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### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

MINUTES BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

Present—Seth Low, the Mayor; Edward M. Grout, the Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Jacob A. Cantor, the President of the Borough of Manhattan; J. Edward Swannstrom, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; Joseph Cassidy, the President of the Borough of Queens.

Absent—Louis F. Haffen, the President of the Borough of The Bronx; George Cromwell, the President of the Borough of Richmond.

On motion, the minutes of the meetings held January 6, 14, and 21, 1902, were approved.

The Comptroller presented the following report upon the financial condition of the city:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 25, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—On January 1, 1902, the constitutional debt limit of ten per cent. of the Assessed Valuation of Real Estate for 1901 was.....\$323,777,826 10  
On that date the Net Funded Debt (excluding county indebtedness, amounting to \$27,796,703 53), was.....\$271,233,365 97  
Net Contract Liability—i. e., excess of Contract Liability over funds provided for the payment thereof by bond issues, etc. (including Liability of the Street Improvement Fund to the amount of \$4,714,456.33 and the balance remaining unpaid on Rapid Transit Contract) ..... 33,096,840 12  
For lands acquired by the city..... 9,896,082 14  
For judgments (estimated)..... 2,000 000 00  
Total ..... 316,226,288 23  
Leaving a margin or excess of ten per cent. of the Assessed Valuation over the debt of..... \$7,551,537 87

This margin is reckoned without counting in the city debt the various county debts referred to or the Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of the current year's tax levy, which the constitution excludes; and without account of the Street and Park Opening Fund, which is always a cause of substantial debt in the future. It is a margin which one may say without undue conservatism ought not to be reduced very largely.

Our resources for bonding during the year begin with this present margin of the ten per cent. of real estate assessed values over indebtedness of ..... \$7,551,537 87

To this the Sinking Fund and the increase in assessed values will add as follows:

Cash at January 1, 1902, in several Sinking Funds of the city which is available either for redemption of outstanding bonded indebtedness or for investment in new issues ..... \$3,941,440 41  
Special Revenue Bonds held as Investment by the Sinking Funds payable in 1902 from taxation, the proceeds of which may be applied the same as cash.... 3,322,997 69  
Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of the taxes for 1901, held by the Sinking Fund, which can be paid off during the year 1902, the proceeds of which may be applied the same as cash..... 5,000,000 00  
Estimated Revenues of the Sinking Funds during the year 1902, which can likewise be so applied..... 15,000,000 00  
Ten per cent. of the increase in assessed valuations of Real Estate for the purpose of taxation, taking effect July 1, 1902, estimated at..... 7,500,000 00  
..... \$34,764,438 10  
A total of ..... \$42,315,975 97

So much may be surely counted upon. But there remains another resource to be reckoned. It will be noted that in stating above the item of net contract liability I included the liability of the street improvement fund amounting to \$4,714,456.33. This is the fund out of which are paid the various assessable street improvements other than street openings, and it is maintained and replenished (or should be according to law) by the collection of assessments laid upon the property benefited, as well as by the issue of assessment bonds. But there has been great tardiness of recent years both in the levying and in the collections of assessments, as appears by the following items:

Improvements have been completed for which assessments have not yet been laid, amounting to..... \$6,119,590 67  
Of this the city has advanced..... 4,512,702 97  
And incurred liability included in the debt of..... 1,606,887 70

There are also assessable improvements in progress amounting to.. 5,233,937 46  
On which the city has advanced..... 2,058,884 73  
And incurred liability included in the debt of..... 3,175,052 73

While there are upon the books of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, arrears of assessments in all five boroughs amounting to 10,714,410 18

Advances had been made prior to consolidation for improvements in Long Island City under the direction of the General Improvement Commission of that municipality, for which assessments have not yet been laid, amounting to..... 1,255,000 00

A total of..... \$23,322,938 31

All of this enormous sum is included in the city's debt, yet it was not spent for the benefit of the city at large, but for that of particular localities. If it could be collected with reasonable promptness, it would furnish a fund from which other localities could draw for the improvements so imperatively needed by them. The remedy for this situation must come from many officials. The borough presidents, the officials chiefly interested in obtaining more local improvements, should promptly certify to the Board of Assessors the cost of each assessable improvement completed by the former Sewer and Highway Departments, and the cost of any now pending, as soon as the work can be completed; the Board of Assessors should levy the assessments as speedily as possible, and the Board of Revision of Assessments should not permit the appeals made to it to be a cause of delay; while upon the Department of Finance rests the duty of prompt collection, resorting even to the hateful course of selling the property of delinquents, if necessary. I may say for the department intrusted to me, that I am now taking steps to perform this duty as early as possible, not only as to the arrears of assessments, but as to the much larger and even more dangerous arrearages of taxes which have been permitted to accumulate. Unless assessments are made and collected as rapidly as the machinery provided by the Charter will permit, the constantly increasing demands for improvements of this character throughout the enlarged city will seriously embarrass us in other directions. A safer system in regard to assessment work would be one where the city did not incur actual liability for the locality until the assessment had been levied and a substantial part of it collected. This method would be not only safer, but it would be kinder to the newer and undeveloped parts of the city, which, under the present system, are tempted to obtain improvements beyond their capacity to pay for them.

The average annual collection of assessments during the past four years has been a little less than \$2,500,000 per year. With diligence and co-operation among the officials upon whom rests the duty, it ought to be possible during the next two years to collect three times this sum each year. I shall not venture, in this forecast of the city's bonding capacity this year, to count surely upon more than the past annual average collection of \$2,500,000 as an addition to the margin, already reckoned from other sources, of \$42,315,975.97, giving a total capacity this current year of ..... \$44,815,975 97  
From this I should ask you to deduct, as a margin which only the most imperative necessity should lead us to think of intrenching upon, at least ..... 7,500,000 00

Leaving.....\$37,315,975.97  
as the amount of Corporate Stock which in the course of this year may be safely and conservatively issued, beyond what the city is now obligated to issue by the rapid transit and other contracts and for lands acquired. Let me note in passing that, as the cash and cash securities and current revenues of the Sinking Fund will supply \$27,264,438.10 of this amount, and \$2,500,000 will come from the collection of assessments due the city, the issue of this sum of \$37,315,975.97 of bonds will mean a net increase in the debt of the city of only \$7,551,537.87. I know of no other or more effective exhibit of the enormous resources of The City of New York, even after seven years of the most lavish planning and making of public improvements in its history. It offers us the one view of our sinking fund system in which the Sinking Fund appears to be a blessing rather than a burden. Perhaps it exaggerates in this respect, however, since the resources of the fund are not those of the current year alone, but include twelve and a quarter millions of cash and cash securities on hand January 1, 1902.

Against this net total of \$37,315,975.97 must, however, be offset the estimated amount of the Corporate Stock authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment prior to January 1, 1902, which will have to be issued for improvements and purposes not yet carried as debt. The total amount of this Corporate Stock I deem it proper at present, and until a different course be directed by this Board and by the Board of Aldermen, to treat as a first lien upon the bonding capacity. Some of it has been fully authorized; other of it has been passed only by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and was not concurred in by the Municipal Assembly. Whether or not the city will proceed with these issues, or any part of them, the present boards may determine, except in cases where contracts have been made and certified in reliance upon the action heretofore taken.

The amount fully authorized is \$5,909,743.31; that partly authorized is \$3,441,005.31.

The items of each class are as follows:

Estimated Amount of the Corporate Stock authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment prior to January 1, 1902, which will have to be issued for Improvements and Purposes not yet carried as Debt:

IMPROVEMENTS OR PURPOSES.	Corporate Stock Fully Authorized.	Corporate Stock Partially Authorized.
Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	\$9,249 77	.....
Willis Avenue Bridge.....	33,125 32	.....
Construction and Maintenance of Parkways.....	33,468 97	.....
Botanical Garden in Bronx Park, etc.....	1,177 72	.....
Extension of Broadway and Kingsbridge Road—Spuyten Duyvil Creek Bridge.....	1,410 37	.....
Department of Charities Building Fund.....	62,741 01	.....
Department of Correction Building Fund.....	185,000 00	.....
Eleventh Ward Park (Houston Street).....	.....	\$25,000 00
Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette..	130,000 00	703 16
Water Fund—Manhattan and The Bronx.....	558,913 06	270,000 00
Water Fund—Queens.....	100,000 00	.....
Water Fund—Richmond.....	550 00	.....
Armories .....	699,384 66	.....
Bridge over East River, between Manhattan and Brooklyn, No. 3.....	89,683 55	.....
Bridge over East River, between Manhattan and Queens, No. 4.....	754,254 99	.....
Water Main Fund—Borough of Brooklyn.....	150,000 00	.....
High School Bonds.....	14,023 00	94,137 00
New Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan.....	472,143 63	.....



School Building Fund, Richmond.....	100,000 00	.....
Water Main Fund, No. 3.....	43,000 00	.....
Newtown Creek Bridge, between Manhattan and Ver- non Avenues.....	202,284 10	.....
Hester Street Park (William H. Seward Park).....	136,371 95	.....
Fire Department—Sites and Buildings.....	50,000 00	.....
Soldiers and Sailors' Memorial Arch.....	43,000 00	.....
Department of Public Charities—Brooklyn and Queens.....	50,785 18	.....
Rapid Transit—For Lands.....	1,000,000 00	.....
Water Construction, Brooklyn.....	710,000 00	2,120,000 00
Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construction.....	15,600 00	19,000 00
Riverside Park and Drive, Ninety-sixth Street Viaduct.....	.....	9,289 32
Repaving Eighty-sixth Street, Central Park West to Riverside Drive.....	40,000 00	.....
Metropolitan Museum of Art, Fitting up, etc.....	36,484 68	100,000 00
Bridge over Bronx River at Westchester Avenue (Per- manent).....	10,000 00	.....
Bridge over Bronx River at One Hundred and Seventy- seventh Street (Tremont avenue).....	20,000 00	.....
Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	3,612 00	109,225 00
Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant, Borough of Brooklyn.....	81,431 25	.....
Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant, Borough of Queens.....	10,053 92	55,466 00
Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant, Borough of Richmond.....	11,634 00	15,338 00
Main Sewer Relief and Extension Fund, Brooklyn.....	.....	167,000 00
Improvement of Manhattan Square.....	.....	36,000 00
Bridge over Garretson Creek, Brooklyn.....	.....	16,000 00
Bridge over Eastchester Bay, in Pelham Bay Park.....	5,000 00	.....
Widening Fifty-ninth Street, Fifth to Eighth Avenue.....	40,000 00	.....
Improving Toilet Facilities in Public Parks.....	44,500 00	8,250 00
Repaving Walks, Pier "A," Battery Park.....	.....	8,500 00
Repaving Plaza, One Hundred and Tenth Street and Fifth Avenue.....	.....	17,000 00
Improving Central Park.....	.....	67,100 00
Improving Parks, Borough of Richmond (Washington Park, etc.).....	36,595 76	.....
Repaving Seventy-second Street, between Central Park and Riverside Drive.....	.....	57,500 00
Bridge over Gowanus Canal, Ninth Street, Brooklyn.....	.....	50,000 00
East River Park, Improvement of Extension.....	.....	5,824 88
Public Hospital, Lenox Avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Street.....	87,000 00	.....
Repaving Avenue "U," Brooklyn.....	.....	3,300 00
Assessment Bonds, Fort Washington Ridge Road.....	9,606 66	.....
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	13,429 71	.....
Total.....	\$5,909,743 31	\$3,441,005 31

These items amount in all to \$9,350,748.62, which sum, deducted from the balance last reached, leaves \$27,965,227.35.

In addition, the present Board of Estimate and Apportionment has, since January 1, 1902, authorized the following Bond issues:

Corporate Stock.

Acquiring land for a Public Park, foot of East Seventy-sixth street, East river.....	\$11,541 28	.....
Site for the College of The City of New York.....	137,170 62	.....
Acquiring land for approach to Bridge over Harlem river, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.....	7,819 85	.....
Acquiring land for a Public Park at Worth and Baxter streets, in the Sixth Ward.....	8,687 67	.....
Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant, Manhattan and The Bronx.....	184,160 50	.....
Sanitary protection of the Croton Water Supply.....	500,000 00	.....
Awards for lands as authorized by chapter 445, Laws of 1877, for Water Supply Purposes.....	250,000 00	.....
Special Revenue Bonds.....	\$1,099,379 92	498,973 16
Total.....	\$1,598,353 08	.....
—previously taken into account; but part was not, to wit:		
Acquiring land for a Public Park at foot of East Seventy-sixth street, East river.....	\$11,541 28	.....
Site for the College of The City of New York.....	7,909 12	.....
Acquiring land for approach to Bridge over Harlem river, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.....	7,819 85	.....
Acquiring land for a Public Park at Worth and Baxter streets, in the Sixth Ward.....	8,687 67	.....
Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant.....	184,160 50	.....
Supply Purposes.....	250,000 00	.....
Awards for lands as authorized by chapter 445, Laws of 1877, for Water Supply Purposes.....	.....	498,973 16
Total.....	\$969,091 58	.....

The amount of these further reduces the present capacity of the city to \$26,996,135.77. The special revenue bonds, being issues against next year's tax levy, are, of course, a part of the debt, within the constitutional limitation, only until next year begins, when they may be replaced by ordinary revenue bonds issued against the then current year's tax and not to be counted within the limit. It may be, also, that the item of \$184,160.50 for Street Cleaning Department Stock and Plant is a duplication in part of bonds partially authorized last year, but this I am not now able to determine, and the item is not of large moment.

As against this leeway of \$26,996,135.77 are now to be reckoned various enterprises to which the city is in some degree committed. I do not refer now to enterprises contracted for which have already been included in the debt, even though Corporate Stock with which to pay for them has not been issued. But in the following statement are included only new enterprises, or sums not yet put into contract and for which the

issue of Corporate Stock had not been authorized at January 1, 1902, but necessary to complete pending improvements. I do not undertake here to say whether or not the city is irrevocably committed to these improvements, nor as to what precedence any one is entitled to over others. The lists have been prepared by Chief Bookkeeper Haag, of the Finance Department, and are given for the information of the Board.

Bridges.

Bridge over East river, between the boroughs of Man- hattan and Brooklyn (Bridge No. 3, Pike slip).....	\$14,751,316 45	.....
Bridge over the East river between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens (Bridge No. 4, Blackwell's Island Bridge).....	10,900,745 01	.....
New East river Bridge (Delancey street, Manhattan to Broadway, Brooklyn).....	4,064,000 00	.....
Bridge over the Bronx river at 177th street (Tremont avenue), in the Borough of The Bronx.....	25,000 00	.....
Bridge over Eastchester Bay in Pelham Bay Park in the Borough of The Bronx.....	335,000 00	.....
Bridge over Newtown creek, at Manhattan and Ver- non avenues, in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	311,715 90	.....
Bridge or Viaduct over the Harlem Railroad, Melrose avenue from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of The Bronx.....	16,000 00	.....
Improving the terminal facilities of the Brooklyn Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	3,000,000 00	.....
Bridge over Avenue U, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	35,000 00	.....
Total.....	\$33,438,777 36	.....

Parks and Drives.

Construction of the extension of Riverside Drive to the Boulevard Lafayette, in the Borough of Manhat- tan.....	\$2,064,000 00	.....
Park bounded by First avenue and Second avenue, Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, in the Bor- ough of Manhattan.....	1,250,000 00	.....
Park bounded by Berry street, Nassau avenue, Lori- mer street, Driggs avenue, etc., in the Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,250,000 00	.....
Park at Worth street and Baxter street, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	225,000 00	.....
Park between Spuyten Duyvil road and New York Cen- tral and Hudson River Railroad, Johnson avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.....	25,000 00	.....
Park or playground at Rivington, Stanton, Goerck and Mangin streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	1,000,000 00	.....
Park at the foot of East Seventy-sixth street, East river, Borough of Manhattan.....	450,000 00	.....
Total.....	6,264,000 00	.....

Water Fronts, etc., for Dock Improvements.

Proceedings to acquire title to water fronts on the North and East rivers.....	\$10,120,000 00	.....
Requirements of the Dock Department during 1902, ex- clusive of cost of acquired property.....	2,000,000 00	12,120,000 00

Miscellaneous Improvements.

Value of franchises and property of the Flatbush Water Works, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	800,000 00	.....
Harlem Hospital on Lenox avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan.....	188,000 00	.....
Extension of the Underground Road to Brooklyn.....	8,000,000 00	.....
Sites for Carnegie Libraries.....	1,250,000 00	.....
Atlantic Avenue Improvement in the Borough of Brook- lyn.....	1,250,000 00	.....
Hall of Records in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	480,000 00	.....
Alterations to new County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan.....	2,000,000 00	.....
Armory for Troop "C" in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	312,500 00	.....
Furnishing and equipping Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan.....	350,000 00	.....
Railroad Subway at Avenue U, Borough of Brooklyn.....	20,000 00	.....
New York Public Library.....	1,065,000 00	.....
Sanitary Protection of the Croton Water Shed, annually.....	500,000 00	.....
Construction of the Jerome Park Reservoir.....	2,912,000 00	.....
Construction of the New Croton Dam (Cornell).....	1,191,000 00	.....
Local Improvements, authorized, but not contracted for.....	2,909,680 40	.....
Total.....	23,228,180 40	.....

A total of ..... \$75,050,957 76

Many of these improvements are of such a description that the expenditure for the same need not be met at once, but will, on account of their character, be distributed over several years. Of such may be classed the following, viz:

1. Bridges over the East river, Eastchester Bay in Pelham Bay Park, Newtown Creek at Manhattan and Vernon avenues, improving terminal facilities of the Brooklyn Bridge.

