I. WILKIN, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan, EDMOND C. LEE.
Second Division—Clinton street and Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn. **ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice; JOHN P. SINNOTT, Clerk.**

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BREEN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMEN.
PHILIP BLOCK, Secretary.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 60 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

Second Division.
Borough of Brooklyn.
City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGENBOTHAM, FRANK E. O'RIELLY, HENRY J. FURLONG.
President of Board, **JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.**
Secretary to the Board, **THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.**

First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.
Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.
City Magistrates—MATTHEW J. SMITH, LUKE J. CONNOR, EDMUND J. HEALY.
First District—Long Island City.
Second District—Flushing.
Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.
City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

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

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

Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, Courtroom, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Courtroom, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirtieth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street. Courtroom, No. 154 Clinton street.
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

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

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open until close of business.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.
HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox and Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street. Courtroom, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.

Eleventh District—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 and Sixth avenue, and south of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Courtroom, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9:45 A. M.
FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN 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 Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Courtroom, 2630 Broadway.
WILLIAM STILES BENNETT, Justice. FREDERICK E. WOOD, 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. Julius G. Kremer, Justice. Courtroom, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Courtroom, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens 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. DELEHANTY, Clerk.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Courtroom, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.
JOHN M. TIERNY, Justice. THOMAS A. MAHER, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Courtroom, northwest corner State and Court streets.
JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Calendar called at 10 A. M.
Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Courtroom located at No. 1217 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Courtroom, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Courtroom, No. 14 Howard avenue.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Courtroom, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.
 Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Courtroom, in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York.
 P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.
 WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice. GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.
 Courtroom, Town Hall, Jamaica.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 A. M.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
 First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Courtroom, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
 JOHN J. KENNY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M.
 Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Courtroom, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
 GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"New York Tribune," "New York World."
 Evening—"Evening Sun," "Commercial Advertiser."
 Weekly—"Freeman's Journal," "Real Estate Record and Guide."
 German—"New York Staats-Zeitung."
 Designated by Board of City Record, June 30, 1903.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN TRAP ROCK STONE AND SCREENINGS, WHERE REQUIRED, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

44,000 cubic yards best quality trap rock stone, between $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch and $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.

14,000 cubic yards best quality trap rock screenings, between $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch and $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.

The time for the completion of the work is on or before December 1, 1903.

Amount of security required is \$40,000.

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.

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 28, 1903.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to locate and lay out Taylor street, from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx, in pursuance of the provisions of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, has submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a map or plan showing the locating and laying out of Taylor street, from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, dated March 17, 1903.

Resolved, By the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York that a hearing be given to all persons interested in the said locating and laying out on Wednesday, September 16, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall.

Resolved, That the Secretary of said Board cause a notice of such hearing to be printed in the "City Record" for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Anthony avenue to Webster avenue, and in Carter avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Anthony avenue to Webster avenue, and in Carter avenue from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to

Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

A—East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street.

1. The grade at the intersection of Anthony avenue, to be 50.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection of Carter avenue, to be 40.0 feet above mean high water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with Webster avenue, to be 29.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

B—Carter Avenue.

1. The grade at the intersection with East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, to be 43.3 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, to be 40.0 feet above mean high water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, to be 30.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

53,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades in the section bounded by Jerome avenue, Creston avenue, East One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Minerva place, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades in the sections bounded by Jerome avenue, Creston avenue, East One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Minerva place, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Jerome Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, the elevation to be 122.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 300 feet southerly, from the southeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 117.8 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 116.0 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 136.0 feet above mean high water datum;

5. Thence northerly to a point distant 500 feet northerly, from the northern curb of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 138.5 feet above mean high water datum.

6. Thence northerly to the intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 142.0 feet above mean high water datum;

7. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 138.0 feet above mean high water datum;

8. Thence northerly to the intersection of Minerva place, the elevation to be 142.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

Beginning at the intersection of Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-third street, the elevation to be 119.5 feet above mean high water datum;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 128.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 215 feet from the northwest curb intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 142.0 feet above mean high water datum.

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 150.0 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to a point distant 400 feet from the northeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 162.0 feet above mean high water datum;

5. Thence northerly to the angle point in Morris avenue, the elevation to be 148.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Beginning at the intersection of Creston avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, the elevation to be 118.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 325 feet from the northeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 129.0 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-third street, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to the intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 130 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

5. Thence northerly to a point distant 300 feet from the northeast curb intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 146.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

6. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 148.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

7. Thence northerly to a point distant 600 feet southerly from the southeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 138.0 feet above mean high water datum;

8. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 133.0 feet above mean high water datum;

9. Thence northerly to the intersection of Minerva place, the elevation to be 145.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Beginning at the intersection of Park View Terrace and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 138.0 feet above mean high water datum;

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 400 feet southerly from the southeast house line intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 147.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 143.0 feet above mean high water datum.

East One Hundred and Ninetieth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 124.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence westerly to a point distant one-half distance of curb, the elevation to be 127.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Kingsbridge Road.

Beginning at the intersection of Kingsbridge road and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 128.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence westerly to a point distant 50 feet from the northwest curb intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 129.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the Map or Plan of The City of New York so as to reduce the width of Exterior street, between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from 100 to 80 feet, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by reducing the width of Exterior street, between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from 100 to 80 feet, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as shown on a map or plan on file in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Board.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

53,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close and discontinue all the streets, avenues and roads lying within the territory bounded by Winthrop avenue, Luyster creek and the pierhead and bulkhead line, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing all the streets, avenues and roads lying within the territory bounded by Winthrop avenue, Luyster creek and the pierhead and bulkhead line, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Queens cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Eighty-fifth street, between First avenue and Second avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of First avenue, the grade to be 33.53 feet, as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly to a point distant 410 feet from the eastern line of First avenue, the elevation to be 54.93 feet.