2. Construction of the extension of Riverside Drive, park bounded by First and Second avenues, Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, park in the Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, park or playground at Rivington street, etc., Borough of Manhattan.

3. Water fronts, etc., for dock improvements.

4. Franchises and property of the Flatbush Water Works, sites for Carnegie libraries, Atlantic avenue improvement, alterations to new County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, armories, New York Public Library, construction of Jerome Park Reservoir and New Croton Dam, local improvements.

And Mr. Haag assumes that of the improvements above mentioned the city will be called upon during the ensuing year to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock (in addition to that authorized since January 1, 1902, as hereinbefore indicated) to provide the necessary funds to meet payments for account of the following improve-  
ments, or incur liability therefor, thus adding to its debt the amounts indicated, viz.:  
Bridge No. 3, over the East river, Pike slip..... \$2,500,000 00  
Bridge No. 4 over East river, Blackwell's Island..... 1,000,000 00



Bridge over Newtown creek, acquiring title to land.....	312,000 00
Park at Worth and Baxter streets, acquiring title to.....	200,000 00
Park between Spuyten Duyvil road and the New York Central Railroad, Johnson avenue, etc., acquiring title to.....	15,000 00
Park at foot of Seventy-sixth street, Manhattan, acquiring title to.....	320,000 00
Acquiring title to water fronts, for dock improvements.....	3,000,000 00
Requirements of the Dock Department, exclusive of cost of property..	2,000,000 00
Construction of the Harlem Hospital.....	188,000 00
Extension of the Underground Road to Brooklyn.....	8,000,000 00
Sites for Carnegie libraries.....	250,000 00
Atlantic avenue improvement, Brooklyn.....	250,000 00
Hall of Records, Brooklyn.....	480,000 00
Armory for Troop "C," Brooklyn.....	312,500 00
Construction of Jerome Park Reservoir and Cornell Dam.....	1,000,000 00
Local improvements for which assessments are to be imposed.....	2,909,680 40
Estimated amount of the cost of street and park opening proceedings imposed upon the city by statutes and by resolutions of the Board of Public Improvements, for which Corporate Stock may be issued	4,145,000 00
	<u>\$26,882,180 40</u>

Subtracting this amount, \$26,882,180.40, from the balance of \$26,996,135.77, shown above, leaves a surplus of only \$113,955.37.

I present these, as they are in fact, as the estimates of Mr. Haag, for I wish to be as free as the rest of the Board to deal with each improvement on its merits and relative necessity when it comes up for action. I do not doubt that in the main these estimates are correct, so far as they go. I cannot help remarking, however, that in some respects I do not at all adopt them. Nothing is allowed in them for schools and school sites, for which, as you remember, the last Board of Education asked twelve and one-half millions. Clearly the providing of adequate school accommodations should precede the three armories, or the parks and docks, or even the libraries. The terminal facilities of the Brooklyn Bridge ought to be made safe and decent for a tenth part of the \$3,000,000 which is estimated, I believe, as the cost of the proposed, but not yet approved, Centre street loop. And in the estimate of \$2,909,000 for local improvements authorized, but not contracted for, is included \$1,094,000 for the improvement, calculated to take more than three years to execute, of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in The Bronx, which the President of that borough has assured me he would be satisfied to contract for each year to the extent of the work possible to do in that year. Nor is anything reckoned here for bonds for repaving, or for improvements which have recently been urged upon us, such as the building of a new court house in The Bronx, or for any of the hundred and one demands, small individually, but large in the aggregate, which will constantly be presented to us. In short, the whole matter is presented now only as a tentative estimate, and the utmost care must be taken in planning how these thirty-seven millions will be best and most justly applied.

Some allowance will have to be made also for issue of bonds to balance or replenish the Street and Park Opening Fund. Theoretically this fund is supposed to be met by assessment, and the city does not become liable until it takes title to the lands. But it has grown to be the practice of late to charge upon the city the cost of public places and small parks, sometimes even of large ones, and a varying portion of the cost of streets which exceed sixty feet in width. The practice is a dangerous one for the city, and I believe that this Board, after careful consideration, should adopt conservative rules on the subject. The late Board of Public Improvements during its four years made allowances running from eight and one-third to one hundred per cent. of the cost of various streets, parks and places, aggregating, I reckon, over three million dollars, to which, by legislative action, has been added at least a million more. A good part of this, if allowed to stand, must be met by the issue of Corporate Stock this year. Most of these allowances were made long after the original ordering of the opening of the street, and a large part of the sum went to lawyers as fees for obtaining the reductions. One rule, necessary as well as safe, would be that the imposition upon the city of any part of the cost of street opening, or of any other improvement, should be permitted only when the proceeding is ordered, and not by way of subsequent review. I believe that the Charter revisers intended to make this the rule, but failed to make amendment of all the sections of the Charter necessary to accomplish their purpose. The subject might properly be recommended to the Legislature. In the case of streets exceeding sixty feet in width there ought to be a rule of mathematics to govern, and not caprice or other unrecognized considerations. I speak of these matters relating to this fund, for the subject will frequently come before this board and every time a portion of the cost of an opening or other improvement is put upon the city, the debt of the city will be thereby increased.

Another grave question relating to the debt of the city has pressed itself upon me in the shape of the enormous amount of uncollected annual taxes. Of taxes and water rates, prior to 1901, and excluding personal taxes and assessments, the amount is about twenty-one and one-half millions, and of 1901 real estate taxes nineteen millions. Much of the latter item will come in during the next half year without doubt. The arrears of personal taxes are over fourteen millions, of which probably two-thirds are uncollectable. The realty taxes are in the main good, and there doubtless would not be so much outstanding, had sales for arrears been held. There has been no such sale in Brooklyn since 1897, or in Manhattan and The Bronx since 1889. Effort will be made this year, by sale if necessary, to remedy this evil. As the annual budget and tax levy is of course calculated to equal the annual expenditure, and as this city, as did its predecessor municipalities, from which it has inherited many millions of these arrearages, always spends pretty nearly the amount of its budget, these deficiencies were met by borrowing on revenue bonds, or by using for current expenses the funds provided for various improvements by issues of Corporate Stock and the accumulations in special accounts such as excise taxes, etc. Revenue bonds so issued, if not paid within five years, become, under the terms of the Constitution, a part of the indebtedness of the city, to be counted against its limit; and special funds, so used for current expenses, always have to be replaced sometime. The non-collection of annual taxes is thus a threatening condition. In New York to-day the threat is of substantial proportions, as will be easily seen by reckoning these delinquencies, excluding those of last year but including, of course, the uncollectable portion of the personal taxes:

For 1898 and prior, about.....	\$7,000,000 00
For 1899.....	9,386,128 66
For 1900.....	13,213,212 60
Total.....	<u>\$29,599,341 26</u>

This is a condition which cannot be allowed to continue, unless the city is willing to face the possibility that a substantial sum will thus be added to its debt, to further reduce its borrowing capacity. Persistent efforts to collect will, however, avoid this difficulty in the main, but I apprehend that a considerable sum, to make good the uncollectable portion of the personal taxes, will eventually have to be added to the city debt.

It is because of these dormant possibilities of debt that I believe that, even after fully providing for all that can be reckoned as likely for the current year, we should always preserve the margin of at least seven and one-half millions.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.

The President of the Borough of Manhattan moved that it be received and placed on file.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens—14.

The Presidents of the Boroughs of The Bronx and Richmond appeared and took their seats in the Board.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Art Commission, submitting the departmental estimate for the said Commission for the year 1902.

THE ART COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

NEW YORK, February 17, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment,

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman:

GENTLEMEN—Submitting herewith our estimate of expenditure required by the Art Commission for The City of New York during the current year ending December 31, 1902, I respectfully suggest that, in view of the urgency of the Commission's need, it be taken up at once—if possible, during the present week.

With powers greatly enlarged by the Charter which went into effect on the 1st ultimo, with the extensive duties suggested by the memorandum attached to the within requisition, with rapidly accumulating correspondence, it has neither a place where it can conveniently meet, nor clerks or employees whatever, even for clerical work.

The individual members of the Commission serve without pay. But it needs no argument to suggest how indispensable are the office furniture, employees and incidentals, provision for which is now asked.

Our case is an exceptional one. With our accumulating work under the act which has just gone into effect, our business is utterly at a standstill, except to the extent individual Commissioners may themselves do clerical work and provide quarters therefor.

Should it be necessary or desired, I shall be glad to appear before your Board.

Very respectfully,

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, President.

THE ART COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

NEW YORK CITY, February 17, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment,

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman:

GENTLEMEN—In accord with section 226 of the charter, the Art Commission for the City of New York submits this, its Departmental Estimate of the amount of expenditure by it during the current year, ending December 31, 1902, specifying in detail the objects thereof, and including a statement of each of the proposed salaries of its officers, clerks, employees and subordinates, viz.:

(1) Office furniture, typewriter, file cases, etc.....	\$1,000 00
(2) Salary of Stenographer (10 months).....	750 00
(3) Salary of Assistant Secretary (10 months).....	2,500 00
(4) Incidentals, supplies, including stationery; books, prints, photographs, plans, etc.; traveling and other necessary expenses of the Commission, etc., etc.....	1,750 00
	<u>\$6,000 00</u>

We have no officers except the President, Vice-President and Secretary, elected by the Commission itself from its own number, each serving without compensation—all as provided by section 635 of the Charter.

The Commission does not believe it necessary now to provide for any further officers, clerks, employees and subordinates than a Stenographer and Assistant Secretary, provision for whose compensation is above asked.

The scope of this Commission's duties having been greatly broadened by the law under which it is now acting, and which took effect January 1 ultimo, this Commission has no experience which enables it to specify in greater detail than above set forth the objects of the expenditure which will be required by it during the current year. We, however submit, annexed hereto, as "Memorandum A" hereof, sundry data which may make more clear the character and necessary extent of the expenditure which should be provided for.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THE ART COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, President.

A. AUGUSTUS HEALY, Secretary.

"MEMORANDUM A."

(1) As to the Duties of the Commission:

These are set forth by section 637 of the Charter:

(a) "Hereafter no work of art shall become the property of The City of New York by purchase, gift or otherwise, unless such work of art, or a design of the same, together with a statement of the proposed location of such work of art, shall first have been submitted to and approved by the commission; nor shall such work of art until so approved be erected or placed in or upon, or allowed to extend over or upon any street, avenue, square, common, park, municipal building, or other public place belonging to the city. The commission may, when they deem proper, also require a complete model of the proposed work of art to be submitted. The term 'work of art,' as used in this title, shall apply to and include all paintings, mural decorations, stained glass, statues, bas-reliefs or other sculptures, monuments, fountains, arches or other structures of a permanent character, intended for ornament or commemoration.

(b) "No existing work of art in the possession of the city shall be removed, relocated or altered in any way without the similar approval of the commission, except as provided in section 639 of this act.

(c) "When so requested by the Mayor or the Board of Aldermen the commission shall act in a similar capacity, with similar powers, in respect of the designs of municipal buildings, bridges, approaches, gates, fences, lamps or other structures erected or to be erected upon land belonging to the city, and in respect to the lines, grades and plotting of public highways and grounds, and in respect of arches, bridges, structures and approaches which are the property of any corporation or private individual, and which shall extend over or upon any street, avenue, highway, park or public place belonging to the city. \* \*

(d) "And said Commission shall so act, and its approval shall be required, for every such structure which shall hereafter be erected or contracted for at an expense exceeding \$1,000,000."

Under "(c)" alone, the time of this Commission might be continuously occupied, and quarters required for the proper filing, exhibition and study of plans or details of the structures referred to, and for care and storage of models and sketches in each of the several lines of art referred to, and a working library, with files of photographs, engravings, plans, etc.

We have assumed, however, that we shall not be called upon as to matters in contracts which have been closed before January 1 ult.; and hence that our work, the room necessary for our offices, and the amount necessarily expended by us, will be



comparatively limited at first; and in view of this, our estimates have been made smaller than may be required for another year.

(2) *As to the Necessity for the Stenographer and Assistant Secretary:*

(a) *As to Stenographer*—This employee will be needed to facilitate the business at our meetings and for our large and growing correspondence, as well as to attend to other items of our work.

(b) *As to the Assistant Secretary*—The highly important, varied, and, to some extent, technical knowledge required are somewhat suggested by the extract above quoted from section 637 of the Charter. The intent of the Legislature may be inferred from its requirement, section 635: That the Secretary shall be elected from its number—that is, be a gentleman well qualified to represent the Commission.

As the Secretary is, by law, to serve without compensation, he is presumably entitled to such competent assistance, while leaving him still in charge, as shall relieve him from such of his duties as can be performed by an assistant, and aid him in the remainder. That is, the Assistant Secretary should be one qualified in every way to assist the Secretary and properly represent both him and the Commission at the Commission's office. That is, should be as well posted as may be, not merely upon the routine work of a public Commission and its relations to the City Government, but upon the several factors of city embellishment with which the Commission has to deal. It will be hard to find a competent man. He must probably be developed rather than found; so that the salary of \$250 per month, now proposed, is probably sufficient for the purpose.

Our estimates must be largely tentative, and the convenience of the Commission would be greatly served by the utmost latitude in the use of the total appropriation for our expenses that your Board shall make.

We therefore request that you make our appropriation for the current year six thousand dollars (\$6,000) in gross; and, in case salaries or positions be specified, that this be done, for example, as follows:

"Including the salary of Stenographer at not to exceed \$—— per month; and of an Assistant Secretary at not to exceed \$—— per month."

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority contained in section 10 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment does hereby alter the budget for the year 1902 by adding thereto an appropriation of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) for expenses of the Art Commission for the year 1902, as follows:

Office furniture, typewriter, file cases, etc.....	\$1,000 00
Salary of Stenographer, 10 months.....	750 00
Salary of Assistant Secretary, 10 months.....	2,500 00
Incidentals, supplies, including stationery, books, prints, photographs, plans, etc., traveling and other necessary expenses of the Commission, etc., etc.....	1,750 00
	<u>\$6,000 00</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

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

Salary of Assistant Secretary (10 months), \$2,500, or at the rate of \$3,000 per annum.

Salary of Stenographer (10 months), \$750, or at the rate of \$900 per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, January 27, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW,

Mayor and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment;

SIR—In accordance with our recent conversation I have the honor to request that you will lay the following application before the Board and endeavor to secure its assent to the appropriation suggested, the reasons for which are given below.

To additional repairs needed upon the fireboat "Zophar Mills".....	\$15,000 00
For the construction of one new fireboat of medium type, similar to the "Robert A. Van Wyck".....	75,000 00
For one new fireboat of equal power to the above, but of lighter draught.....	75,000 00

Until a comparatively recent date there were four well equipped fireboats belonging to the Borough of Manhattan, in condition for full daily service. Of these the "William F. Havemeyer," a very old boat, has been sold and broken up. "The New Yorker," our largest boat, is about to undergo extensive repairs, which include a new boiler, sixty new frames and all necessary work in removing old boilers and replacing same with new ones. This contract has been let by my predecessor. When begun it will necessarily place "The New Yorker" out of service for several months.

The "Zophar Mills," an old boat, but shown by recent examination to be sound in structure and worthy of being completely refitted, is now temporarily out of service, and requires a new marine double engine, new fire pumps and pipe and new house on deck of boat. These repairs, when made, will keep her out of service three or four months, and as she and "The New Yorker" must not both be out of service together, and as the "Mills" can be better spared than "The New Yorker," regarding the efficiency of the service, I wish to repair her first. After deducting the amount allowed by my predecessor under contract for the repairs of "The New Yorker," I find that the repairs of the "Mills" will require \$15,000 more than the appropriation made by the late Board of Estimate and Apportionment. With this amount, together with the unexpended balance of the appropriation, she can be made thoroughly serviceable, I believe, for a number of years to come, and her condition justifies the expenditure of the money. The third of the boats belonging to the Borough of Manhattan, namely, the "Van Wyck," was built by me under an appropriation obtained during my former incumbency of this office, viz., in 1897, and is the only one of the Manhattan Borough boats which is ready and fit for active service.

In addition to the foregoing, I therefore ask for an appropriation for one new boat, of the general type of the "Van Wyck" (which was less expensive than "The New Yorker" by about \$25,000), this new boat being intended to take the place of the "Havemeyer," destroyed as above. I also ask for a second new boat, of light draught, to be so built in order that she may enter the Harlem river and be a protection to the extensive lumber yards and the enormously settled tenement districts immediately adjoining on the north and east side of the Harlem. This boat would be located on the East river, toward the upper end of the old City of New York, but south of the entrance to the Harlem river; the other one on the East river being located at Grand street. It is, in my judgment, absolutely essential that a boat should be established at the point suggested, between Grand street and the Harlem river, not only for the protection of our own east side and the property described on the Harlem, but also as the only security for the city's buildings located on the islands in the East river, in which are lodged very large numbers of the diseased, pauper and criminal population.

I shall present myself at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to-morrow (Tuesday), with your permission, and be ready to answer such further inquiries as your Board may desire to make.

Respectfully yours,

THOS. STURGIS, Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 27, 1902.

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

No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan;

DEAR SIR—It is my intention to insert in the revised Departmental Estimate of this Department for the current year, an item of \$15,000, which is imperatively demanded to make up the amount required for repairing the fireboat "Zophar Mills," in addition to the funds remaining at my disposal for this purpose.

On July 17, 1901, the former Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at the request of my predecessor in office, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, authorized the expenditure of the sum of \$75,000 for the purpose of defraying the expenses connected with repairing and placing in proper condition for service the fireboats "Zophar Mills" and "The New Yorker," as requested by resolution of the Municipal Assembly, which resolution became adopted without the approval or disapproval of the former Mayor, on June 18, 1901.