2. Thence easterly on a vertical curve to a point distant 50 feet from the previous point, the elevation to be 56.88 feet.

3. Thence easterly, still on a vertical curve, to a point distant 50 feet from the previous point, the elevation to be 57.74 feet.

4. Thence easterly to the intersection of Second avenue, the elevation to be 59.01 feet, as heretofore.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to lay out a street system for the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Richmond, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 29th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Whereas, In pursuance of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond has prepared and submitted to this Board, for its concurrence and approval, a map or plan showing the laying out and grades of a street system in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Richmond;

Resolved, That this Board will consider the said map or plan at a meeting of this Board to be held on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting a public hearing will be given to all persons affected by such proposed lay out.

Resolved, That notice of such meeting to be held by this Board, and of such public hearing be published in the "City Record" for ten days prior to the sixteenth day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Castleton avenue, between Glen avenue and Bard avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Castleton avenue, between Glen avenue and Bard avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Richmond cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Eighty-fifth street, between First avenue and Second avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of First avenue, the grade to be 33.53 feet, as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly to a point distant 410 feet from the eastern line of First avenue, the elevation to be 54.93 feet.

2. Thence easterly on a vertical curve to a point distant 50 feet from the previous point, the elevation to be 56.88 feet.

3. Thence easterly, still on a vertical curve, to a point distant 50 feet from the previous point, the elevation to be 57.74 feet.

4. Thence easterly to the intersection of Second avenue, the elevation to be 59.01 feet, as heretofore.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do

will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to widen Oak street, immediately west of its junction with Guernsey street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolution, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by widening Oak street, immediately west of its junction with Guernsey street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Guernsey street, distant 108 feet from the intersection of the northern line of Calver street with the western line of Guernsey street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City.

1. Thence northerly along the western line of Guernsey street 17 feet to the southern line of Oak street, as legally opened.

2. Thence westerly along the southern line of Oak street 97.23 feet to an angle point in the southern line of Oak street.

3. Thence easterly in the eastern prolongation of the southern line of Oak street westerly of this angle point 60.44 feet.

4. Thence easterly and parallel with Calver street 39.23 feet to the point of beginning.

Note.—All these dimensions are approximate.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to locate and lay out Cottage place, from Surf avenue to Highland View avenue, Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by locating and laying out Cottage place, from Surf avenue to Highland View avenue, Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Surf avenue, distant about 228.01 feet easterly of the intersection of the southern line of Surf avenue with the eastern line of West Twenty-third street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City.

1. Thence easterly along the southern line of Surf avenue 51.27 feet.

2. Thence southerly deflecting 102 degrees 47 minutes 18 seconds to the right 610.71 feet to the southern line of Highland View avenue.

3. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 47 minutes 08 seconds to the right 50 feet along the southern line of Highland View avenue.

4. Thence northerly 599.18 feet to the point of beginning.

Note.—All these dimensions are approximate.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close East Tenth street, between Church avenue and Albemarle road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such

proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing East Tenth street, between Church avenue and Albemarle road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northern line of Albemarle road and the eastern line of East Tenth street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City.

1. Thence westerly along the northern line of Albemarle road 60.0 feet to the western line of East Tenth street.

2. Thence northerly along the western line of East Tenth street to the southern line of Church avenue, as in use.

3. Thence easterly along the southern line of Church avenue, as in use, to the eastern line of East Tenth street.

4. Thence southerly along the eastern line of East Tenth street to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Parade place, between Woodruff avenue and Caton avenue; St. Paul's place, between Caton avenue and Woodruff avenue, and of Crooke avenue, between Parade place and Ocean avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Parade place, between Woodruff avenue and Caton avenue; St. Paul's place, between Caton avenue and Woodruff avenue, and of Crooke avenue, between Parade place and Ocean avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Woodruff avenue and Parade place, the elevation to be 56.6 feet, as heretofore.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Crooke avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 54.5 feet.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Caton avenue and Parade place, the elevation to be 52.4 feet, as heretofore.

St. Paul's Place, Between Caton and Woodruff Avenues.

Beginning at the intersection of Woodruff avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 56.6 feet, as heretofore.

Thence southerly to a point distant from the northern building line of Crooke avenue 120 feet, the elevation to be 57.06 feet.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Crooke avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 56.0 feet.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Caton avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 54.6 feet, as heretofore.

Crooke Avenue, Between Parade Place and Ocean Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Crooke avenue and Parade place, the elevation to be 54.5 feet.

Thence easterly to the intersection of St. Paul's place and Crooke avenue, the elevation to be 56.0 feet.

Thence easterly to a point distant from the western building line of Ocean avenue 170.0 feet, the elevation to be 58.8 feet, as heretofore.

Thence easterly to the intersection of Ocean avenue and Crooke avenue, the elevation to be 55.61 feet, as heretofore.

All elevations are referred to datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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

Third avenue and to locate and lay out a new outlet for Senator street to Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by closing portion of Senator street immediately west of Third avenue and locating and laying out a new outlet for Senator street to Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

A.—Closing and Striking from Map.

Beginning at the intersection of the western side line of Third avenue with the southern side line of Senator street as the same are laid down on the map of the City.

1. Thence westerly along the southern side line of Senator street for 60 feet.

2. Thence northerly along the eastern side line of new outlet for Senator street as hereinafter described for 60.97 feet to the northern side line of Senator street.

3. Thence easterly along the northern side line of Senator street for 37.94 feet to the western side line of Third avenue.

4. Thence southerly along the western side line of Third avenue for 61.04 feet to the point of place of beginning.

B.—Locating and Laying Out.

(Eastern and Southern Side Lines.)

Beginning at a point in the southern side line of Senator street distant 60 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern side line of Senator street with the western side line of Third avenue.

1. Thence northerly in a straight line for 141.97 feet to a point distant 8.5 feet westerly from and measured at right angles to the western side line of Third avenue.

2. Thence easterly in a straight line at right angles to Third avenue for 8.5 feet to the western side line of Third avenue.

The western and northern side lines of new outlet for Senator street to be 60 feet from and parallel to the above described eastern and southern side lines respectively.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Seely street, between Eighteenth street and Sherman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 18th day of August, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Seely street, between Eighteenth street and Sherman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Seely street with Eighteenth street, the elevation to be 104.00 feet, as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly 262.17 feet to the westerly end of proposed viaduct over Prospect avenue, the elevation to be 106.00 feet.

2. Thence easterly 72.25 feet to a summit, the elevation to be 106.75 feet.

3. Thence easterly 72.25 feet to the easterly end of the proposed viaduct, the elevation to be 106.00 feet.

4. Thence easterly to the intersection of Sherman street, the elevation to be 95.00 feet, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high water datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an extension of St. James place or park, and to

close East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Morris avenue inside of proposed park boundaries, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an extension of St. James place or park, and by closing East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Morris avenue inside of proposed park boundaries, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as shown on the map or plan on file in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Board.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
"North Side News," "Bronx Borough Record," "Westchester Globe."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
"Staten Islander," "Staten Island World," "Staten Island News and Independent," "Staten Island Gazette."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Newtown Register," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News," "Long Island Farmer."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard Union," "Brooklyn Free Press," "Brooklyn Weekly News," "Flatbush Weekly News."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
"Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District). "Harlem Local and Life" (Washington Heights and Harlem Districts).
Amended designation by Board of City Record July 31, 1903, and August 10, 1903.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, September 2, 1903.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that petition signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements, for the changing of grade of Lockwood street, from Broadway to Grand avenue; Academy street, between Broadway and Grand avenue; Jamaica avenue, between De Bevoise avenue and the Crescent, and Elm street, between De Bevoise avenue and the Crescent, to grades as shown on map accompanying petition, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 17th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY, President.

GEO. S. JERVIS, Secretary.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Wednesday, during July and August, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m., or at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A TWO-PIPE GRAVITY RETURN STEAM HEATING SYSTEM FOR DORMITORIES NOS. 1, 2 AND 3, THE MESS HALL AND CHAPEL ON RIKER'S ISLAND. The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 60 days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. of the bid or estimate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A TWO-PIPE GRAVITY STEAM HEATING SYSTEM FOR THE WARDEN'S HOUSE AND GENERAL OFFICES AT RIKER'S ISLAND. The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. of the bid or estimate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

NEW YORK, August 20, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1903.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR GAS FITTING AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 6 (65), ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN BRYANT AND VYSE AVENUES, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is thirty working days. The amount of security required is \$900.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 2. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 144, ON WESTERLY SIDE OF HOWARD AVENUE, BETWEEN PROSPECT PLACE AND ST. MARK'S AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is seventy working days. The amount of security required is \$16,000.

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 144, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF HOWARD AVENUE, BETWEEN PROSPECT PLACE AND ST. MARK'S AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is ninety working days. The amount of security required is \$4,000.

No. 4. FOR GAS FITTING AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS 91, 119, 143 AND 144, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is thirty working days. The amount of security required is—

Public School 91, \$400.
Public School 119, \$600.
Public School 143, \$800.
Public School 144, \$800.

Borough of Queens.

No. 5. FOR NEW FURNITURE, ETC., AT LONG ISLAND CITY HIGH SCHOOL, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF WILBUR AVENUE, BETWEEN ACADEMY AND RADDE STREETS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is sixty working days. The amount of security required is—

Item 1, \$3,000.
Item 2, \$1,900.
Item 3, \$2,500.
Item 4, \$400.
Item 5, \$5,000.
Item 6, \$400.

No. 6. FOR SANITARY WORK OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 47, HILLSIDE AVENUE, BETWEEN UNION AND HARDENBROOK AVENUES, JAMAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is one hundred and twenty working days. The amount of security required is \$4,000.

No. 7. FOR GAS FITTING AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 83, SOUTHERLY SIDE OF VERNON AVENUE, BETWEEN PIERCE AND GRAHAM AVENUES, RAVENSWOOD, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is sixty working days. The amount of security required is \$700.

On Contracts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6 and 7, the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump sum for each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 4 and 5 the bidders must state the price of each or any item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item for each school, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item for each school.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Also at branch offices, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, and No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

New York, September 2, 1903. 82,14

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education, until 3 o'clock, p. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DIRECT TO EACH SCHOOL, TEXT-BOOKS, MAPS, GLOBES, CHARTS, PICTURES, ETC., FOR THE DAY AND EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS AND THE DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before sixty days from date of execution of contract.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

PARKER P. SIMMONS, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated August 25, 1903. 22,584

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 150, ON NINETY-

FIFTH AND NINETY-SIXTH STREETS, 175 FEET WEST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is three hundred and ninety working days.

The amount of security required is \$150,000.

No. 2. FOR REPAIRS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 160, AUDUBON AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is thirty working days. The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 3. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN THE TRUANT SCHOOL, NORTH SIDE OF TWENTY-FIRST STREET, ABOUT 260 FEET EAST OF THIRD AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as follows: That alterations and repairs, including northerly addition to present building, shall be completed by April 1, 1904. The addition and the entire balance of the work shall be completed by May 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is \$25,000.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 4. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 37, ON ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREETS, ABOUT 175 FEET EAST OF WILLIS AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is three hundred and ninety working days.

The amount of security required is \$150,000.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 5. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 146, ON EIGHTEENTH AND NINETEENTH STREETS, 150 FEET SOUTHEAST OF SIXTH AVENUE.