The contract price for repairing "The New Yorker" will exhaust more than the half of said sum, and the balance of the appropriation will not be sufficient to provide a new marine double engine, new pumps and pipe, and new house on deck, for the fireboat "Zophar Mills," which is now also out of service, and, therefore, the further sum of \$15,000 will be necessary to put the boat in condition to render effective assistance in contributing to the protection of our extensive water front, on which is stored merchandise of almost incalculable value.

The "William F. Havemeyer," a fireboat of wooden construction and which had been in service for a period of nearly thirty years and had become useless for the purposes of this Department, was sold at public auction in October last, and, with "The New Yorker" and "Zophar Mills" out of service, we are sadly lacking in the number of fireboats necessary to meet our demands. I therefore trust that the appropriation of the amount needed, to wit, \$15,000, be authorized at once, in anticipation of favorable action in the matter by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment when the budget of this Department comes before it, to the end that the contract may be advertised and awarded at public letting at the earliest practicable moment, and our fireboat service measurably increased.

I had the honor of conferring with your Deputy, Mr. Stevenson, a short time since in reference to this subject, and it is at his suggestion that I bring the matter officially to your attention, in the hope that the matter may receive prompt and favorable action at the meeting of the Board Friday.

Yours respectfully,

THOS. STURGIS, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment does hereby modify and alter the budget for the year 1902, in so far as it relates to the Department of Fire, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, by adding thereto an appropriation of the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) for repairs to the fire-boat "Zophar Mills."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a communication from the Fire Department, dated February 27, 1902, requesting an appropriation of \$4,200 for an additional Chief of the Department.

The Comptroller moved that it be laid over for consideration in the Budget.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Borough of Manhattan—11.

Negative—The Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond—4.

Not voting—The President of the Borough of The Bronx—1.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Fire Department, dated February 28, 1902, requesting this Board to prescribe conditions for the purchase of patented articles.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Education, transmitting a statement of transfers of employees:

BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 21, 1902.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Education held on February 19, 1902, the following transfers and changes in salaries were made, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen, viz:

To the office of the Secretary.

James J. Byrnes, Chief Clerk in the office of the late School Board for the Borough of Queens, as Clerk; his salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum (former salary \$2,000), to take effect February 20, 1902.

To the office of the Auditor.

Francis F. Underhill, Bookkeeper in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn; his salary to be fixed at \$1,650 per annum (former salary \$2,750), to take effect February 20, 1902.

To the office of the Supervisor of Lectures:

Rufus J. Suits, Clerk in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn; his salary to be fixed at \$1,200 (former salary \$1,800), to take effect February 20, 1902.

Continued in the employ of the Board of Education.

William S. West, Chief Clerk of the late School Board for the Borough of Richmond, as Clerk; his salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum (former salary \$2,000), to take effect February 20, 1902.

Mary Anglin, Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Queens; her salary to be fixed at \$900 per annum (former salary \$1,200), to take effect February 20, 1902.

S. Ella Terrel, Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn; her salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum (former salary \$1,400), to take effect February 20, 1902.

Alfred Akers, Cleaner in the offices of the late School Board for the Borough of Queens; his salary to be fixed at \$660 per annum (former salary \$900), to take effect February 20, 1902.

Mary Higgins, Telephone Operator in the Headquarters Building, Brooklyn; her salary to be fixed at \$600 per annum (former salary \$720), to take effect February 20, 1902.

Ephraim J. Whitlock, Clerk in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn; his salary to be fixed at \$1,800 (former salary \$2,500), to take effect February 20, 1902.

Louis C. Connolly, transferred to the position of Accountant in the Bureau of Buildings (now vacant), and his salary fixed at \$2,100 per annum, said transfer to take effect February 20, 1902.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.



The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the following transfers and changes in salaries in the Department of Education, viz:

James J. Byrnes, from Chief Clerk in the office of the late School Board for the Borough of Queens, to Clerk in the office of the Secretary; his salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum.

Francis F. Underhill, from Bookkeeper in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn, to the office of the Auditor; his salary to be fixed at \$1,650 per annum.

Rufus J. Suits, from Clerk in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn, to the office of the Supervisor of Lectures; his salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum.

William S. West, Chief Clerk of the late School Board for the Borough of Richmond, to Clerk in the Board of Education; his salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum.

Mary Anglin, Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Queens, to the Board of Education; her salary to be fixed at \$900 per annum.

S. Ella Terrel, Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn, to the Board of Education; her salary to be fixed at \$1,200 per annum.

Alfred Akers, Cleaner in the offices of the late School Board for the Borough of Queens; his salary to be fixed at \$660 per annum.

Mary Higgins, Telephone Operator in the Headquarters Building, Brooklyn; her salary to be fixed at \$600 per annum.

Ephraim J. Whitlock, Clerk in the office of the Secretary of the late School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn; his salary to be fixed at \$1,800 per annum.

Louis C. Connolly, transferred to the position of Accountant in the Bureau of Buildings; his salary to be fixed at \$2,100 per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following report of the Engineer of the Finance Department, in relation to the improvement of the William H. Seward Park:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
January 28, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—George S. Terry, Secretary, Park Board, in communication under date of January 20, 1902, transmits to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the following preamble and resolution, adopted at a meeting of the Park Board held on January 16:

"Whereas, Plans for the improvement of William H. Seward Park were prepared and adopted by this Department and forwarded on November 11, 1901, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the approval of that Board, with an estimate of the cost of construction and a request for a bond issue to provide funds for doing the work; and

"Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on December 10, 1901, approved and authorized such expenditure, to be paid from the proceeds of a bond issue to the amount of \$136,371.95, which action did not, however, receive the concurrence of the Municipal Assembly, as required by law; therefore

"Resolved, That said plans for the improvement of William H. Seward Park be, and the same hereby are re-adopted and ordered forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the approval of said Board, with the request that an issue of bonds be authorized to the amount of \$136,371.95, to provide for the improvement of said park according to said plans, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 as amended by chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, or under the provisions of the New York Charter, as said Board may determine."

Estimate of Cost of Construction of William H. Seward Park, According to Plans Herewith Submitted.

1. Grading and handling about 12,000 cubic yards of sub-soil, removal of obstructions, street and curbing, approximately.....	\$6,000 00
2. Asphalt walks inside the park, 30,000 square feet, at \$0.25 per square foot .....	7,500 00
3. Asphalt sidewalks, 18,690 square feet, at \$0.25.....	4,672 50
4. New street curbing around park, 1,714 linear feet, at \$1.80 per foot....	3,087 00
5. Blue stone edging, 1,500 linear feet, straight, at \$1.25 per foot.....	2,000 00
6. Blue stone edging, 1,000 linear feet, curved, at \$2.25 per foot.....	2,250 00
7. Picket fence around playgrounds, 1,400 linear feet, at \$4 per foot....	5,600 00
8. 545 linear feet of curbing around gymnasium grounds, at \$5.....	2,725 00
9. Picket fence around park, including plinth blocks, in all 1,410 linear feet, at \$4.50 per linear foot.....	6,345 00
10. Telford pavement, with gravel surface for playgrounds, in all 27,475 square feet, at \$0.20.....	5,495 00
11. Drainage and water supply, approximately.....	5,000 00
12. Outdoor gymnasium .....	1,800 00
13. Sod, 53,000 square feet, at \$0.02 per square foot.....	1,060 00
14. Mould, 4,000 cubic yards, at \$2 per cubic yard.....	8,000 00
15. Removal of 50 large trees from Boulevard and replanting same in park, at \$100 each.....	5,000 00
16. Planting trees and shrubs, including care of same until established..	10,000 00
17. Two rail pipe fence, 2,000 linear feet, at \$0.47.....	940 00
18. Building, including shower baths, toilet rooms for men and women, separate shelters, balcony for rest, and tool room in basement..	38,500 00
19. 20 extra baths under sidewalk.....	8,000 00
	\$123,974 50
Contingencies, Consulting Architect and Engineer, 10 per cent.....	12,397 45
	\$136,371 95

The original plans were the subject of reports by me under dates of March 8, 1900; October 8, 1900, and December 27, 1900.

The plans as now submitted include a shelter with toilets, baths in basement and under sidewalk, an open air gymnasium and running track, playground and sand courts for small children, grass plots, shrubbery and walks within and around park; all of which show a pleasing arrangement.

The estimate of cost appears to be made with some care, and amounts to \$136,371.95, and I am of the opinion that bonds to such an amount may be properly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

As stated in my report of October 8, 1900, the bond issue under the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, is in such a condition, owing to the liability of such fund for the awards made under condemnation proceedings, that the Corporation Counsel advised that the issue should be made under section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

The section 48 of the Greater New York Charter referred to above is section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter (chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901).

Therefore, if the financial condition of the city is such as to warrant this expenditure, I would recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter (chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901), to the amount of \$136,371.95, to provide for the improvement of William H. Seward Park, as per plans submitted by the Park Board.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Estimate of Cost of Construction of William H. Seward Park, According to Plan Herewith Submitted.

1. Grading and handling about 12,000 cubic yards of sub-soil, removal of obstructions, street and curbing, approximately.....	\$6,000 00
2. Asphalt walks inside the park, 30,000 square feet at \$0.25 per square foot .....	7,500 00
3. Asphalt sidewalks, 18,690 square feet at \$0.25 per square foot.....	4,672 50
4. New street curbing around park, 1,714 linear feet at \$1.80 per foot....	3,087 00
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7. Picket fence around playgrounds, 1,400 linear feet at \$4 per foot....	5,600 00
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18. Building, including shower baths, toilet rooms for men and women, separate shelters, balcony for rest and tool room in basement.....	38,500 00
19. 20 extra baths under sidewalk.....	8,000 00
	\$123,974 50
Contingencies, Consulting Architect and Engineer, 10 per cent.....	12,397 45
	\$136,371 95

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and authorizes the issue by the Comptroller of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and thirty-six thousand three hundred and seventy-one dollars and ninety-five cents (\$136,371.95), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the cost of the improvement of the William H. Seward Park, according to the revised plans submitted by the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated November 11, 1901, which plans are hereby approved.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Kings County Register, requesting an appropriation for contingencies, searches, certified copies of records, etc.:

OFFICE OF THE KINGS COUNTY REGISTER,  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY,  
January 28, 1902.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I desire to call your attention to the fact that no provision is made for a Contingent Account for the Kings County Register's Office in the budget of 1902, and I respectfully request you to set aside from the amount appropriated for my office for this year the sum of one thousand dollars for contingencies.

Under the act, chapter 706, Laws of 1901, making this office a salaried one, it becomes my duty to cause all orders or requisitions directing searches to be made to be executed without delay and ready for delivery within ten days from the receipt of such order or requisition by me, and the said act further provides that each record searcher or title company shall receive as his or its full compensation for every search as made by him or it one-half of the fees formerly allowed by law to the Register of said county for such service.

I estimate that the fees to be received for searches for the year 1902 will possibly amount to fifteen hundred dollars and the whole amount so received is to be paid by me to the Comptroller of New York City.

As I have no searchers connected with my office, I have allowed the Title Guarantee and Trust Company of New York City to make all searches required to be made by me to date with the verbal understanding that said company is to receive from The City of New York one-third of the actual amount received and accounted for by me for such searches.

I am also called upon by the public to make many certified copies of the records in my office for which service I collect the sum of ten cents per folio. The persons ordering such copies invariably insist upon having them typewritten, and, as I have no typewriter in my office and no provision is made in said act for the employment of one, I have been forced to have this work done by outside parties, for which work said parties expect to be paid, in accordance with said act, five cents per folio, or one-half the amount received by the city.

I estimate that the fees to be received for certified copies of records for the year 1902 will possibly amount to one thousand dollars, and the whole sum so received is to be paid by me to the Comptroller of New York City.

I therefore further respectfully request that, in addition to the Contingent Account above mentioned, a separate and distinct fund be set aside out of which may be paid the charges for official searches and certified copies of records made as above set forth, and, in view of the fact that these items of searches and certified copies will be a source of profit and revenue to the city and were not intended to be paid for out of the appropriation already made for this office, I request that they be not made a charge upon such appropriation, but that some other provision be made for their payment.

Respectfully,

JOHN K. NEAL, Register.

Which was laid over for one week, and the Register requested to present an application for the transfer of an amount for the purposes.

The matter of the petitions requesting that \$1,000,000 be set aside for the purpose of paving in the Borough of Brooklyn was taken up and considered, whereupon the Comptroller moved that the said requests be referred to the Borough Presidents for their consideration and determination as to what amount of the \$2,000,000 limit, pursuant to the Charter, should be used in each borough, and to report back their decision in the matter.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The President of the Borough of The Bronx offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller furnish this Board with an official statement as



to the amount of money allowed and expended for repaving, in each of the boroughs, between the 1st of January, 1898, and the 31st of December, 1901.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following report in relation to the closing and discontinuation of Cayuga avenue, from Waldo avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and of Tibbett avenue from West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, etc.

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

SIR—I have to report that on the 15th day of February I caused to be delivered to the Supervisor of the City Record, for publication in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 28th day of February, 1902, a copy of certain resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 7th day of February, 1902, proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of Cayuga avenue, from Waldo avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and of Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Forty-second to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and the laying out and extending of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Malcolm place to Cayuga avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, and for a meeting of the said Board, to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, at which meeting such proposed closing and laying out would be considered by the said Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed closing and laying out would be considered, together with a notice that said closing and laying out would be considered by the said Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of held at the time and place aforesaid.

And I do further report that said resolutions and said notice, a copy of which is hereunto annexed, have been published in the "City Record," as required by law, for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 28th day of February, 1902, as will more fully appear by the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, which is herewith submitted.

Dated New York, February 28, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss:

Henry McMillen, being duly sworn, says that he is Examiner of the "City Record," the official journal of The City of New York; that the advertisement hereto annexed has been regularly published in the said "City Record" ten days consecutively, commencing on the 17th day of February, 1902.

HENRY McMILLEN.

Sworn to before me, this 28th day of February, 1902.

WASHINGTON H. HETTLER, Commissioner of Deeds, N. Y. County.

The following preamble and resolutions were offered:

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 7th day of February, 1902, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by the closing and discontinuing of Cayuga avenue, from Waldo avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street and of Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and the laying out and extending of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Malcolm place to Cayuga avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which meeting such proposed closing and laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place, at which such proposed closing and laying out would be considered, to be published in the "City Record" for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 28th day of February, 1902, and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 28th day of February, 1902, and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed closing and laying out who have appeared, and such proposed closing and laying out was duly considered by this Board, now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of chapter 466, Laws of 1901, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of Cayuga avenue, from Waldo avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street and of Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and the laying out and extending of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Malcolm place to Cayuga avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and lay out the aforesaid streets as follows:

"A." Cayuga avenue, to be discontinued and closed from the easterly line of Waldo avenue to a line which is the easterly prolongation of the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

"B." Tibbett avenue, to be closed from the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to the southern line of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

"C." West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street to be extended in a straight line from Malcolm place easterly to its intersection with Cayuga avenue. These changes affect section 24 of the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed changes in the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing and laying out the above-named streets adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Board of Aldermen for its action thereon.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting the transfer of \$100,000 to "Snow and Ice," 1902:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
NEW YORK, February 24, 1902.

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

SIR—I have to request that the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) be transferred from the account of "Carting," appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1902, to the appropriation account of "Snow and Ice," Borough of Brooklyn, for 1902, for the reason that the balance remaining in the last-named account is not sufficient to meet the emergency of the present fall of snow.

I also have to request that, in accordance with the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized and directed to issue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds thereof to be used for the restoration to the account of "Carting," of the amount temporarily transferred therefrom, as requested above.

Respectfully,

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following resolutions were offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) be, and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1902, entitled "Carting," Borough of Brooklyn, to the appropriation made to said Department for the year 1902, entitled "Snow and Ice," Borough of Brooklyn; and

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue, the proceeds of which shall be applied to refund to said appropriation the amount hereby transferred therefrom.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Education, requesting the approval of the increase of the salary of Gustav L. Graef:

BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 11, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Education held on February 10, 1902, the salary of Gustav L. Graef was increased from five hundred dollars (\$500) to seven hundred and twenty dollars (\$720) per annum, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen, he having passed the necessary Civil Service examination.

Respectfully yours,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary Board of Education.

BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1902.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I have your communication of the 24th instant stating that the matter of the increase of salary of Gustav L. Graef was laid over by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held February 21, 1902, in order to give us an opportunity to be heard in relation to the matter.

The facts in regard to Mr. Graef are as follows: He was appointed Office Boy in my office on June 20, 1898, at a salary of \$300 per annum. On July 19, 1899, he was promoted to the position of Junior Clerk and his salary increased to \$500 per annum. On October 13, 1900, he passed a Civil Service examination for promotion to Senior Clerk. Both before and since that date I repeatedly recommended that his salary be increased, he having rendered faithful and efficient service, but for some reason no increase was made.

A vacancy having occurred in the office of the Auditor, Mr. Graef applied to be transferred to that office. Although I was reluctant to have him leave my office, I consented to the transfer, which was made by the Board of Education on February 10, 1902, his salary being increased to \$720 per annum, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen.

Mr. Graef is faithful in the performance of his duties and punctual, his habits are excellent, and he is well entitled to the promotion and increased salary granted him by the Board of Education.

To give him a larger salary is indeed only a matter of justice, inasmuch as several other young men who came into the Department subsequent to the date of his appointment have been receiving salaries as high as \$600 per annum since July, 1900.