The time of completion is three hundred and ninety working days.

The amount of security required is \$150,000.

No. 6. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, WEST SIDE OF ALBANY AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE AND MAPLE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is eighty working days. The amount of security required is \$2,300.

No. 7. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 84, SOUTH SIDE OF GLENMORE, BETWEEN STONE AND WATKINS AVENUES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is sixty working days. The amount of security required is \$2,000.

No. 8. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 14, WESTERLY SIDE OF HAVEMEYER STREET, BETWEEN NORTH SIXTH AND NORTH SEVENTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is ninety working days. The amount of security required is \$4,000.

Borough of Queens.

No. 9. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 57, EASTERLY SIDE OF CURTIS AVENUE, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND BELMONT AVENUE, MORRIS PARK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is ninety working days. The amount of security required is \$1,500.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Also at branch offices, 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, and 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated August 24, 1903. 224,88

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOUNDATIONS, PIERS, ABUTMENTS AND ARCHES OF PELHAM BRIDGE OVER EASTCHESTER BAY, IN PELHAM BAY PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The amount of security required is one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000). The entire work must be completed on or before the first day of August, 1904.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Department of Bridges, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the office of the Department of Bridges, Room 1203, Park Row Building, at 12 o'clock noon, on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT NECESSARY FOR THE CONCRETING IN THE ANCHOR CHAIN TUNNELS AND GRANITE MASONRY IN THE CABLE OPENINGS, ETC., OF THE MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN ANCHORAGES OF THE WILLIAMSBURG (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The price must be a lump sum for the entire work in Manhattan complete, and a lump sum for the entire work in Brooklyn complete.

The time for the completion of the work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days after the contractor receives notice from the Commissioner to begin work.

The amount of security required is sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), if let in one contract, or thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) on each contract, if let in separate contracts. At the option of the Commissioner, separate contracts may be made for the work on each side of the river.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

The City of New York, August 26, 1903. 329,811

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1903.

BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING YELLOW PINE, WHITE PINE AND SPRUCE LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE LEAD, RED LEAD AND LINSEED OIL.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

The materials and supplies shall be delivered from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

August 25, 1903. 226,810

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE STEEL SUPERSTRUCTURE OF THE BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BRIDGE (No. 4) OVER THE EAST RIVER BETWEEN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND QUEENS.

The work here advertised will consist of making the working drawings, and furnishing and erecting in place the steel superstructure in accordance with the general plans and specifications furnished by the Department of Bridges.

The amount of security required is one million dollars (\$1,000,000).

The entire work must be completed on or before the first day of January, 1906.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAULKING LEAD AND CAULKING YARN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be five hundred dollars (\$500).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING TRUNK WATER MAINS IN BROADWAY, PARK AVENUE, SUMNER PLACE AND HUMBOLDT STREET.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security required will be thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN PROVOST GROVE, ETNA, DEAN, POWELL, WARWICK, FREEMAN, EAST SEVENTH, EIGHTEENTH, FORTY-FIRST, FORTY-SEVENTH, FIFTY-SEVENTH, FIFTY-EIGHTH, SIXTY-FIFTH, SEVENTY-FIRST, SEVENTY-THIRD, SEVENTY-NINTH, EIGHTY-SECOND, EIGHTY-SEVENTH, NINETY-FIFTH, NINETY-SEVENTH, WEST SIXTH, WEST FIFTH, EAST THIRTEENTH, WEST THIRTEENTH, EAST FOURTEENTH, EAST FIFTEENTH, EAST SIXTEENTH, EAST SEVENTEENTH, WEST SEVENTEENTH, EAST EIGHTEENTH, EAST NINETEENTH, EAST TWENTY-FIFTH, BAY THIRTY-FIRST, BAY THIRTY-FIFTH AND BAY THIRTY-EIGHTH STREETS; IN GRAVESEND, MORGAN, BAY RIDGE, JOHNSON, ST. MARKS, GRANT, PITKIN, BATH, BENSON, HOMECREST, SUNNYSIDE, NINTH, ELEVENTH, TWENTIETH AND TWENTY-FOURTH AVENUES; IN AVENUES I, K, M, N, O, P, Q, R AND S; IN STERLING AND SHERLOCK PLACES; AND IN EASTERN PARKWAY.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security required will be thirty thousand dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, OATS, FINE FEED, CORNMEAL AND ROCK SALT.

The delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is to be fully completed on or before December 31, 1903.

The amount of security required will be five hundred dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, cubic yard, linear foot, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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 the office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.

Dated August 22, 1903. 222,88

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 7528, No. 1. Sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

List 7529, No. 2. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

List 7531, No. 3. Sewer in Park avenue, between Emerson place and Classon avenue.

List 7542, No. 4. Sewer in Fourth avenue, both sides, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and First streets, with temporary connection crossing One Hundredth street.

List 7544, No. 5. Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

List 7545, No. 6. Sewer in Third avenue, between Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, from Seventh avenue to Eighth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Park avenue, from Emerson place to Classon avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-ninth street to centre line of One Hundred and First street.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Third avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eightieth 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 October 1, 1903, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BENJAMIN E. HALL,

HENRY B. KETCHAM,

ENOCH VREELAND,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, August 31, 1903. 229,811

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN of all competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the "City Record" for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK, July 23, 1903.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

ATTENDANT, GYMNASIUM (open to men and women; the minimum age required is 21 years)—Friday, September 11, 1903, at 10 a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, September 11, 1903, at 10 a. m.

The salary attached to this position will be from \$75 to \$85 per month.

There will be a number of Attendants appointed.

The vacancies exist in the Department of Parks and the persons appointed will be employed in the gymnasiums at the summer playgrounds.

Although women

INSPECTOR OF PIPE LAYING, PIPES AND HYDRANTS—Wednesday, September 9, 1903, at 10 a. m. (Fourth Grade, \$1,200 per annum.)

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, August 28, at 4 p. m. The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge.....	5
Experience	2
Mathematics	1
Report	2

Candidates will be required to obtain seventy-five per cent. on the "technical" paper in order to be placed on the eligible list.

Candidates should have had experience in the making of pipe at foundries and the laying of same during the process of construction. The minimum age is 21.

INSPECTOR OF SEWER CONSTRUCTION—Wednesday, September 16, 1903, at 10 a. m. (Fourth Grade, \$1,200 per annum.)

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, September 4, at 4 p. m. The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge.....	5
Experience	2
Mathematics	1
Report	2

Candidates will be required to obtain seventy-five per cent. on the "technical" paper in order to be placed on the eligible list.

Candidates should have had practical experience in sewer construction, including brick and stone masonry.

The compensation is \$3.50 to \$4 per day. The minimum age is 21.

MONITOR, CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION—Thursday, October 15, 1903, at 10 a. m. (Open to men and women.)

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, September 25, at 4 p. m.

Monitors will be employed from time to time, as the needs of the service require. No regular employment will result from securing a place on the eligible list, but it is probable that there will be need of the services of a large or small number of Monitors once or twice a week. The compensation will be \$5 a day when actually employed. Ordinarily the session lasts from about 9 a. m. to about 4 p. m.

The duties of Monitors are to assist in the conduct of civil service examinations; to supervise the candidates while they are at work; to see that they are promptly supplied with such stationery, question sheets, etc., as they need; to collect and properly sort and fasten the candidates' answers and otherwise help in securing a proper and orderly conduct of examinations. To accomplish this, Monitors must be of good physical condition, alert and watchful. All candidates will therefore be required to pass a physical examination.

The mental examination will consist of one paper, on which 70 per cent. is required.

The minimum age is 21.

For applications apply to the Secretary. For further information as to duties, etc., apply to the Chief Examiner.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, LABOR BUREAU, NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CORNER WHITE AND CENTRE STREETS.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR THE POSITION OF Rustic Carpenter, for appointment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, at \$4.50 per day while employed. Only experienced workmen need apply.

F. A. SPENCER, Labor Clerk.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, CITY OF NEW YORK, May 21, 1903.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications for the following positions will be received until further notice:

Trained Nurse.

Nurse.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 250 HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price per horse, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. 83.17

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF TEN (10) SCOWS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is as follows:

Two (2) scows within sixty (60) days.
Four (4) scows within the next fifteen (15) days; and
Four (4) scows within the next fifteen (15) days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate for the entire ten (10) scows.

The bidder will state the price per scow, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read and awards made to the lowest bidder at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. a26,89

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ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 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, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN EVERGREEN AVENUE, FROM HALSEY STREET TO SCHAEFFER STREET.

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

785 linear feet 48-inch brick sewer converted from 36-inch sewer.

7 manholes.

1,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.

40,000 feet, B. M., sheeting and bracing.

120 cubic yards excavation and back filling, other than on the converted 48-inch sewer.

40 cubic yards brick masonry, other than on the converted 48-inch sewer.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is \$3,000.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR RECONSTRUCTING AND EARTH FILLING OVER SEWER IN HEGEMAN AVENUE, FROM SNEDIKER AVENUE TO HINSDALE STREET, ETC.

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

225 linear feet 90-inch brick sewer reconstructed.

2 manholes reconstructed.

10 cubic yards brick masonry.

3,400 cubic yards embankment.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,700.

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, feet B. M., cubic yards, 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, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President. Dated August 31, 1903. 82.16

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 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, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF AN INTERIOR PUBLIC BATH BUILDING ON THE NORTH SIDE OF HURON STREET, 250 FEET WEST OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 150 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$20,000.

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

Bids are required for the total cost, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at the lowest price bid for the whole work.

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 of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President. Dated August 25, 1903. 82.16

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 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, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, FROM ATLANTIC AVENUE TO DEAN STREET, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,435 linear feet 78-inch brick sewer, "Section A."

795 linear feet 78-inch I beam covered sewer, "Section B."

1,615 linear feet 72-inch brick sewer.

90 linear feet 48-inch cast-iron pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

80 linear feet 42-inch brick sewer.

40 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

50 linear feet 24-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

250 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

110 linear feet 16-inch cast-iron pipe sewer.

310 linear feet 15-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

790 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

41 manholes.

4 receiving basins, reconnected.

75,000 feet (B. M.) foundation planking and pile capping.

700,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing, in and about silt and trap basin.

91 cubic yards brick masonry.

440 cubic yards concrete masonry, including corrugated steel, etc.

65 linear feet bluestone, 16 inches wide by 6 inches thick.

20 tons (2,000 pounds) steel I beams, including tie rods.

143 tons (2,000 pounds) cast-iron, in pipes, columns and beam saddles.

38,000 feet (B. M.) permanent sheet piling.

20,000 feet (B. M.) temporary sheet piling in coffer dam.

2,250 linear feet bearing piles.

1,640 cubic yards excavation, including refilling, removal of old masonry, etc.

200 cubic yards stone filling.

94 linear feet granite coping, 36 inches wide by 18 inches thick.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER ON WEST SIDE OF FOURTH AVENUE, FROM BUTLER STREET TO DEGRAU STREET, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,570 linear feet 90-inch brick sewer, "Section A."

438 linear feet 90-inch I beam covered sewer, "Section B."

40 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

11 manholes.

1 receiving basin.

200,000 feet (B. M.) foundation planking and pile capping.

375,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing, in and about silt and trap basin.

2,000 cubic yards excavation, including refilling, removal of crib work, etc.