It should be further stated that Mr. Graef now occupies a position in the Auditing Bureau, lately occupied by an employee at \$900 per annum. Mr. Graef's transfer was occasioned by the resignation of said employee. While the transfer benefits Mr. Graef individually, at the same time there is a net saving to the city of \$180.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

I concur in the above recommendation and believe that Mr. Graef deserves the proposed increase of salary. During the few days since he was transferred to my office his work has been satisfactory in all respects.

HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of Gustav L. Graef, Senior Clerk in the Department of Education, be increased from five hundred dollars (\$500) to seven hundred and twenty dollars (\$720) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

In accordance with an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated February 7, 1902, in the matter of the application of the Mayor, etc., relative to acquiring certain lands in the Twelfth Ward for a public park, in pursuance of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894, the following preamble and resolution were offered:

Whereas, A bill of costs, amounting to five hundred dollars (\$500), has been taxed before a Justice of the Supreme Court, First Judicial Department, in the proceeding to acquire title to certain lands for a public park in the Twelfth Ward, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and East river, being for services of Thomas W. B. Hughes, deceased.

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application of the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock of The City of New York heretofore issued by the Comptroller, pursuant to chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Finance, for the year 1901, entitled "Salaries—Department of Finance," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department for 1901, entitled "Contingencies—Comptroller's Office," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.



Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a communication from the Board of Education, dated February 20, 1902, requesting the transfer of various appropriations to "Fuel," Borough of Brooklyn:

BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 20, 1902.

Hon. JOHN W. STEVENSON, Secretary Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education at a meeting held on February 19, 1902, requesting the transfer of the following-named sums from the Special School Fund of the Department of Education, for the year 1901, and from the items contained therein entitled:

\$2,500 from "Fuel," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
\$1,000 from "Supplies," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
\$1,000 from "Supplies," Borough of Brooklyn.  
\$500 from "Supplies," Borough of Richmond.  
\$1,700 from "Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other employees," Board of Education.

—to the item also contained within the Special School Fund of the Department of Education for the year 1901, entitled "Fuel," Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary Board of Education.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the following-named sums from the Special School Fund of the Department of Education for the year 1901, and from the items contained therein entitled:

\$2,500 from "Fuel," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
\$1,000 from "Supplies," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
\$1,000 from "Supplies," Borough of Brooklyn.  
\$500 from "Supplies," Borough of Richmond.  
\$1,700 from "Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other employees," Board of Education.

—which items are in excess of their requirements; to the item also contained within the Special School Fund of the Department of Education for the year 1901, entitled "Fuel," Borough of Brooklyn, which item is insufficient for its purposes.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education on February 19, 1902.

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of six thousand seven hundred dollars (\$6,700) be and hereby is transferred from the following appropriations made to the Department of Education for the year 1901, and as follows:

"Special School Fund, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Fuel".....	\$2,500 00
"Special School Fund, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Supplies".....	1,000 00
"Special School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn—Supplies".....	1,000 00
"Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond—Supplies".....	500 00
"Special School Fund, Board of Education—Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other Employees".....	1,700 00
	<hr/> \$6,700 00

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled "Special School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn—Fuel," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a communication from the Department of Correction, requesting an appropriation of \$1,500 for alterations to New City Prison:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 17, 1902.

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

DEAR SIR—I respectfully ask that the sum of \$1,500 be allowed, pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of chapter 626, Laws of 1896; chapter 642 of the Laws of 1897, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, for the following work at the new City Prison: Heating prison, repairing caisson and keeping water out of pit in boiler room, while repairs to caisson are in progress.

The temporary heating of the new building is of great importance, in order that the work of contractors may go on.

The caisson in boiler room was furnished by P. J. Carlin & Co., contractors, several years ago, and was accepted by the architects, Messrs. Withers & Dickson, and by the Department Inspector, but it was subsequently found to be defective. The contractors and the Department architects claim that when the caisson was furnished and placed in position it was in good condition, but became defective afterwards. It is important that this caisson should be repaired as soon as possible, as its present condition is delaying the work of contractors.

While repairs are being made to this caisson the water must be pumped out of pit in boiler room.

I beg to inclose proposal of P. J. Carlin & Co. to do all the above-mentioned work for the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), and would respectfully ask for authority to accept same.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 24, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. Thomas W. Hynes, Commissioner, Department of Correction, in communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under date of February 17, 1902, requests that "the sum of \$1,500 be allowed, pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of chapter 626, Laws of 1896; chapter 642 of the Laws of 1897, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, for the following work at the new City Prison: Heating Prison, repairing caisson, and keeping water out of pit in boiler room while repairs to caisson are in progress."

"The temporary heating of the new building is of great importance, in order that the work of contractors may go on."

"The caisson in boiler room was furnished by P. J. Carlin & Co., contractors, several years ago, and was accepted by the Architects, Messrs. Withers & Dickson, and by the Department Inspector, but it was subsequently found to be defective. The contractors and the Department Architects claim that when the caisson was furnished and placed in position it was in good condition, but became defective afterwards. It is important that this caisson should be repaired as soon as possible, as its present condition is delaying the work of contractors."

"While repairs are being made to this caisson the water must be pumped out of pit in boiler room."

"I beg to inclose proposal of T. J. Carlin & Co. to do all the above-mentioned work for the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), and would respectfully ask for authority to accept same."

In reply, I would report that the work specified, and the estimated cost of each, are as follows:

1. Heating prison.....	\$500 00
2. Repairing caisson.....	800 00
3. Keeping water out of pit in boiler-room.....	200 00
	<hr/> \$1,500 00

#### 1. Heating Prison—

As the steam work has been delayed on account of the caisson in bottom of boiler room not being in condition to receive the boiler, there is no heat in the building, and the other contracts are also necessarily delayed. It is proposed to heat the building, day and night, for a period of thirty days, with ten coke furnaces, for the sum of \$500.

In my judgment, the heating of the building by this method will hasten the completion of the building, and I would recommend that it be allowed.

#### 2. Repairing Caisson in Boiler Room

The condition of this caisson has been the subject of a report by this office, under date of October 23, 1901, in which it was stated that the tee stiffeners are bent and the bottom bulged up from 1½ to 7 inches, and that the caisson as built does not comply with the specifications, which require that the caisson shall be constructed of "steel with bottom and side plates ¾ inch thick. The joints must occur under the 4x4½-inch tee stiffened on bottom, and be well riveted and calked so as to insure the caisson be made water-tight."

The caisson as built is made of ¾-inch plates, 5 feet by 11 feet 2 inches, lapped and riveted and stiffened by 4-inch by 4½-inch tees, running laterally across the caisson. The distance between centres of the tees vary from 3 feet 9 inches to 4 feet 4 inches; in no case are the tees over the joints of the plates.

The contractors, P. J. Carlin & Co., who put this caisson in, claim that it was put in satisfactorily and has since become defective, and this statement has been indorsed by the architect, and the contractors have refused to make the necessary repairs at their expense. Therefore, as there is a difference of opinion as to who is responsible for the defective caisson. I concur with the Commissioner to make the necessary repairs, adjusting and determining who should pay for same at the completion of the contract of P. J. Carlin & Co.

The specifications for the repairs appear full and sufficient to do the work, but I would suggest that the contractors, before being ordered to proceed with the work, submit plans and specifications, showing in detail the repairs to be made, and that such plans and specifications should receive the approval of the Consulting Architect, Mr. George B. Post.

#### 3. Keeping Water out of Pit in Boiler Room while work is being done on Caisson—

This work is necessary in connection with the repairs to the caisson, and as such should be considered in the same way—i. e., paid by the city and determined, at the completion of the contract of J. P. Carlin & Co., who is liable for the expense.

The different items—heating prison, repairing caisson and pumping water from pit—have all been duly approved of by the Commissioner of Correction, the Architect, Walter Dickson; also the offer of the contractors, P. J. Carlin & Co., to perform the specified works for \$1,500 have been duly approved by Hon. Thomas W. Hynes, Commissioner of Correction, the Architect; the consent of the sureties of said contractors has also been given. All of these papers are submitted in accordance with the requirements of section 3, chapter 626, Laws of 1896, as follows:

"The Commissioner of Correction, with the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment first had and obtained, is hereby authorized and empowered, with the consent in writing of the contractor and his sureties, to alter any plans, and the terms and specifications of any contract entered into by authority of this act, provided that such alterations shall in no case involve or require an increased expense greater than five per centum of the whole expenditure provided for in said contract."

The contract of P. J. Carlin & Co., for the general construction of the building, amounts to \$345,000, and 5 per cent. of this amount is \$17,250.

Under this provision of the law, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has heretofore approved of charges on the contract of P. J. Carlin & Co., to the extent of \$14,139, and adding the amount of the charge now asked by the Commissioner, \$1,500, will make a total of \$15,639. It is therefore within the limit of the law.

The work designed by the Commissioner, not forming any part of the existing contracts, can only be done by letting new contracts, or in compliance with section 3 of the law above quoted.

The work, in my judgment, being necessary to hasten the completion of the new City Prison, and the requirements of the law having been fulfilled, I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly give its approval to the work as requested by the Commissioner of Correction.

Respectfully, EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 3, chapter 626 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 642 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the extra work and changes in the contract and specifications of P. J. Carlin & Co., for extra work in the New City Prison, in heating prison, repairing caisson and keeping water out of pit in boiler room while repairs to caisson are in progress, at a cost of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500), as requested by the Commissioner of Correction, under date of February 17, 1902, subject, however, to the consent thereto, in writing, of the contractor and his sureties. This approval is given on the express understanding that the plans and specifications for the repairs to the caisson shall be approved by the Consulting Architect, Mr. George B. Post, and the city reserves the right to charge the expense of the repairs to the caisson to P. J. Carlin & Co., if it is finally determined, after taking up the present caisson, that it was not built as per specifications of general contract of P. J. Carlin & Co.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

A communication from the New York Zoological Society, dated February 21, 1902, requesting an appropriation of \$500,000 for the improvement of that portion of Bronx Park, allotted to the said society, was received and on motion referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Municipal Assembly, requesting an appropriation of \$12,000 for the purchase of the Bath Knickerbocker, situated at the foot of Twenty-second street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, also a report of the Engineer of the Finance Department in relation thereto, which on motion were referred to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, in relation to the bronze tablets placed at the Riverside Drive Viaduct, furnished by J. & R. Lamb:

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 17-21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, February 24, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I herewith return requisition, bill and voucher for \$685, due Messrs. J. & R. Lamb, for two bronze tablets furnished and placed at the Riverside Drive Viaduct. I also forward herewith the design of the tablets for inspection by Engineer McLean, as requested by memorandum attached to the requisition.

Please return the plan as soon as possible and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE LIVINGSTON, Commissioner of Public Works.



CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 26, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Messrs. J. & R. Lamb have presented a bill against the Department of Highways, dated December 28, 1901, for two bronze tablets, as per drawing, set complete at extension of Riverside drive, \$685.

This bill was forwarded, with the voucher attached, signed by the Commissioner of Highways, for payment by this Department, chargeable against the account, "Extension of Riverside drive, chapter 665, Laws of 1897."

I have caused an examination to be made of the tablets which are set in the masonry on the drive, and find that they consist of two bronze tablets, 4 feet 9 inches by 2 feet 6 inches in size, inscribed as follows:

"Riverside Drive Viaduct,  
Erected according to plans approved by the  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment  
Pursuant to Chapter 665, Laws of 1897,  
Under the supervision of the  
Department of Highways.

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways  
ANDREW ERNEST FOYE, Chief Engineer of Highways.  
JOHN D. CREAMER, Secretary of Highways.  
F. STUART WILLIAMSON, Consulting Engineer.  
O'BRIEN, SHEEHAN & McBEAN, Contractors."

This inscription differs from that shown on the plan herewith submitted, a change having been made by the Department after the time when the original plan was drawn.

It would appear that the Commissioner of Highways gave an order for these tablets to Messrs. J. & R. Lamb, upon an estimate submitted by the claimants; also, that before such order was given, the Corporation Counsel was requested to advise the Commissioner of Highways as to his authority to give such orders for extra work not exceeding in amount \$1,000.

I inclose a copy of the Corporation Counsel's reply, dated August 16, 1901, in which he states that he believes that orders of this character in this instance come clearly within the exception in section 419 of the Charter, and that therefore the Commissioner of Highways would have the right to give such orders.

In my opinion, the provisions of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897, have not been complied with, which provides that "the plans and specifications for said construction shall be submitted in the first instance by the said Commissioner of Public Works to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said city, and approved by said Board. And the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall make provision for the cost and expense of the necessary surveys and the preparation of such plans and specifications and for the cost and expense of the construction of said improvement."

It does not appear that the plan for this work was ever submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and, in consequence, no authority under that law is given to the Comptroller to pay for the work so done.

I believe in equity that the claimants are entitled to payment, and I would therefore recommend that the plan be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with the request to approve the same, and authorize the additional expenditure. Sufficient funds are available for the payment of the same.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Commissioner of Public Works George Livingston, at my request, forwarded the original plan to this office and requested that the same be returned to his office. (Copy.)

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
August 16, 1901.

Hon. JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner, Department of Highways:

SIR—I have received a letter from your deputy, dated August 12, 1901, in reference to the construction of the Riverside Drive Viaduct.

It appears that the contract does not provide for placing suitable bronze tablets and an electric switch box for the control of the electric lighting of the bridge, nor for the connection of the two electric circuits on the east and west sides of the viaduct. It is, therefore, necessary to supply the omissions and it is estimated that the cost of the tablets will be \$400; of the electric switch box, \$200, and for the connecting of the electric conduits, \$200, making a total estimated cost of \$800.

My opinion is requested whether it would be proper for the Department of Highways to issue orders for this additional work; that is, as I understand it, to contract for the doing of the work without complying with the provisions of section 419 of the Charter, as to advertising for bids and going through the formalities prescribed in letting work to the lowest bidder.

In my opinion the case comes clearly within the exception in the said section of cases where the expenditure involved is not more than \$1,000.

The estimated cost, as already stated, is but \$800, made up of three distinct items, and certainly in a work of the size, cost and importance of the Riverside Drive Viaduct no one would be likely to claim that the you were seeking to avoid the provisions of the Charter as to letting contracts after advertisement to the lowest bidder, by splitting up what is really one work costing more than \$1,000 into three separate works.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the plan submitted, and as subsequently amended, by the former Department of Highways, for two bronze tablets to be placed on the masonry on the Riverside Drive Extension, and authorizes, subject to proper audit in the Department of Finance, the payment of the bill of J. & R. Lamb of \$685 for making and setting in place the said tablets.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Sheriff of New York County, requesting an appropriation for supplies:

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, COUNTY OF NEW YORK,  
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, February 20, 1902.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In reply to your favor of the 17th instant, asking for an estimate of the cost of supplies enumerated in my requisition of the 7th instant, I submit the following:

1 roll-top desk for Law Clerk.....	\$25 00
Iron work, door check, etc.....	120 00
Fireproof safe.....	600 00
18 waste-paper baskets.....	9 00
1 large map (Rand & McNally's).....	3 50
J. B. Lyon & Co.'s Reports (official series).....	35 00
Gibbon's Annual Digest, 1901.....	5 00
Cummings & Gilbert's Statutes, last edition.....	15 00
Aub on Bankruptcy.....	1 00
2 copies Bender's Law Diary, at \$1.75.....	3 50
Gould's Lawyers' Diary, 1 copy.....	1 00
1 set Shepard's Annotations.....	10 00
1 set Abbott's New Cases, 32 vols.....	60 00
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I am unable to obtain an exact estimate of the amount necessary to cover cost of repairs to furniture, etc., but know that it will be very small.

Of the articles asked for, the law books are required for immediate use, and the repairs to the furniture, etc., are greatly needed.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN, Sheriff of New York County.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, COUNTY OF NEW YORK,  
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1902.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully call attention to the requisition made by me upon your Board under date of the 20th instant, and I request that early provision be made for supplying the law books therein enumerated.

Yours respectfully,

WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN, Sheriff of New York County.

Which was laid over for one week, and the Sheriff to be notified to appear and explain his immediate needs.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting that a resolution adopted by this Board February 19, 1901, authorizing the issue of \$180,029 Corporate Stock for stock or plant in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond, be rescinded:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1902.

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

SIR—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment having adopted a resolution on February 19, 1901, authorizing, subject to the concurrence of the Municipal Assembly, an issue of Corporate Stock for the purchase, acquisition and construction of stock or plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Queens and Richmond, to the amount of \$180,029, which never was concurred in by the Municipal Assembly, and a subsequent resolution having been adopted under date of January 14, 1902, for the same purpose for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, I therefore request that the resolution adopted February 19, 1901, be rescinded.

Respectfully,

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its meeting held February 19, 1901, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and eighty thousand and twenty-nine dollars (\$180,029), the proceeds whereof shall be expended for the purchase, acquisition or construction of new stock or plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, as provided by said section 546 of the Greater New York Charter."

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 11, 1902, requesting the setting aside of \$1,500 for expenses of the reception of Prince Henry of Prussia:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to set aside the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) to defray the expenses to be incurred by the Special Committee of the Board of Aldermen on the occasion of the visit and welcome of Prince Henry of Prussia by The City of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 11, 1902, four-fifths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor February 20, 1902.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter (chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901), and the request of the Board of Aldermen, by resolution approved by the Mayor February 11, 1902, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby appropriates the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) to defray the expenses of the Special Committee of the Board of Aldermen on the occasion of the welcome of Prince Henry of Prussia by The City of New York, and that for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller is hereby authorized to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Aldermen requesting appropriations for the purpose of erecting street lamps and providing suitable signs designating the names of streets:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, chapter 466, of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the purpose of erecting street lamps and providing suitable signs designating the names of the streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1902, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof, having been first advertised, as required by law.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 25, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the purpose of erecting street lamps and providing suitable signs designating the names of the streets in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1902, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof, having been first advertised as required by law.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 25, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) by the Pres-



ident of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of erecting street lamps, and providing suitable signs designating the names of the streets in the Borough of The Bronx.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 4, 1902, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof, having been first advertised as required by law.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 25, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) by the President of the Borough of Queens for the purpose of erecting street lamps and providing suitable signs designating the names of streets in the Borough of Queens.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1902, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof, having been first advertised as required by law.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 25, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) by the President of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of erecting suitable signs designating the names of the streets in the Borough of Richmond.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1902, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 25, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Which were laid over for one week.

The Secretary presented the following, requesting the transfer of appropriations to various charitable institutions:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 26, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Additional appropriations to the following institutions are required, in order to pay bills now due them for work performed in the month of December, 1901:

New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, County of Richmond.....	\$28 85
Matteawan State Hospital, County of New York.....	3 75
Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes, County of New York.....	2,862 41
<i>New York City.</i>	
New York Mothers' Home of the Sisters of the Misericorde.....	\$93 97
New York Ophthalmic Hospital.....	21 86
Children's Aid Society.....	405 84
Orphan Home, Brooklyn.....	159 35
The Convent of the Sisters of Mercy, in Brooklyn.....	95 00
St. Joseph's Hospital, New York City.....	409 98
St. Zita's Home for Friendless Women.....	155 50
	<u>\$1,341 50</u>

As this amount can be taken from the appropriations of the institutions mentioned below, it is respectfully suggested that you request the honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make a transfer from them as follows:

New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf and Dumb, County of New York.....	\$2,866 16
Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes, County of Richmond.....	\$28 85
New York Infant Asylum, New York City.....	\$1,341 50

Respectfully submitted,

D. C. POTTER, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand eight hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixteen cents (\$2,866.16) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to charitable institutions, for the year 1901, entitled "New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, County of New York," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the said charitable institutions for 1901, entitled and as follows:

Matteawan State Hospital, County of New York.....	\$3 75
Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes, County of New York.....	2,862 41
	<u>\$2,866 16</u>

—the amounts of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand three hundred and forty-one dollars and fifty cents (\$1,341.50) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to charitable institutions for the year 1901, entitled "New York Infant Asylum," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the following appropriations made to charitable institutions for 1901, and as follows:

New York Mothers' Home of the Sisters of Misericorde.....	\$93 97
New York Ophthalmic Hospital.....	21 86
Children's Aid Society.....	405 84
Orphan Home, Brooklyn.....	159 35
The Convent of the Sisters of Mercy in Brooklyn.....	95 00
St. Joseph's Hospital, New York City.....	409 98
St. Zita's Home for Friendless Women.....	155 50
	<u>\$1,341 50</u>

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-eight dollars and eighty-five cents (\$28.85) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to charitable institutions,

for the year 1901, entitled "Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes, County of Richmond," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to charitable institutions for 1901, entitled "New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, County of Richmond," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Aldermen requesting that the sum of \$1,000 be set aside for services of Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to set aside an appropriation of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) to pay for the services of John Maguire as an Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen for the year 1902.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1902, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 25, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Public Charities requesting the transfer of \$307.48 to "Alterations, etc., Borough of Queens, and Clothing for Insane, Borough of Brooklyn," and \$1,263.01 to "Salaries—Burial of Pauper Dead, etc., Borough of Queens."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
SECRETARY'S OFFICE, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 24, 1902.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I beg respectfully to request that the sum of \$106.98 be transferred from the appropriation for "Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus" to this Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for the year 1901, to the appropriation for "Supplies for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens," 1901, the same being insufficient; also that the sum of \$200.50 be transferred from the appropriation for "Clothing for Insane Patients" for this Department for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens for 1901 to the appropriation for "Supplies" for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens for 1901, the same being insufficient.

I beg further to request that the following balances in the appropriations to this Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for the year 1901, namely:

Salaries.....	\$213 53
Burial of pauper dead.....	155 75
New ambulances, horses, harness and repairs.....	293 79
Repairs, etc., to Homeopathic Hospital.....	600 00
—be transferred to the appropriation "Donations to Grand Army Veterans," to this Department for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, 1901, the same being insufficient.	

Yours respectfully,

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of three hundred and seven dollars and forty-eight cents (\$307.48) be and hereby is transferred from the following appropriations made to the Department of Public Charities, for the year 1901, and as follows:

"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus".....	\$106 98
"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Clothing for Insane Patients"....	200 50
	<u>\$307 48</u>

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled, "Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Supplies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and seven cents (\$1,263.07) be and hereby is transferred from the following appropriations made to the Department of Public Charities, for the year 1901, and as follows:

"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Salaries".....	\$213 53
"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Burial of Pauper Dead".....	155 75
"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs".....	293 79
"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Repairs, Alterations and Equipping of the Homeopathic Hospital".....	600 00
	<u>\$1,263 07</u>

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled "Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Donations to Grand Army Veterans," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Aldermen, setting aside two rooms in the City Hall for the Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Resolved, That the two rooms on the main floor of the City Hall heretofore and recently occupied by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen be and the same are hereby set aside and assigned to the use of his Honor the Mayor and the Clerks and attaches of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the westerly room to be for use by the former, and the one next adjoining easterly thereto to be for use by the latter.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1902, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 11, 1902, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The Mayor moved that when this Board adjourns it do so to meet on Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing the matter of the debt limit, referred to in the report of the Comptroller, this day presented.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and



the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented communications from the Department of Parks, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, requesting an appropriation for improvements in various parks in the said boroughs.

Which were laid over.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated February 18, 1902, submitting copy of Contract No. 726, for furnishing and delivering steam fittings, tools, etc., also a report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance in relation thereto.

Which was laid over for one week.

The Secretary presented a communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated February 25, 1902, in relation to the matter of widening Third avenue, between Sixtieth street and the Shore road, in the Borough of Brooklyn; also a communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated February 27, 1902, stating that the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the said matter were filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on September 25, 1899.

Which were referred to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Department of Public Charities, dated February 24, 1902, requesting the transfer of \$3,605 to the appropriation "Burial of Veterans," Borough of Brooklyn and Queens, for 1891.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1902

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners in the matter of acquiring title to two public places lying southerly and northerly of East One Hundred and Seventieth street, and bounded by Macomb's road and Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated December 27, 1901, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on January 2, 1902.

The title to the lands taken vested in the City on May 31, 1899.

Total awards.....	\$22,613 61
Costs.....	2,118 07

Total .....	\$24,731 68
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Under the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted on the 7th day of November, 1901, the entire cost of the proceeding shall be borne and paid by The City of New York and Corporate Stock amounting to twenty-four thousand and seven hundred and thirty-one dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$24,731.68) should be issued pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Charter.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of twenty-four thousand seven hundred and thirty-one dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$24,731.68), the proceeds whereof to be applied to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings, for the expense incurred by the city in the matter of acquiring title to two public places lying southerly and northerly of East One Hundred and Seventieth street, and bounded by Macomb's road and Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 28, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of acquiring title to lands required for the opening, widening and extending of One Hundred and Tenth street from the Circle at Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue, and that part of the westerly side of Lenox avenue between One Hundred and Tenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, was confirmed in all respects, except as to the awards for damage Nos. 34 and 35, by an order of the Supreme Court dated January 9, 1902, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on January 11, 1902.

The title to the lands acquired in said proceeding became vested in The City of New York on July 2, 1900.

The total amount of awards confirmed is.....	\$561,975 00
Amount of interest on above awards as included in report of Commissioners.....	50,390 42
Amount of taxed costs.....	10,836 66
Amount of extra allowances as taxed by Supreme Court.....	1,500 00

Total.....	\$624,702 08
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Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Public Improvements adopted on the 9th day of October, 1901, the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, and Corporate Stock to the amount of six hundred and twenty-four thousand seven hundred and two dollars and eight cents (\$624,702.08) should be issued for the purpose of paying the awards confirmed, etc., pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Charter.

The following resolution is submitted for that purpose.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and twenty-four thousand, seven hundred and two dollars and eight cents (\$624,702.08), the proceeds whereof to be applied to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings, for the expense incurred by the city in paying the awards confirmed, taxed costs, etc., in the matter of opening, widening and extending One Hundred and Tenth street from the Circle at Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue, and that part of the westerly side of Lenox ave-

nue between One Hundred and Tenth street and Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 28, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Exterior street, in the Twenty-third Ward, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 3, 1902, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, January 10, 1902.

The title to the lands taken in the above proceedings became vested in the city September 1, 1896.

The total amount of awards is.....	\$105,990 60
Taxed costs .....	4,926 67
Additional costs .....	616 83

Total .....	\$111,534 10
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Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Public Improvements adopted June 13, 1900, one-third of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding is to be borne and paid by The City of New York; and Corporate Stock amounting to thirty-seven thousand one hundred and seventy-eight dollars and three cents (\$37,178.03) should be issued, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Charter.

The following resolution is submitted for that purpose.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of thirty-seven thousand one hundred and seventy-eight dollars and three cents (\$37,178.03), the proceeds whereof to be applied to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings for the expense incurred by the city in the matter of opening East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Exterior street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 28, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the final report of the Commissioners in the matter of opening a public place bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Courtlandt avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and the New York and Harlem River Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated December 2, 1901, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on December 5, 1901.

The title to the lands taken vested in the city on August 18, 1896.

Amount of awards.....	\$69,093 00
Taxed costs.....	2,111 71
Additional taxed costs.....	992 89

Total .....	\$72,197 60
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Under the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Public Improvements adopted on the 6th day of September, 1899, two-thirds of the cost of the proceeding shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, and Corporate Stock amounting to forty-eight thousand one hundred and thirty-one dollars and seventy-three cents (\$48,131.73) should be issued, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Charter.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of forty-eight thousand one hundred and thirty-one dollars and seventy-three cents (\$48,131.73), the proceeds whereof to be applied to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings, for the expense incurred by the city in the matter of opening a public place bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Courtlandt avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the departments or offices of the City government who have not yet filed their Departmental Estimates be notified that such estimates must be filed immediately in order to receive the consideration of this Board in the making up of the new budget.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That hereafter the meetings of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be held on Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Mayor presented a communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated February 27, 1902, in relation to the opening of Eleventh avenue, between Fifteenth street and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and request-



ing this Board to direct that title to said street be vested in The City of New York pursuant to section 900 of the Greater New York Charter.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Mayor presented a communication from D. S. Veitch, dated February 27, 1902, protesting against the taking by the city of property situated on the south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, west of Broadway, for the Riverside drive and parkway.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Mayor presented the following:

BOARD OF ELECTIONS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
GENERAL OFFICE, No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 27, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

SIR—By direction of the Board of Elections an invitation is hereby extended to the members of your Honorable Board to visit our headquarters office, No. 301 Mott street, third floor (entrance No. 300 Mulberry street), at any day and hour during the ensuing week that may be convenient, for the purpose of inspecting the operation of two voting machines that have been placed there on exhibition, with a view ultimately of having voting machines adopted and utilized at elections to be held in this city.

The Board would be glad to receive a notice of two days in advance of any intention to call, stating the day and hour.

Respectfully,

JOHN R. VOORHIS, President.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment advise the Board of Elections that it is impossible for the Board to visit No. 300 Mulberry street for the purpose of inspecting voting machines in a body, but that the members may individually avail themselves of the opportunity to call and inspect the machines and will notify the Board of Elections before doing so.

Which was adopted.

The President of the Borough of Queens offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 386, chapter 466, of the Laws of 1901, the President of the Borough of Queens is hereby authorized to employ a Consulting Engineer of Public Works, at such times as the public interests may require, and at such proper compensation as the particular work upon which he is employed requires.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond—15. The President of the Borough of The Bronx not voting.

The President of the Borough of Queens moved that this Board do now adjourn.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

#### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

MINUTES BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1902.

The Board met for the purpose of considering the Comptroller's statement in regard to the city's debt, presented at a meeting held February 28, 1902, and in pursuance of the following communication addressed to the members of the Board:

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
NEW YORK, March 3, 1902.

SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to notify you that there will be a special meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering an application of the Department of Street Cleaning for an issue of revenue bonds to the amount of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000) to meet the cost of the removal of snow and ice.

You will note that this meeting in no way conflicts with the special meeting to be held in accordance with the resolution passed February 28, 1902, to consider the Comptroller's communication relative to the City Debt.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Present—Seth Low, the Mayor; Edward M. Grout, the Comptroller; Chas. V. Fornes, the President of the Board of Aldermen; J. Edward Swanstrom, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; Louis F. Haffen, the President of the Borough of The Bronx; George Cromwell, the President of the Borough of Richmond.

Absent—Jacob A. Cantor, the President of the Borough of Manhattan; Joseph Cassidy, the President of the Borough of Queens.

The reading of the minutes of the meetings held December 19 and 26, 1901; February 7, 14, 21 and 28, 1902, was dispensed with.

The Secretary presented the following:

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

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

SIR—I have to request that the sum of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000) be transferred from the account of "Carting" appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the year 1902, to the appropriation account of "Snow and Ice," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1902, for the reason that the balance remaining in the last-named account is not sufficient to meet the emergency of the last fall of snow.

I also have to request that, in accordance with the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized and directed to issue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000), the proceeds thereof to be used for the restoration to the account of "Carting" of the amount temporarily transferred therefrom, as requested above.

Respectfully,

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following resolutions were offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1902, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx: Carting," to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1902, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx: Removal of Snow and Ice"; and

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000), redeemable from the tax levy the year succeeding the year of

their issue, the proceeds of which shall be applied to refund to said appropriation the amount hereby transferred therefrom.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—13.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to communicate with each head of a department or office and request a statement of such bond issues as may be required for his Department during the year 1902, with the details of it and full information, in order that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may make up a budget for bond issues for the year.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—13.

On motion the Board adjourned to meet on Friday, March 7, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

March 13, 1902.

In accordance with the requirements of section 284 of the Charter, I transmit herewith, for publication in the "City Record" of March 15, a list of applications received since March 6 for appointment to the position of Patrolman.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

Patrolman.

John Berg, No. 2060 Eighth avenue, Manhattan, Machinist.  
Henry L. Konemann, No. 426 Elton street, Brooklyn, Railroad Conductor.  
Francis Ashenden, No. 1034 Fortieth street, Brooklyn, Fireman.  
John C. Uminger, No. 83 Madison street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
William F. Egan, No. 54 New Chambers street, Manhattan, Printer.  
Edward Harrison, No. 1287 Second avenue, Manhattan, Tilelayer.  
James J. Kelly, No. 157 East Eighty-first street, Manhattan, Collector.  
Fred J. Bissinger, No. 335 West Thirty-seventh street, Manhattan, United States Sailor.  
John J. Simonson, No. 74 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Manhattan, Awning Maker.  
Patrick H. Kehoe, No. 425 Third avenue, Manhattan, Superintendent.  
Thomas F. Smith, No. 424 Henry street, Brooklyn, Butcher.  
Thomas Quirk, No. 423 East Sixty-ninth street, Manhattan, Machinist.  
William J. Brennan, No. 535 East Eighty-eighth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
Benjamin Mallan, No. 158 West One Hundred and Fifth street, Clerk.  
Ferdinand Trpisovsky, No. 536 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan, Railroad Conductor.  
James Joseph Collins, No. 216 East Seventy-seventh street, Manhattan, Laborer.  
Paul Kingston, No. 27 Manhattan street, Manhattan, Motorman.  
Harry Strauss, No. 587 Lexington avenue, Manhattan, Clerk.  
James Lyons, No. 418 East Seventy-ninth street, Manhattan, Salesman.  
James John Thompson, No. 69 McKeon street, Stapleton, Richmond, Engineer.  
Edward Pearson Spalding, No. 131 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, Manhattan, Musician.  
Bernard J. Higgins, No. 334 Van Brunt street, Brooklyn, Railroad Conductor.  
John J. Bower, No. 107 East Eighty-sixth street, Manhattan, Driver.  
John Loughran, No. 519 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Manhattan, Stonecutter.  
James Lynch, No. 449 West Fortieth street, Manhattan, Grocer.  
Joseph Murphy Pearson, No. 322 East Twenty-seventh street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
John Flick, No. 205 Huntington street, Brooklyn, Trainman.  
Orville L. Clark, No. 111 East Forty-sixth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
William L. Kirchmer, No. 304 Stagg street, Brooklyn, Machinist.  
Charles A. Isaacson, No. 1339 Prospect place, Brooklyn, Carpenter.  
Conrad H. Brown, Lafayette street, Unionport, Bronx, United States Soldier.  
Otto Martin Parson, No. 68 West street, Manhattan, Seaman.  
Hugo F. Arrigoni, No. 106 McDougall street, Brooklyn, Importer.  
Charles Schaubert, No. 300 St. Ann's avenue, Bronx, Cooper.  
Alfred J. Roser, No. 170 Seventh avenue, Brooklyn, Clerk.  
Charles J. Beckingham, No. 42 East Twenty-ninth street, Manhattan, Hallman.  
Joseph P. Haugh, No. 110 East Ninetieth street, Manhattan, Porter.  
John F. Elliott, No. 244 East One Hundred and Sixth street, Manhattan, Fireman.  
Louis F. Dittmann, No. 139 East Nineteenth street, Manhattan, Salesman.  
Patrick F. Henley, No. 96 North Eighth street, Manhattan, Porter.  
James T. Carroll, No. 505 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan, Sounder.  
William H. Fordham, No. 225 East Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
Alexander Knerim, No. 309 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Manhattan, Iron Worker.  
John G. Weckesle, No. 238 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
George Steinruck, No. 1006 Gates avenue, Brooklyn, Clerk.  
Otto B. Horak, No. 449 East Seventy-eighth street, Manhattan, Motorman.  
John Horan, No. 696 Ninth avenue, Manhattan, Paver.  
William M. O'Brien, No. 2126 East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Bronx, Plumber.  
John Rudolph, Stapleton, Richmond, Clerk.  
Charles G. L. Burman, No. 181 Marion street, Brooklyn, Coachman.  
Albert W. Peters, No. 894 Tinton avenue, Bronx, Driver.  
Wilton Kane, No. 389 East Fourth street, Manhattan, Decorator.  
Frank W. Krug, No. 446 West Forty-eighth street, Manhattan, Ice Dealer.  
William J. Junior, No. 538 West Thirty-ninth street, Manhattan, Sailor.  
George M. Lampert, No. 605 Hart street, Brooklyn, Clerk.  
Thomas C. Cruger, No. 164 St. Nicholas avenue, Brooklyn, Porter.  
Denis F. Shaw, No. 2238 Fifth avenue, Manhattan, United States Soldier.  
John W. Smith, No. 863 Grand street, Brooklyn, Railroad Conductor.  
Leo W. Heiman, No. 338 East Sixty-ninth street, Manhattan, Butcher.  
Edward J. Sullivan, No. 516 East Eighteenth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
Charles R. Rice, One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Manhattan, United States Soldier.  
Charles Sold, No. 1016 First avenue, Manhattan, Driver.  
Harry C. Perry, No. 15 Hamilton street, Manhattan, Salesman.  
Cornelius J. Burns, No. 26 Van Brunt street, Brooklyn, Butcher.  
James Patrick Lannon, Vernon avenue and Thirty-fourth street, Brooklyn, Stonecutter.  
James McGuire, No. 129 Classon avenue, Brooklyn, Stonecutter.  
Charles J. O'Neill, No. 110 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Manhattan, Draughtsman.  
James Connaughton, No. 246 East Seventy-fifth street, Manhattan, Motorman.  
John J. Sheehy, No. 579 Washington street, Manhattan, Driver.  
Edward Florenz, No. 1744 Madison avenue, Manhattan, Plumber.  
Michael J. Haynes, No. 943 Pacific street, Brooklyn, United States Sailor.  
William H. Jerico, Jr., No. 184 Classon avenue, Brooklyn, Bath Attendant.  
John E. Connolly, Jr., No. 2742 Creston avenue, Bronx, Milk Dealer.  
Henry J. Smith, No. 302 West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Manhattan, Driver.  
William C. Wagner Jr., No. 759 Tenth avenue, Manhattan, Clerk.  
Patrick J. Hannan, No. 142 Thirty-first street, Brooklyn, Plumber.  
James L. Bresnan, No. 508 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan, Carpenter.  
James J. Englehardt, No. 114 Java street, Brooklyn, Penmaker.  
Nicholas F. George, No. 174 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Manhattan, Driver.  
John Mubein, Jr., Fourth street, Westchester, Bronx, Plumber.