830 cubic yards concrete masonry, including corrugated steel rods, expanded metal, etc.

16 tons (2,000 pounds) steel I beams, including tie rods.

79 tons (2,000 pounds) cast-iron, in pipes and columns.

60,000 feet (B. M.) permanent sheet piling.

7,400 feet (B. M.) temporary sheet piling, in coffer dam.

1,000 linear feet bearing piles.

60 cubic yards stone filling.

39 linear feet granite coping, 36 inches wide by 18 inches thick.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER BASIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF TOMPKINS AVENUE AND HOPKINS STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

One (1) sewer basin.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required is \$100.

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, feet B. M., yard, square 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, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President. Dated August 21, 1903. a28-89

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 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, SEPTEMBER 9, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN FORT HAMILTON AVENUE (PARKSIDE AVENUE), FROM FLATBUSH AVENUE TO OCEAN AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

300 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

760 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

11 manholes.

6,500 feet B. M. foundation planking.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is forty working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,600.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ALTERATION OF SEWERS NECESSITATED BY THE ATLANTIC AVENUE IMPROVEMENT SUBWAY CROSSING VANDERBILT AVENUE, CARLTON AVENUE, SOUTH ELLIOTT PLACE, FORT GREENE PLACE AND FIFTH AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,654 linear feet 48-inch brick sewer.

310 linear feet 42-inch brick sewer.

2,470 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

720 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

660 linear feet 15-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

240 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, "Section A," laid in concrete.

620 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, "Section B," laid in concrete.

70 manholes.

4 receiving basins.

3 receiving basins, reconnected.

43,000 feet B. M. foundation planking.

780,000 feet B. M. sheeting and bracing.

5 cubic yards brick masonry.

5 cubic yards concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is one hundred working days.

The amount of security required is \$42,000.

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, feet B. M., 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 President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15 Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President. Dated August 17, 1903. a21,89

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO

1. Install steam heat in quarters for aged couples and in adjoining quarters at New York City Home for Aged and Infirm, Blackwell's Island.

2. Install steam heat in three isolation pavilions at Randall's Island.

3. Install steam heat in twelve cottage tents on Metropolitan Hospital grounds, Blackwell's Island.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days on each contract.

The security required will be six hundred dollars (\$600) on each contract.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for each contract described and specified, as each contract is for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

FOR AND BUILDING A WOODEN EXTENSION, WITH APPURTENANCES, TO THE WESTERLY SIDE OF PIER NO. 34, EAST RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 45 calendar days. The amount of security required is \$2,500.

Contract No. 807.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST EIGHTIETH STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER NO. 114.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$18,000. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

The work will be required to be done at the time and in the manner specified.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated August 24, 1903.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

No. 11.

CHARLES A. BERRIAN, AUCTIONEER, will sell, on behalf of the Department of Docks and Ferries on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1903,

commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the premises with Lot No. 16, on the block between West Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets and Tenth and Thirteenth avenues in the Borough of Manhattan, the following lots or buildings hereinafter described.

Lot No. 16. Two-story brick building with a frontage on West Fourteenth street of about 25 feet, and about 103 feet deep. The easterly side of this building is about 200 feet west from the westerly side of Tenth avenue (No. 508).

Lot No. 18. Four-story brick building with a frontage on West Fourteenth street about 50 feet, and about 103 feet in depth. The easterly side of this building is about 150 feet from the westerly side of Tenth avenue (Nos. 504 and 506).

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, a. m. Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

The estimated dimensions given for the several lots are believed to be correct; but the Commissioner will not make any allowance from the purchase money for variations in any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate when making their bids.

Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money must be paid to the auctioneer in cash at the time and place of sale; the balance of the purchase money to be paid to Charles A. Berrian, at his office, No. 141 Broadway, before 12 o'clock, m., September 5, 1903.

All the buildings and their foundations of every class and description within the hereinbefore described area are to be torn down to the level of the existing curb, and removed from the premises. All tin from roofs, and galvanized or black iron from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings, or partitions, brick laid in lime mortar or in mortar which may be readily broken from the bricks, 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. Also all combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., shall be gathered together by the purchaser and removed from the premises. The final non-combustible rubbish, such as lime mortar, brickwork in cement mortar or in mortar which cannot be readily broken from the brick, plaster, roofing gravel, etc., may be left on the premises within the building lines, but otherwise all planking, rubbish, or other material within the hereinbefore described area, whether particularly described or not, must be removed from the premises. The removal of all buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, planking and all other material must be made by the purchaser, who must commence the said removal within three days from the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief that the work is ready to be begun, and continue the same diligently until completed.

The structures must be torn down to the level of the first story within fifteen days from the date of the receipt of the above notice, and all of the materials comprised in the buildings as hereinbefore provided must be entirely removed from said premises within thirty days from the date of the receipt of the notice above mentioned; and if the purchaser or purchasers fail to commence the said removal as specified, and to diligently prosecute the same, as above set forth, then the Commissioner of Docks may, at his option, complete the said removal and charge the expense of the same to the said purchaser, who shall sign the present terms of sale and agree to be bound thereby.

All machinery and other personal property is to be removed from the buildings on or before the date of sale, and in case of failure so to do, such machinery and personal property will be removed by this Department and stored at the expense and risk of the owner. No machinery or personal property of any description contained in said buildings will be sold.

And for the further securing of the removal of the said buildings, etc., hereinbefore mentioned, the purchaser will be required at the time of sale and the award of said property to him, to execute a bond in such form and with such sureties as may be approved by the Commissioner of Docks of The City of New York, and in a penalty of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, that he will in all things carry out the terms of sale and comply with the conditions thereof, and remove all of said property, within the time required by the said terms of sale.