William J. Lawler, No. 246 East Thirty-fifth street, Manhattan, Undertaker.  
 Rudolph Fesing, No. 343 East Tenth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 Thomas W. Numley, Rosebank, Richmond, Bookkeeper.  
 James J. Lynch, No. 458 Third avenue, Manhattan, Salesman.  
 Walter M. O'Connor, No. 137 North Eighth street, Brooklyn, Painter.  
 Theodore C. Koerner, No. 505 East Sixteenth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 Thomas F. Carmody, No. 62 Jane street, Manhattan, Laborer.  
 Patrick Reilly, No. 240 East Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan, Porter.  
 William Edelmann, No. 1507 Avenue A, Manhattan, Painter.  
 Joseph Licht, No. 61 Middleton street, Brooklyn, Driver.  
 Michael J. Kelly, No. 310 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Manhattan, Agent.  
 Arthur J. Boyd, No. 1546 Pacific street, Brooklyn, Salesman.  
 John Rinklin, No. 753 Metropolitan avenue, Brooklyn, Salesman.  
 James J. Bremick, No. 660 Tenth avenue, Manhattan, Marble Setter.  
 William Adam McTieman, No. 82 Pike street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 George Francis Maloney, No. 151 Douglas street, Brooklyn, Foreman.  
 Richard Laurence Sanguinetto, Surf avenue, Brooklyn, Carpenter.  
 James J. McGann, No. 39 North Eighth street, Brooklyn, Laborer.  
 John H. Lynch, No. 252 Tenth avenue, Manhattan, Driver.  
 Stephen J. Finnegan, No. 120 Washington street, Poughkeepsie, Painter.  
 Henry A. Buehler, No. 139 Dupont street, Brooklyn, Machinist.  
 Harry Simon, No. 278 Grand street, Manhattan, Lithographer.  
 William Harry Helmus, No. 343 East Fifty-second street, Manhattan, Plumber.  
 Sigmund Lipscher, No. 150 East One Hundred and Third street, Manhattan, Fruit Dealer.  
 Thomas E. McMahon, No. 29 West Twentieth street, Manhattan, Restaurant Keeper.  
 Thomas Quinn, No. 75 Vernon avenue, Long Island City, Queens, Salesman.  
 Robert E. MacDonald, No. 683 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Bronx, Electrician.  
 John A. McIlhargy, No. 102 East Ninety-eighth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 Charles J. Knoepfel, No. 827 Westchester avenue, Bronx, Detective.  
 Thomas Heffron, No. 65 Fourth street, Long Island City, Queens, Ink Grinder.  
 Thomas J. Doyle, No. 630 Second avenue, Manhattan, Porter.  
 John J. Lavin, No. 154 Pulaski street, Brooklyn, Motorman.  
 Richard H. Ropke, No. 1996 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Electrician.  
 Walter W. Dodd, No. 386 South Fourth street, Brooklyn, Clerk.  
 Edward M. Meder, No. 214 East Twelfth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 Charles S. A. Robb, No. 304 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan, Driver.  
 Charles A. Kleinfelder, No. 1215 Degraw street, Brooklyn, United States Soldier.  
 Edward J. Murray, No. 29 Lincoln place, Brooklyn, Motorman.  
 John E. Fitzpatrick, No. 119 East Forty-sixth street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 Joseph F. Toumey, No. 1163 Washington avenue, Manhattan, Plumber.  
 Joseph J. Grady, No. 622 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Bronx, Driver.  
 Harry A. O'Neill, No. 41 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn, Brakeman.  
 Peter McCormick, No. 159 Amity street, Flushing, Queens, Driver.  
 Herbert H. Wills, No. 222 Jackson street, Brooklyn, Plumber.  
 Christian F. Liebfried, No. 149 Ainslie street, Brooklyn, Brass Finisher.  
 Hiram Chandler, No. 2638 Marion street, Bronx, Clerk.  
 Frederick H. Wolfe, No. 79 Drew avenue, Brooklyn, Habit Maker.  
 Henry John Simmon, No. 313 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan, Awning Maker.  
 Louis G. Gebhardt, No. 994 First avenue, Manhattan, Steam Fitter.  
 George J. Frisch, No. 600 West Forty-eighth street, Manhattan, Driver.  
 Frank C. Moetter, No. 1431 Avenue A, Manhattan, Painter.  
 Abraham Pixton, No. 144 Floyd street, Brooklyn, Porter.  
 Frank P. McGinty, No. 437 West Fifty-sixth street, Manhattan, Laborer.  
 Michael M. Cohen, No. 318 Cherry street, Manhattan, Driver.  
 William J. Flynn, No. 26 Water street, Manhattan, Laborer.  
 John Morris, No. 252 Sixth street, Brooklyn, Bartender.  
 Frederick Horn, Jr., No. 504 Marcy avenue, Brooklyn, Newsdealer.  
 Edward F. Giblin, No. 135 Bay Twenty-eighth street, Brooklyn, Clerk.  
 Louis Haus, No. 1427 Madison avenue, Manhattan, Foreman.  
 Frank J. Carragher, No. 130 West Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan, Clerk.  
 Bernard Hall, No. 457 Washington street, Manhattan, Laborer.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

New York, February 19, 1902.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.  
 Present—Ernst J. Lederle, Ph. D., President; Alvah H. Doty, Mr. D., the Health Officer of the Port; John N. Partridge, Police Commissioner.  
 The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.  
 The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

J. Warren Mead, Agent and Warden	\$94 82	R. H. Macy & Co.	7 52
S. Roebuck Company	6 82	R. M. Outwater	6 50
Page, Dennis & Co.	5 00	R. H. Macy & Co.	5 27
Emil Greiner	29 86	Schieffelin & Co.	6 50
Martin B. Brown Company	14 85	P. F. Kenny	20 00
Eimer & Amend	130 24	American Ice Company	55 88
Schieffelin & Co.	180 00	George Tiemann & Co.	42 00
R. M. Outwater	22 65	R. H. Macy & Co.	219 41
Keuffel & Esser Co.	375 18	Seabury & Johnson	3 68
R. M. Outwater	42 75	J. Warren Mead, Agent and Warden	15 55
James T. Dougherty	1 90	New York Roll Wrapping Paper Company	6 78
Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co.	16 00	Armstrong Cork Company	18 00
Thomas Hagan	348 00	James T. Dougherty	92 40
Cardeza, Gilliams & Co.	57 55	G. E. Stechert	8 00
Otis Elevator Company	23 00	Revere Rubber Co.	2 03
James Reilly Repair & Supply Co.	200 00	Carroll Box & Lumber Company	3 60
American Ice Company	5 00	George Tiemann & Co.	24 00
R. H. Macy & Co.	583 92	Whitall, Tatum Company	12 50
William Rabe	50 00	The Hawley Box Co.	16 80
F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co.	107 98	R. H. Macy & Co.	25 73
Schieffelin & Co.	99 17	William Rabe	46 66
Seabury & Johnson	8 16	Emil Greiner	22 12
James T. Dougherty	451 65	Eimer & Amend	1 75
Emil Greiner	156 55	L. Straus & Sons	51 92
Morris Building Company	123 00	Ernst Leitz	1 50
Eimer & Amend	63 97	Schieffelin & Co.	6 00
Ernst Leitz	929 50	Seabury & Johnson	11 70
		McKesson & Robbins	7 80

1st. Communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel, recommending the discontinuance of the suits named in his report.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to discontinue without costs the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code and of the Health Laws, the Inspector having reported the order therein complied with, or the nuisance complained of abated, a permit having been granted or violations removed, or the order rescinded, to wit:

Names.	No.	Names.	No.
Adler, Samuel	983	Tracey, Richard S.	1291
Fitzsimons, James	1123	Koransky, Samuel	1293
Youngentob, Solomon	1125	Rosendorf, Charles	1300
Adler, Henry	1132	Levine, Harris	1302
Spencer, Lorillard	1185	Sabilla, Paul	1314
Batton, Jesse	1189	Jurkovitz, Morris	1341
Gordon, Harris	1205	Wiebke, Herman	1345
Carter, George	1207	Rikani, Fares	1361
Gutfreund, Joseph	1210	Detken, Charles	1369
Salish, Sarah	1280	Byrne, Thomas	1375
Meyer, Mary	1285	Noll, Conrad	1401
Campner, Elias	1286	Levigine, Joseph	1411

### SANITARY BUREAU.

The following communications were received from the Sanitary Superintendent:  
 1st. Weekly reports of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.  
 2d. Weekly reports from the Willard Parker, Reception, Riverside and Kingston Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file.  
 3d. Report on changes in the hospital service.  
 On motion, it was  
 Resolved, That the following changes in the hospital service be and are hereby approved:

Willard Parker Hospital.			
Mary Brock	Domestic (Ward Helper)	\$168 00	Resigned Feb. 13, 1902
Lizzie Barlow	"	168 00	Appointed Feb. 14, 1902
John J. Gorman	Driver	720 00	" Feb. 8, 1902
Riverside Hospital.			
May Hammond	Domestic (Ward Helper)	168 00	Resigned Feb. 12, 1902
Annie Carey	"	168 00	" Feb. 13, 1902
Cecelia Howine	Domestic (Chambermaid)	168 00	" Feb. 15, 1902
Louise E. Bentley	Nurse	420 00	" Feb. 15, 1902
Maggie Carroll	Domestic (Ward Helper)	168 00	Appointed Feb. 12, 1902
Sarah Wonderly	"	168 00	" Feb. 11, 1902
Esther Lynch	"	168 00	" Feb. 12, 1902
Cecelia Howine	Domestic (Chambermaid)	168 00	" Feb. 14, 1902
Kingston Avenue Hospital.			
Kathryn Lewis	Nurse	360 00	Resigned Feb. 14, 1902
Pauline Oakley	"	420 00	Salary increased Feb. 14, 1902
Margaret Supple	"	420 00	Salary increased Feb. 14, 1902

4th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Joseph H. Gibbons, February 24, 1902.

5th. Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement houses:

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following apartments in tenement houses in The City of New York are so overcrowded that less than one hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses:

It is ordered that the number of occupants in said apartments be and are hereby reduced as follows:

No. of Order.	On Premises.	Location of Room.	Occupants.	Adults.	Children.
1794	No. 4 Bayard street	6th floor, w. s.	Rosario Larrey	7	4
1795	No. 85 Allen street	5th floor, s.	Harris Frank	4	4

6th. Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at No. 54 Seventh street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 54 Seventh street, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and draining thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises, which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 54 Seventh street, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, be required to vacate said building on or before February 26, 1902, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And, further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent.

7th. Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded, for the reason that the causes for the same have been removed:

### Vacations.

#### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Astoria avenue, Maspeth, 276.

8th. Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:

### Granted.

No. 142. To keep a lodging house for 250 lodgers at No. 173 Park row.  
 748. To keep one cow at Two Hundred and Sixteenth street and Bolton road, Inwood.

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

13758. To board and care for two children at No. 719 East One Hundred and Fifty-third street.

13759. To board and care for two children at No. 717 East One Hundred and Fifty-third street.

13760. To keep one goat at No. 459 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

13761. To keep two goats at Park avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

13762. To keep twenty chickens at No. 608 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.

Reports on application for store and wagon permits for the sale and delivery of milk in The City of New York.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following permits for the sale and delivery of milk in The City of New York be and the same are hereby granted:

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

### Stores.

No. 667.	No. 616 Eleventh avenue.	7130.	No. 135 Madison street.
260.	No. 248 East Third street.	7181.	No. 212 East Nineteenth street.
352.	No. 1656 Amsterdam avenue.	7396.	No. 21 Avenue C.
416.	No. 135 Forsyth street.	7527.	No. 522 East Thirteenth street.
423.	No. 1312 Third avenue.	7528.	No. 186 West End avenue.
1328.	No. 402 East Eleventh street.	7927.	No. 184 Forsyth street.
2962.	No. 926 Columbus avenue.	7951.	No. 42 Stanton street.
5154.	No. 149 Norfolk street.	8026.	No. 1740 Amsterdam avenue.
6128.	No. 229 Elizabeth street.	8349.	No. 517 East Thirteenth street.
6340.	No. 1847 First avenue.	8489.	No. 390 East Tenth street.
6513.	No. 2737 Broadway.	8747.	No. 385 East Tenth street.
6543.	No. 9 Christopher street.	9024.	No. 2651 Broadway.
6619.	No. 242 Clinton street.	9104.	No. 250 First avenue.
6959.	No. 24 Gouverneur street.	9172.	No. 100 West Ninety-seventh street.



9222. No. 1404 Second avenue.  
 9279. No. 15 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.  
 9491. No. 805 Columbus avenue.  
 9743. No. 846 Columbus avenue.

## Wagons.

2608. Nos. 213-217 West Eighty-fourth street.  
 2609. Nos. 213-217 West Eighty-fourth street.  
 2610. Nos. 213-217 West Eighty-fourth street.  
 2611. Nos. 213-217 West Eighty-fourth street.  
 2612. Nos. 213-217 West Eighty-fourth street.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

## Wagons.

No. Location. No. Location.  
 203. No. 699 Union avenue. 204. No. 665 East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street.