The form of bond to be executed by the purchaser may be seen at the office of the said Department at Pier "A," Battery place, New York. Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 12, 1903.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

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SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the westerly side of Allen street, 116 feet 8 inches south of Rivington street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public bath according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court at a Special Term, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough

of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of September, 1903, at the calling of the calendar on that date, for the appointment of three commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises duly selected for public purposes, in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Allen street distant 116 feet 8 inches southerly from the southerly line of Rivington; thence westerly and parallel with Rivington street 87 feet 6 inches; thence southerly and parallel with Allen street 33 feet 4 inches; thence easterly 87 feet 6 inches to the westerly line of Allen street and thence northerly along the westerly line of Allen street 33 feet 4 inches to the point or place of beginning."

Dated, NEW YORK, August 31, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of Spring street, between Hudson and Varick streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for an engine house for the Fire Department of The City of New York, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court at a Special Term, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of September, 1903, at the calling of the calendar on that date, for the appointment of three commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises selected as a site for an engine house in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Spring street, distant 225 feet 8 inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Varick street with the southerly line of Spring street; running thence southerly and parallel with Hudson street 87 feet 6 inches; thence westerly and parallel with Spring street 18 feet 1 inch; thence northerly and parallel with Hudson street 87 feet 6 inches to the southerly line of Spring street; and thence easterly along the southerly line of Spring street 18 feet 1 inch to the point or place of beginning."

Dated, NEW YORK, August 31, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to certain lands on GERARD and WALTON AVENUES, north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owners or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, September 3, 1903, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 401, at No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 17th day of September, 1903, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Courthouse, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 6th day of October, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, September 2, 1903.

JOHN DELAHUNTY, GEORGE EDWARD KENT, ARTHUR C. BUTTS, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to PINE STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 25th day of May, 1903, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 13, Blocks 4214, 4215, 4233, 4234, 4250 and 4251, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of September, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 3, 1903.

EDWARD J. KENNEY, JR.,

A. C. DE GRAW,

JOSIAH B. BOONE, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of PALMER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond avenue to Heberton avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 29th day of July, 1903, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 31st day of July, 1903, William A. Short, Augustus Acker and Sidney F. Rawson were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that said William A. Short, Augustus Acker and Sidney F. Rawson will attend at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 15th day of September, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated September 1, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, 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 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 TEE TAW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of September, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 2d day of October, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Aqueduct avenue with the northerly line of Fordham road; running thence westerly along said last mentioned line to its intersection with the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence northerly and northeasterly along said last mentioned line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 200 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the northwesterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and northwesterly line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 9, 1903.

PAUL HALPIN,

HERMAN FOX,

JOHN J. QUINLAN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MORRIS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx river to Old Boston

Post road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of September, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 2d day of October, 1903.

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 parallel to and 300 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Old Boston Post road with a line parallel to and 800 feet southerly from the southerly line of Morris street (East Two Hundred and Seventh street); running thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line (and its prolongation) to its intersection with the easterly line of the Bronx river; thence northerly along said easterly line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 800 feet northerly from the northerly line of Morris street (East Two Hundred and Seventh street); thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 300 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Old Boston Post road; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of November, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 13, 1903.

N. J. O'CONNELL,

WM. H. RICKETTS,

WILLIAM S. GERMAIN, 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 to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending SHELL ROAD, from Avenue X to Canal avenue, and WEST SIXTH STREET, from Neptune avenue to Sheepshead Bay road, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1903, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a street known as Shell road, between Avenue X and Canal avenue, and of West Sixth street, between Neptune avenue and Sheepshead Bay road, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening and extending Shell road, between Avenue X and Canal avenue, and West Sixth street, between Neptune avenue and Sheepshead Bay road, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated August 12, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 14th day of August, 1903.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, the 31st day of August, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, No. 166 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to NINTH AVENUE, from Thirty-seventh street to Bay Ridge avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 11th day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section No. 3, Blocks Nos. 733, 742, 751, 760, 769, 778, 908, 912, 916, 920, 923, 925; Section No. 17, Blocks Nos. 3381, 3382, 3383, 3386, 3390, 3395, 3601, 3607, 3613, 3619, 3625, 3631, 3637, 3638, 3644, 3645, 3651, 3652, 3658, 3659, 3665, 3666, 3672, 3673, 3679, 3680, 3686, 3687, 3693, 3694, 3700, 3701, 3707, 3708, 3714, 3715, 3721, 3722, 3728, 3729, 3735, 3736, 3742, 3743, 3749, 3750, 3756, 3757, 3763, 3764, 3770, 3771, Commissioners of

Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, August 31, 1903.

JOSEPH A. GUIDER,
Commissioners.

HENRY JOSEPH,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening VANDAM STREET, from Meeker avenue to Bridgewater street, in the Seventeenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1903, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Vandam street, from Meeker avenue to Bridgewater street, in the Seventeenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Vandam street, between Meeker avenue and Bridgewater street, as aforesaid, are shown on the map or plan of the City of Brooklyn, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated May 12, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 18th day of May, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 31st day of August, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 166 Montague Street, Brooklyn,
N. Y. a31,511

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 certain lands, lands under water, lands under water filled in, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between West Forty-first and West Forty-second streets, extended, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases 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 The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of September, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, 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, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, determined upon by the Board of Docks on the 13th day of April, 1871, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 27th day of April, 1871, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, of the lands, lands under water, lands under water filled in, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges hereinafter described and not now owned by The City of New York, and situated in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, namely:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Twelfth avenue with the northerly side of West Forty-first street; running thence westerly along the northerly side of West Forty-first street, extended, to the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue, as the same was established by chapter 182 of the Laws of 1837; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Thirteenth avenue to the southerly side of West Forty-second street, extended; running thence easterly along the southerly side of West Forty-second street, extended, to the westerly side of Twelfth avenue, and running thence southerly along the westerly side of Twelfth avenue to the northerly side of

West Forty-first street to the point or place of beginning; together with all wharfage rights, terms, easements and privileges and appurtenances or emoluments of any kind whatsoever in and to the above-described premises, including the bulkhead westerly of the westerly side of Twelfth avenue, between West Forty-first and West Forty-second streets.

Dated New York, August 26, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan,
New York City. a27,89

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of Stuyvesant street and westerly side of Jay Street, First Ward of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public building according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Charles L. Hubbell, Frank H. Moffatt and L. J. Rabbage, appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal herein by an order dated August 21, 1903, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court sitting at Special Term for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 4th day of September, 1903, at 10:15 a. m., to be examined by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person having an interest in the lands proposed to be taken, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal.

Dated, New York, August 22, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon row. a25,84

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 certain uplands and lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between West Fifteenth and West Eighteenth streets, and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the North river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases 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 I. thereof, at the County Courthouse in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of September, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, 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, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, 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 May 20, 1897, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on June 14, 1897, as further altered and amended by the Board of Docks on January 14, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 11, 1898, as again altered and amended by the Board of Docks on July 19, 1901, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on July 31, 1901.

Parcel No. 1.—All the rights of wharfage, incorporeal hereditaments, terms, easements, emoluments, privileges or other appurtenances of any kind whatsoever appurtenant to the bulkhead along the westerly side of Thirteenth avenue, extending from the northerly side of West Fifteenth street to the southerly side of West Sixteenth street.

Parcel No. 2.—All the uplands and lands, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands, with the buildings and structures thereon, in the block bounded by the northerly side of West Fifteenth street, the southerly side of West Sixteenth street, the easterly side of Eleventh avenue and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place as shown on the map or plan adopted by the Board of Docks on May 20, 1897, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on June 14, 1897, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks on January 14, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 11, 1898, as again altered and amended by the Board of Docks on July 19, 1901, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on July 31, 1901.

Parcel No. 3.—All the rights of wharfage, incorporeal hereditaments, terms, easements, emoluments, privileges or other appurtenances of any kind whatsoever, appurtenant to the bulkhead along the westerly side of Thirteenth avenue, extending from the northerly side of West Sixteenth street to the southerly side of West Seventeenth street.

Parcel No. 4.—All the uplands and lands, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands, with the buildings and structures thereon, in the block bounded by the northerly side of West Sixteenth street, the southerly side of West Seventeenth street, the westerly side of Eleventh avenue and the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue.

Parcel No. 5.—All the uplands and lands, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands, with the buildings and structures thereon, in the block bounded by the northerly side of West Sixteenth street, the southerly side of West Seventeenth street, the easterly side of Eleventh avenue and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place as shown on the map or plan adopted by the Board of Docks on May 20, 1897, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on June 14, 1897, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks on January 14, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 11, 1898, as again altered and amended by the Board of Docks on July 19, 1901, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on July 31, 1901.

Parcel No. 6.—All the rights of wharfage, incorporeal hereditaments, terms, easements, emoluments, privileges or other appurtenances of any kind whatsoever appurtenant to the bulkhead along the westerly side of Thirteenth avenue, extending from the northerly side of West Seventeenth street to the southerly side of West Eighteenth street.

Parcel No. 7.—All the uplands and lands, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands, with the buildings and structures thereon, in the block bounded by the northerly side of West Seventeenth street, the southerly side of West Eighteenth street, the westerly side of Eleventh avenue and the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue.

Parcel No. 8.—All the uplands and lands, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands, with the buildings and structures thereon, in the block bounded by the northerly side of West Seventeenth street, the southerly side of West Eighteenth street, the easterly side of Eleventh avenue and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place, as shown on the map or plan adopted by the Board of Docks on May 20, 1897, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on June 14, 1897, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks on January 14, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 11, 1898, as again altered and amended by the Board of Docks on July 19, 1901, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on July 31, 1901.

Dated New York, August 26, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan,
New York City. a27,89

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges, appurtenant to Pier Old No. 26 East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands pier or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any right, privileges or interest pertaining thereto, 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 uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings, tenements, hereditaments and pier or wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, room No. 401 No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 10th day of September, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, 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, at the office of said Bureau, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 21st day of September, 1903.

Third.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of September, 1903, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, August 19, 1903.

EDWARD R. FINCH,
Chairman.

WILLIAM B. WAIT, Jr.,
CHARLES A. HELPER,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. a21,88

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEELEY STREET, from Gravesend avenue to Nineteenth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1903, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Seeley street, from Gravesend avenue to Nineteenth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Seeley street, from Gravesend avenue to Nineteenth street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated August 10, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of Brooklyn, on the 12th day of August, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 31st day of August, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 166 Montague Street, Brooklyn,
N. Y. a31,811

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MARTENSE STREET from New York avenue to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Bor-

ough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of September, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our Damage Maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 21st day of September, 1903.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Commencing at a point where the easterly side of Flatbush avenue is intersected by the centre line of the block between Linden and Martense avenues, as said avenues are laid down on the Commissioners' Map of The City of New York; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block between Linden and Martense avenues to the westerly side of New York avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of New York avenue to a point where said westerly side of New York avenue is intersected by the centre line of the block between Martense and Church avenues, as laid down on said Map of The City of New York; running thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Martense and Church avenues to the easterly side of Flatbush avenue, and thence northerly along the easterly side of Flatbush avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of October, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, August 20, 1903.

JOHN B. LORD,

Chairman,
JAMES A. MURTHA, Jr.,
PHILIP D. MEAGHER,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. a20,85

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below. No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

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

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.