## Stores.

364. No. 2675 Third avenue.  
 471. No. 504 Bergen avenue.  
 551. No. 548 Brook avenue.  
 606. No. 647 St. Ann's avenue.  
 694. No. 777 East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.  
 712. No. 744 Wendover avenue.  
 713. No. 939 Tremont avenue.  
 715. No. 3872 Third avenue.  
 722. No. 456 Willis avenue.  
 804. No. 919 Brook avenue.  
 844. No. 1159 East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.  
 853. No. 1007 Dawson street.  
 875. No. 2895 Third avenue.  
 909. No. 605 Wales avenue.  
 920. No. 1336 Prospect avenue.  
 928. No. 3074 Park avenue.  
 929. No. 1018 East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.  
 931. No. 1864 Bathgate avenue.  
 932. No. 2 Beekman avenue.  
 933. No. 1531 Brook avenue.  
 945. Union avenue, near West Farms Road, Westchester.  
 946. West Farms road, near Union avenue, Westchester.  
 947. No. 1487 Brook avenue.  
 950. No. 1067 East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.  
 957. No. 1336 Prospect avenue.  
 958. Northwest corner Tremont and Clinton avenues.  
 959. No. 3808 Third avenue.  
 960. No. 1150 Home street.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No.	Business Matter or Thing Revoked.	On Premises At—
4217.	To sell and deliver milk at.	No. 111 Lewis street.
260.	"	No. 767 Amsterdam avenue.
352.	"	No. 68 Willett street.
416.	"	No. 33 1/2 Stanton street.
423.	"	No. 63 Willett street.
1328.	"	No. 402 East Eleventh street.
2962.	"	No. 2084 Eighth avenue.
5154.	"	No. 743 Amsterdam avenue.
6128.	"	No. 1027 First avenue.
6340.	"	No. 108 Goerck street.
6513.	"	No. 520 Columbus avenue.
6543.	"	No. 9 Christopher street.
6619.	"	No. 1000 Third avenue.
6959.	"	No. 15 Spring street.
7130.	"	No. 854 Amsterdam avenue.
7181.	"	No. 956 Amsterdam avenue.
7396.	"	No. 327 East Thirty-fourth street.
7527.	"	No. 532 East Thirteenth street.
7528.	"	No. 42 Bradhurst avenue.
7927.	"	No. 1335 Second avenue.
7951.	"	No. 42 Stanton street.
8026.	"	No. 186 Norfolk street.
8349.	"	No. 53 East One Hundred and Sixth street.
8480.	"	No. 2058 Seventh avenue.
8747.	"	No. 1524 Second avenue.
9024.	"	No. 111 Monroe street.
9104.	"	No. 26 East One Hundred and Fourth street.
9172.	"	No. 424 East Thirteenth street.
9222.	"	No. 108 Madison street.
9279.	"	No. 320 Cherry street.
9491.	"	No. 162 East One Hundred and Tenth street.
9743.	"	No. 56 Henry street.
9888.	"	No. 349 East Eighty-second street.
10412.	"	Nos. 227-229 East Third street.
11334.	"	No. 89 Amsterdam avenue.
11396.	"	No. 648 Ninth avenue.
11893.	"	No. 408 East Tenth street.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

13695. To conduct a poultry slaughter house at Johnson avenue and Bogart street.  
 9th. Reports on applications for relief from orders.  
 On motion, it was  
 Resolved, That the following orders be extended, modified or rescinded, as follows:

## Granted.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.  
 1043. No. 59 Vandam street, modified so as not to require the removal of the carpet on the stairs, provided it be thoroughly cleaned.  
 1819. No. 428 East Fourteenth street, extended to February 20, 1902.  
 2004. Seventy-fourth street and Central Park West (San Remo), extended to February 24, 1902.  
 2023. No. 403 West Fifty-sixth street, extended to March 15, 1902.  
 2027. No. 181 William street modified so as not to require the provision of new water closets on the second floor.  
 2121. No. 368 Canal street, extended to March 10, 1902.  
 2408. No. 237 Third avenue, extended to March 1, 1902.  
 28315. No. 106 Eighth avenue, extended to March 17, 1902.  
 34341. No. 254 East Forty-eighth street, extended to March 18, 1902, on that portion of order requiring new water closets, provided the balance of the order be complied with at once.

## Rescinded.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. Location. No. Location.  
 1395. No. 100 Fulton street. 25842. No. 511 West One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.  
 2039. No. 186 West Broadway. 30345. No. 493 Pearl street.  
 2200. No. 110 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. 31461. No. 225 West Sixty-second street.  
 2570. No. 170 Allen street. 31462. No. 229 West Sixty-first street.  
 34598. Nos. 9-11 Hester street.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. Location. No. Location.  
 230. No. 1036 East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street. 1823. No. 1400 Stebbins avenue.  
 1063. Perry avenue and Two Hundred and Tenth street. 2026. Carter avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.  
 1710. Jefferson avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street. 2028. Clinton and Tremont avenues.  
 1792. One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Third avenue. 2176. Decatur avenue and Two Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.  
 2407. No. 4372 Third avenue.

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

No. Location. No. Location.  
 195. Covert street, fourth house west of Cypress avenue, Evergreen. 667. Debevoise avenue, near Flushing, Long Island City.  
 276. Astoria avenue, Maspeth.

On motion, it was  
 Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. Location. No. Location.  
 380. No. 539 West Forty-ninth street. 1826. No. 133 Washington place.  
 611. No. 378 Bleecker street. 1899. No. 642 East Eleventh street.  
 1306. No. 334 West Thirty-sixth street. 2201. No. 114 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
 1588. No. 335 East Fifty-ninth street. 27648. Nos. 15-17 East Third street.  
 1608. No. 2110 Amsterdam avenue. 31386. No. 290 Elizabeth street.  
 1610. No. 201 Broadway. 35783. No. 37 West Thirty-ninth street.  
 1768. No. 1357 Avenue A.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. Location. No. Location.  
 130. Southeast corner Simpson and Freeman streets. 289. No. 417 Willis avenue.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

1st. Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Manhattan. Ordered on file.

## Division of Inspections.

2d. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector:

- (a) Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police.
- (b) Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps.
- (c) Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil dumps.

Ordered on file.

3d. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Bryce Mars, February 17, 1902.

Peter Verhoeven, February 17, 1902.

Russell Raynor, February 25, 1902.

4th. Report of violations of section 63 of the Sanitary Code.

The Secretary was directed to notify the persons named in said report that a repetition of the offense will be sufficient cause for the revocation of their permits.

5th. Report of inspection of Barren Island. Ordered on file.

## Division of Contagious Diseases.

6th. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector:

(a) Monthly reports of charitable institutions. Ordered on file.

7th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

J. J. Cronin, M. D., from February 1 to 12, 1902.

E. L. Rose, M. D., from February 4 to 8, 1902.

J. Milton Williams, M. D., from February 6 to 15, 1902.

George Ahern, M. D., February 7 and 8, 1902.

E. F. Hitchcock, M. D., February 7 and 8, 1902.

William J. Mahon, M. D., February 10 and 11, 1902.

B. McGowan, February 17, 1902.

## Division of Bacteriology.

8th. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories. Ordered on file.

9th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Martha Reynolds, February 6 and 7, 1902.

Mary A. Chancellor, February 7, 11 and 13, 1902.

Rose A. Brady, February 11, 1902.

Frances LeStrange, February 13, 1902.

C. J. Tyson, February 17, 1902.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of The Bronx. Ordered on file.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, upon the report of the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of this Department for the Borough of The Bronx, that the applications of the following named persons to conduct scavenger business meet the requirements of the Department of Health, the Board respectfully recommends that licenses be granted:

Joseph Lutz, No. 627 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

John Pilling, Bronxdale.

Joseph Canepi, No. 127 School street, Yonkers, N. Y.

Adam Martin, No. 307 Locust avenue, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

John J. Scully, Cornell avenue, Westchester.

Report in respect to condition of vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, beginning at No. 435, and extending 80 feet west.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Clinton in respect to the condition of vacant lots on the north side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, beginning at No. 435 and extending eighty feet west, be forwarded to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, with the request that said lots be properly fenced.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

1st. Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

2d. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Edson S. Chick, M. D., from January 15 to February 11, 1902.

George W. Gifford, from February 3 to 10, 1902.

Francis E. Morgan, from February 2 to 10, 1902.

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Queens. Ordered on file.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Richmond. Ordered on file.

## BUREAU OF RECORDS.

The following communications were received from the Registrar of Records:

1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.



A report from the Registrar of Records in respect to belated certificates of death from the Riverside Hospital was received and ordered on file.

2d. Reports on applications to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to record corrected certificates relating to

Francois A. M. Trevoux, married December 30, 1901.

Josef Konrad Marnet, born January 14, 1902.

Jacob Emerich, died February 8, 1902.

George Schuberth, died February 10, 1902.

Margaret Robertson, died January 30, 1901.

George W. Fellows, died February 2, 1902.

Louis Stajer, died February 2, 1902.

Madalene Frances Fledderman, born September 5, 1899.

William H. Ackerman, died June 10, 1901.

John Flynn, died February 6, 1901.

John Redden, died February 11, 1901.

3d. Reports on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the following certificates:

Edward Macan, born February 13, 1890.

Robert Macan, born March 4, 1892.

Giovanni Brancatta, born September 4, 1900.

MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS, COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

The Weekly Statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file.

Report of a regular meeting of the Medical Board of Willard Parker and Riverside Hospitals, held February 11, 1902, was received and, on motion, was approved and ordered on file.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the payrolls of this Department for the month of February be and are hereby approved, and the President and Secretary directed to sign certificates and forward the same to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of February the following amount for the salaries of officers and men detailed to the Board of Health, Borough of Manhattan, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 188, Laws of 1889; chapter 567, Laws of 1895, and sections 299 and 1324 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised, and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit:

1 Roundsman, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... \$125 00

23 Patrolmen, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... 1,683 33

Total..... \$2,808 33

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of February the following amount for the salaries of officers and men detailed to the Board of Health, Borough of the Bronx, pursuant to the provision of chapter 188, Laws of 1889; chapter 567, Laws of 1895, and sections 299 and 1324 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit:

4 Patrolmen, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... \$466 66

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of February the following amount for the salaries of officers and men detailed to the Board of Health, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 188, Laws of 1889; chapter 567, Laws of 1895, and sections 299 and 1324 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit:

1 Roundsman, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... \$125 00

15 Patrolmen, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... 1,750 00

Total..... \$1,875 00

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of February the following amount for the salaries of officers and men detailed to the Board of Health, Borough of Queens, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 188, Laws of 1889; chapter 567, Laws of 1895, and sections 299 and 1324 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit:

3 Patrolmen, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... \$350 00

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of February the following amount for the salaries of officers and men detailed to the Board of Health, Borough of Richmond, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 188, Laws of 1889; chapter 567, Laws of 1895, and sections 299 and 1324 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit:

3 Patrolmen, from February 1 to 28, 1902..... \$350 00

A communication from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the Borough of Brooklyn in respect to transferring the ambulance service from the Department of Health to the Department of Public Charities was received, and the Secretary was directed to forward the same to the Corporation Counsel, recommending that the necessary legislation be obtained to provide for such transfer.

A communication from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the Borough of Brooklyn in respect to Pound Keeper Louis Wiegel issuing permits to take cows through the city, and the Secretary was directed to refer the same to the Corporation Counsel, it being a violation of the Sanitary Code.

A communication was received from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the Borough of Queens, in reference to the refusal of Officers Post and Albrecht, of the Seventy-eighth Precinct, to receive vaccination, and referred to the Police Commissioner.

A communication from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the Borough of Richmond in respect to a diagnostician was received, and ordered on file.

A communication from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the Borough of Richmond in respect to the case of Robert Smith, an Orderly at the Smith Infirmary, was received and ordered on file.

A communication was received from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the Borough of Brooklyn, forwarding application of Samuel Davis to keep and kill poultry at No. 159 Osborn street in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with a communication from one James Moffatt in respect to the same, and the Secretary was directed to notify Mr. Moffatt to submit the brief named in his communication.

A communication was received from the Resident Physician at the Riverside Hospital in respect to the lack of accommodation for nurses, and referred to the President.

A report was received from Assistant Bacteriologist Cabot that the following persons had commenced the Pasteur treatment, and recommending that said patients be charged fifty dollars each for said treatment, which was approved:

German Hopkins, commenced treatment February 3, 1902.

Frank D. Corbey, commenced treatment February 11, 1902.

Florence Short, commenced treatment February 15, 1902.

Dorris Short, commenced treatment February 15, 1902.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen in respect to the erec-

tion of emergency hospital and disinfecting plant in the Borough of Richmond was received and ordered on file.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen in respect to the enforcement of chapter 298 of the Laws of 1881, was received, which was ordered on file.

A hearing was had in respect to Order 1,117 against Stephen Mulvey, of No. 1731 Broadway, Manhattan, that all dogs be removed from the premises, the complainant and one other witness, also Mr. Mulvey, being heard, and, after due consideration by the Board, the Secretary was directed to notify Mr. Mulvey that the barking of dogs on his premises must cease at once, or the order would be enforced.

An opinion was received from Corporation Counsel Rives in respect to the heating of surface cars in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the Secretary was directed to forward a copy of said opinion to the Board of Aldermen, and to respectfully request that the ordinance for the regulating of heating surface cars be amended so as to include the Borough of Brooklyn.

Thomas C. Taylor, M. D., Assistant Registrar of Records, Borough of Manhattan, accompanied by counsel, appeared before the Board to answer charges of incompetency preferred against him, and presented an explanation in writing. The papers in the case were laid on the table for further consideration.

The hearing in respect to the application for permit to operate and maintain a crematory in Long Island City was resumed, and after hearing further evidence on both sides, the application was laid on the table.

The Secretary was directed to request the Police Commissioner to furnish this Department with four (4) additional Patrolmen in the Borough of Manhattan.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following changes in the service of this Department be and are hereby approved, as hereinafter designated:

Name.	Residence.	Official Designation.	Annual Salary.	Borough.	Change.
Henry L. Goodman, M. D.....	No. 1143 Lexington avenue.....	Medical School Inspector (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	Per Mo. \$30 00	Manhattan..	Resigned to date from Feb. 17, 1902.
A. W. Thompson, M. D.....	Pine st., Corona....	Medical School Inspector (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	30 00	Queens.....	Resigned to date from Feb. 14, 1902.
M. Rosentover, M. D.....	No. 181 Stanton st..	Vaccinator.....	100 00 Per An.	Manhattan..	Resigned to date from Feb. 14, 1902.
Edward B. Tiechman.....	No. 527 Fifth ave...	Disinfecter.....	\$780 00	Manhattan..	Transferred to The Bronx from Feb. 18, 1902.
Daniel J. Carey....	No. 216 Nassau st., Brooklyn.....	Laborer.....	624 00	Brooklyn....	Resigned to date from Feb. 17, 1902.
James Murphy.....	No. 113 Charlton st.	Driver.....	780 00 Per Mo.	Manhattan..	Resigned to date from Feb. 12, 1902.
Louis Friedman, M. D.....	No. 287 East Fourth street.....	Medical School Inspector.....	30 00 Per An.	Bronx.....	Resigned to date from Feb. 12, 1902.
Margaret Emerson.	No. 230 East Forty-fifth street.....	Cleaner.....	\$360 00	Manhattan..	Dismissed from Feb. 20, 1902.
Edw. F. Marscheider, M. D..	No. 172 East Eighty-second street.....	Medical School Inspector.....	300 00	Manhattan..	Resigned from Jan. 31, 1902.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and are hereby appointed in this Department, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with designation and salary as follows:

Name.	Residence.	Official Designation.	Annual Salary.	Borough.	Date of Entrance into Service.
Mortimer Denyse..	Stapleton, S. I.....	Junior Clerk.....	\$480 00	Manhattan 2	February 17, 1902.
Henry L. Goodman, M. D.....	No. 1143 Lexington avenue.....	Vaccinator (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	Per Mo. \$100 00	Manhattan .	February 18, 1902.
Arthur W. Thompson, M. D.....	Pine street, Corona, L. I.....	Vaccinator (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	100 00 Per An.	Queens.....	February 15, 1902.
Morris Rosentover, M. D.....	No. 540 Fifth street.	Medical School Inspector.....	\$300 00 Per Mo.	Manhattan .	February 15, 1902.
David E. Alexander, M. D.....	No. 22 West One Hundred and Fifteenth street...	Medical School Inspector (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	\$30 00	Queens.....	February 18, 1902.
Emory M. Wadsworth, M. D.....	No. 60 Brooklyn ave.	Medical School Inspector (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	30 00	Brooklyn...	February 18, 1902.
Joseph B. Mensing.	No. 433 West Forty-ninth street.....	Assistant Disinfecter.....	Per An. \$780 00	Richmond..	February 18, 1902.
Daniel J. Carey....	No. 216 Nassau st..	Assistant Disinfecter.....	780 00	Brooklyn...	February 18, 1902.
James F. Byrne....	No. 237 West Fifteenth street...	Driver.....	720 00 Per Mo.	Manhattan 2	February 18, 1902.
Bunthorne Clerly, M. D.....	No. 256 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street	Medical School Inspector (temporarily appointed until March 1).....	\$30 00	Queens.....	February 20, 1902.
Edward W. Smith.	No. 328 East Thirty-fourth street.....	Driver.....	Per An. \$720 00	Manhattan 2	February 20, 1902.
Mary J. O'Rourke.	No. 1710 Third ave..	Cleaner.....	360 00	Manhattan 4	February 20, 1902.
Thomas de L. Burkhalter, M. D.....	W. P. Hospital.....	Assistant Resident Physician.	1,200 00	Manhattan .	February 20, 1902.
William Richards, M. D.....	No. 219 East Thirteenth street.	Intern.....	Without compensation..	Manhattan .	February 19, 1902 (to serve until December 31).
Mary Keegan.....	No. 44 West Ninety-ninth street.....	Laboratory Attendant.....	Per An. \$420 00	Manhattan .	February 10, 1902.
Edw. F. Marscheider, M. D..	No. 172 East Eighty-second street.....	Vaccinator (temporarily appointed to March 1).....	Per Mo. \$100 00	Manhattan .	February 1, 1902.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM FEBRUARY 10 TO 15, 1902, INCLUSIVE.

New York, February 10, 1902.

Communications received and disposed of:

Filed.

From his Honor the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment relative to sites for apparatus houses.

From Corporation Counsel—Requesting copies of reports of inspection in reference to storage of explosives in connection with the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad, between Thirty-fourth and Forty-second streets, together with names of the Inspectors and copies of all applications for permits and permits issued for the storage of explosives on Fourth avenue, between Thirty-fourth and Forty-second streets. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department and Inspector of Combustibles with directions to prepare the reports and forward them for transmittal.

From Department of Finance—Inclosing copy of claim filed in the Department of Finance by William H. S. Wright for the sum of \$50 alleged to be due for damages caused by the improper erection of a guy wire of the fire alarm system, Borough of Brooklyn. Copy of claim forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner for report.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Eligible list from which to appoint Machinists, Blacksmith and Blacksmith's Helper.



From Hyde & Behman, Managers Folly Theatre, Borough of Brooklyn—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 7th instant.

From Edward F. Albee, General Manager Keith's Amusement Enterprises—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 4th instant.

From Edward Lauterbach, Counsel for the Maurice Grau Opera Company—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 4th instant, and requesting to be informed of the nature and extent of violations alleged to have been committed in the Metropolitan Opera House. Reply communicated and copy of report of violation forwarded.

From Gustav H. Schwab—Acknowledging receipt of favor of the 7th instant, respecting jurisdiction of fireboats over fires in the harbor.

From Frank B. Kelly—Requesting statistics of the Department. Copy of last annual report forwarded.

From Inspector of Combustibles—Forwarding application of Samuel Hodgkinson, Oil Collector, for leave of absence. Approved and granted.

From Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus—Reporting absence without leave of an employee.

2. Reporting quantity of White Star and Conqueror brands of fire hose received at Repair Shops since July 1, 1899, the dates when received and the companies to which it was delivered.

From Deputy Chief of Department in charge boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of investigation of complaint of Mrs. Carroll against a member of the uniformed force. Copy of report forwarded to complainant.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company, for permit to connect certain premises with fire alarm boxes.

2. Recommending that the legal proceedings instituted against the persons in charge of premises Nos. 146-152 Nassau street, Nos. 47-51 Lispenard street, No. 304 East Sixty-first street, and No. 150 Broadway be discontinued for the reason that, upon re-inspection having been made, it was found that the requirements of the department were complied with. Approved and communicated to the Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

3. Transmitting application of the Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company for box numbers, premises No. 114 Sixth avenue and No. 59 West Seventy-sixth street. Approved, with directions to make assignment of numbers.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Inclosing notice from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, of the unsafe condition of premises occupied by the department on block bounded by Washington avenue, West avenue, E and F streets, together with copy of communication from the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, dated July 3, 1901, calling attention to the condition of said building. Notice forwarded to the Buildings Superintendent, with directions to make inspection and report.

2. Inclosing specification for the re-building of a 65-foot Champion water tower. Specification forwarded to the Chief of Construction and Repairs to apparatus for report.

Referred.

From William P. Quinn—Complaining of storage of packing boxes in lot opposite Nos. 27-29 Waverley place. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Anonymous—Complaining of danger of fire premises No. 51 Bedford street. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 8—Reporting defective chimney flue premises No. 120 East Fifty-fifth street. To Fire Marshal.

2. Reporting storage of combustibles premises No. 138 East Fifty-sixth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 21—Reporting chimney fire premises No. 633 Third avenue, on the 9th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 23—Reporting defective chimney flue premises No. 141 West Fifty-third street. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 32—Reporting violation section 769 of the Charter premises Nos. 104-106 John street and No. 11 Platt street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 48—Reporting chimney fire on the 7th instant, premises Crotona avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-ninth and One Hundred and Ninetieth streets. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 53—Reporting defective chimney flue premises No. 1749 Lexington avenue. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 59—Reporting chimney fire on the 5th instant, premises No. 2498 Eighth avenue. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 7—Reporting defective chimney flue premises No. 144 Madison avenue. To Fire Marshal.

Discharged.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Andrew J. Kehoe, Driver, Fire Alarm Telegraph branch, to take effect from this date, by reason of disability.

Appointed.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Michael J. Cosgrove, as Climber, Fire Alarm Telegraph branch, at \$2.50 per day, from February 10, 1902.

New York, February 11, 1902.

Communications received and disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—Returning proposals of A. & C. Ferguson for furnishing forage for use in Borough of Queens, and the Standard Underground Cable Company for furnishing telegraph wire for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, with approval of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties indorsed thereon. Contractors notified.

2. Notice that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon contract of Horace Ingersoll for furnishing forage.

From Chief Examiner, Municipal Civil Service Commission—Requesting further information in relation to the record of John J. Callahan, formerly a member of the Department. Reply communicated.

From Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties—In respect to a judgment recovered against Mrs. Dressner, No. 59 West Twelfth street. Reply communicated.

From Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan—Acknowledging receipt of complaints of violation of the Building Laws.

From the Police Commissioner—Inclosing copy of report of investigation of complaint of Messrs. Fleischman & Company as to the condition of the unoccupied building, No. 144 Perry street.

From Department of Docks—Replying to communication of the 24th ult., relative to request that additional clusters of piles be placed at the south end of pier occupied by the fireboat "The New Yorker" at the Battery. Chief of Department directed to communicate with the Dock Department in relation thereto.

From Arthur J. Hopper—Requesting to be informed of the nature of the requirements of the Department at premises Nos. 17 to 21 State street. Reply communicated.

From Henry C. Meyer—Inclosing application for fire-line badge. Application returned with request to forward the security deposit.

From S. N. Tuckerman—Requesting to be informed whether there are any violations on file against premises No. 222 East One Hundred and Twelfth street. Reply communicated.

From John R. Waters—Calling attention to conditions existing at Savoy Theatre, Criterion Theatre, and the roof garden of the New York Theatre. Copy forwarded to the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, for attention.

From L. C. Desar—Respecting proceedings instituted against him for failure to comply with the provisions of section 762 of the Charter. Reply communicated.

From Foreman Engine 16—Reporting recovery of transportation certificate No. 1232 by Engineer of Steamer Hugh T. Dunn. Fine remitted.

From Foreman Engine 24—Report of inspection of premises No. 157 Bleecker street, occupied as a hotel and music hall.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, and Richmond—Report of transaction for week ending February 8, 1902.

From Chief of Department—Transmitting application from the Automatic Fire

Alarm Company, for assignment of numbers premises West Twenty-seventh street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues. Approved with directions to make assignment.

2. Recommending that the legal proceedings instituted against persons in charge of premises Nos. 93 and 97 William street, and No. 109-111 Fifth avenue, be discontinued for a period of thirty days. Approved and communicated to the Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

3. Reporting a number of leaking fire-hydrants, with request that the attention of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas, and Electricity be called to the necessity of prompt repairs. Recommendation approved.

4. Reporting re-inspection of premises No. 157 Bleecker street, to determine if the requirements of the department have been complied with. Copy forwarded to Police Department.

5. Transmitting application of the Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company, for assignment of box numbers for the Hudson Hotel, No. 513 Hudson street, and Essling apartment house, No. 225 Riverside Drive. Approved, with directions to make assignments.

6. Recommending that the legal proceedings instituted against the persons in charge of premises No. 1 Nassau street and Nos. 78 and 82 Broadway be discontinued, for the reason that the requirements of the department have been complied with. Communicated to the Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

7. Returning communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel respecting the matter of judgment obtained against Fireman first grade James Weiner, Hook and Ladder 6, with report thereon that he has directed charges to be preferred against the Fireman. Action approved.

8. Forwarding report from the Foreman of Engine 160 of an assault committed on Fireman first grade Arthur McSheffrey by Fireman first grade Thomas J. Spellman, with the information that the proper charges had been preferred against the Fireman. Action approved.

From the Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting advancements in grade of members of the Uniformed Force.

2. Acknowledging receipt of copy of report of the Commissioners of Accounts of examination of the accounts of Wm. H. Stevens, Cashier.

From the Foreman Engine 20—Report of court proceedings in the matter of the arrest of Fireman Timothy Gaynor. Charges to be preferred.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Canceling and revoking certification of the name of Timothy J. Coughlin as eligible for reinstatement to the position of Engineer of Steamer.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Forwarding copy of report of John P. Friel, Assistant Fire Marshal, and John H. Lyons, Police Officer, detailed to the Bureau of Fire Marshal, in the matter of explosion which occurred at Park avenue and Forty-first street on the 27 ultimo. To be forwarded to Corporation Counsel.

From William Barclay Parsons, Chief Engineer Rapid Transit Railroad Commission—Calling attention to the unsafe condition of premises southwest corner Chambers and Centre streets, and requesting advice thereon. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises No. 196 Grand street. To Chief of Department.

2. Requesting inspection of premises southwest corner Sixtieth street and Broadway, known as Circle Theatre. To Chief of Department.

From President Department of Health—Requesting that an expert be detailed to make an inspection of Riverside Hospital on North Brother Island, Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, foot of East Sixteenth street, and Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn. To Chief of Department.

From Holbrook, Cabot & Daly Contracting Company—Reporting removal of obstructions to hydrants on Lafayette place and on Fourth avenue, and requesting discontinuance of the proceedings instituted. To Chief of Department for report.

From J. P. Berg, attorney—Certified copy of decree issued by the Surrogate of Kings County, revoking letters of administration granted to Eliza F. Gurnell of the goods, chattels and credits of George W. Gurnell, deceased Fireman. To the Book-keeper.

From H. Wrenn—Complaining that the exits from servants' apartments on the tenth floor of the Majestic Hotel are obstructed. To Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

From W. W. Camman—Complaining of the lack of water, premises No. 127 Reade street. To Department of Health.

From Thomas Swann—Requesting inspection of premises No. 220 Broadway, to determine if the requirements of the Department have been complied with. To Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 24—Reporting storage of packing boxes, premises Nos. 588-590 Greenwich street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 24—Reporting storage of large quantity of packing boxes, premises Nos. 100 to 110 Morton street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 39—Reporting violation of section 103 of the Building Code, premises No. 784 Park avenue. To Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding report of Chief Operator George Farrell, Telegraph Branch, of necessary carpenter work in the operating and battery rooms. To the Buildings Superintendent.

2. Requisition for 5,000 feet each of 4, 6 and 8 conductor lead armor cable, to be used in making necessary repairs to underground fire alarm system, with specification. To Contract Clerk, with directions to prepare form of contract.

Expenditures Authorized.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Rock salt.....	\$15 00
Bicarbonate soda.....	9 63
Rubber hose.....	462 00
Supplies.....	110 00
Rawhide whips.....	91 00
Cotton waste.....	130 00
Toweling, house brooms.....	110 00
Slip roller.....	19 80
Stationery, supplies, etc.....	100 00
Furniture.....	462 00
Beading machine.....	17 50
Lathe chuck.....	56 00
Little Giant chucks.....	12 80
Center grinder.....	11 85
Rope.....	41 30
85 feet aerial ladder.....	300 00
Carpentry, quarters Engine 42.....	46 00

Bills Audited.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Schedule 91 of 1901—	
Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$5,096 84
Schedule 3 of 1902—	
Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$5,305 88
Schedule 4 of 1902—	
Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$2,997 32

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 3 of 1902—	
Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$1,881 56

New York, February 13, 1902.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—Requesting that Fireman Maurice Brady be directed to attend before the Deputy Comptroller on the 13th instant, for examination in relation to claim of the Metropolitan Plate Glass Insurance Company. Ordered.



2. Notice that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon contracts of John H. Meyer, for furnishing coal, Cornelius Daly for furnishing wood, and Geo. N. Reinhardt for furnishing forage.

From Corporation Counsel—Returning form of agreement in triplicate, proposed to be entered into between this Department and the New York Telephone Company, for telephone service in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, approved as to form.

2. Stating that proposed act to amend the Greater New York Charter relative to jurisdiction of the Fire Department over harbor fires was introduced in the Assembly.

3. Assigning Assistant Corporation Counsel Cosby to attend at trial of Fireman first grade Michael F. Merron.

From H. P. Christie, Inspector of Forage, Department of Finance—Report of inspection of forage delivered at quarters of companies in the Borough of Brooklyn. Reply communicated.

From William R. Stewart—Stating that notice to provide fire extinguishers, etc., premises Nos. 18-22 Fifth avenue will receive immediate attention.

From John J. Keller & Co.—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 10th instant.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of transactions for week ending 8th instant, and report of transactions for year ending December 31, 1901.

From Buildings Superintendent—Returning request of James J. Spearing & Son, for extension of time to January 25, 1902, on contract for alterations to quarters of Engine 24, No. 78 Morton street. Approved and extension of time granted.

From Medical Officers—Report of examination of Foreman Edward O'Brien, Engine 45.

From Fireman first grade William Frey, Engine 26—Applying for a transfer.

From Foreman Engine 34—Reporting that new horse on trial is suitable for the service.

From Fireman first grade Thomas Harrison, Hook and Ladder 19—Applying to be retired from all service from February 18, 1902. Approved and ordered.

From Chief of Department—Returning inspection slips and reporting inspection of premises Nos. 3, 5 and 7 West Twenty-ninth street, No. 1389 Third avenue, southwest corner Park avenue and Seventy-fourth street, No. 694 and 696 Madison avenue, and No. 57 West Tenth street. Copy forwarded to the Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

2. Returning communication from J. C. Brackenridge, General Manager Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company relative to use of pass books for passing lines at fires, with report thereon. Reply forwarded.

3. Recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings instituted against persons in charge of premises No. 17 State street, Nos. 21 and 24 State street, and No. 640 Madison avenue, the requirements of the Department having been complied with. Recommendation approved and communicated to the Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

Recommending that the legal proceedings instituted against persons in charge of premises Nos. 37 and 39 Maiden lane, No. 7 Wall street, Nos. 69 and 73 Broadway, and No. 100 Broadway be discontinued for thirty days to allow them to comply with the provisions of section 762 of the Charter. Recommendation approved and communicated to the Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting that there are no employees receiving pensions from The City of New York. Communicated to Department of Finance.

2. Inclosing a part of a Departmental Estimate from the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

3. Acknowledging receipt of communication notifying him of sale of horses.

4. In explanation of requisition for the purchase of bedding and furniture.

5. Submitting charges against delinquent members of the Uniformed Force, together with evidence taken at the trials in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, as follows:

Borough of Brooklyn, February 10, 1902.

1. Foreman Henry Wackerman, Engine 137, violation of section 195, rules and regulations of 1898. Case dismissed.

2. Engineer of Steamer Daniel E. Davison, Engine 151, violation of section 195, rules and regulations of 1898. Case dismissed.

3. Fireman first grade Chas. F. Roarty, Engine 109, for neglect of duty. Sentence suspended.

4. Fireman first grade Dominick Swanton, Engine 124, absence without leave (three charges), intoxication (two charges). Five days' pay on each charge—twenty-five days in all.

5. Fireman first grade Patrick Kane, Engine 151, absence without leave. Fined five days' pay.

6. Fireman first grade John F. Walsh, Engine 153, intoxication. Fined three days' pay.

7. Fireman first grade Bennett H. Clarke, Engine 155, absence without leave. Fined five days' pay.

Borough of Queens, February 11, 1902.

1. Fireman first grade Christopher Gravius, Engine 158, absence without leave (three charges). Fined five days' pay.

2. Fireman first grade John Mullady, Engine 150, absence without leave. Sentence suspended.

3. Fireman first grade Thomas J. Fantry, Engine 159, absence without leave (two charges) and intoxication. Sentence suspended.

4. Engineer of Steamer John E. Fry, Engine 162, disobedience of orders. Fined three days' pay.

6. Concerning certain mortgages held by this Department, and requesting the liber and page in which the mortgages are recorded be transmitted to him. Reply communicated.

7. Returning communication from the Department of Finance of the 4th instant, inclosing claim of Noah Clark for the sum of \$500, alleged to be due him for damages to his premises, No. 837 Manhattan avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, by an apparatus of the Department, with report of the Chief of the Twenty-sixth Battalion. Copy of report submitted to Department of Finance.

Referred.

From Anonymous—Complaining of lack of lights, premises No. 739 East Eleventh street. To Department of Health.

From Anonymous—Complaining of danger of fire, premises No. 332 East Forty-eighth street. To Fire Marshal.

From C. A. Hendrequez—Complaining of the condition of New York Theatre. To Chief of Department for report.

From Fireman first grade James F. Kelly, Engine 116, Theatre detail—Reporting diagrams not printed on programme, in violation of section 109 of the Building Code, at the Unique Theatre, No. 194 Grand street and Nos. 167-177 South First street, Brooklyn. To Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Foreman Engine 8—Reporting defective chimney flue, premises No. 345 East Fifty-eighth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 18—Reporting chimney fire on the 11th instant, premises No. 64 West Tenth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 32—Reporting violation of section 769 of the Charter, premises No. 14 Platt street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 44—Reporting violation of section 97 of the Building Code, premises No. 320 East Eighty-first street. To Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 60—Reporting obstructed fire hydrant in front of premises, No. 367 Pacific street, Borough of Brooklyn. To the Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Strasbourger, Weil, Eschwege & Schallek, attorneys—Complaining of defective chimney flues, premises No. 1786 Madison avenue. To Fire Marshal.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Bandages for Medical Officers..... \$50 00

Window shades, quarters Engine 26..... 26 20

Bicarbonate of soda and carboy of acid..... 12 60

Buttons ..... 247 44

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Repairing water pipe in street in front of quarters Engine 118..... 14 00

Discharged.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

William H. Williamson, Blacksmith's Helper at the Repair Shops, from 15th instant, for inability to perform service.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

John H. Robinson as Machinist at the Repair Shops, at \$3.50 per day, from 14th instant.

George Mallon as Blacksmith's Helper at the Repair Shops, at \$2.50 per day, from 14th instant.

Trial of Fireman first grade Michael F. Merron, Engine 29, was postponed, on account of the absence of the accused and a witness, to February 20, 1902, at 2 p. m.

New York, February 14, 1902.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Tenement House Department—Inclosing complaints of obstructed fire-escapes, premises Nos. 850-852 West End avenue and No. 1425 Madison avenue. Complaints forwarded to Department of Health.

From City Clerk—Certified copy of ordinance adopted May 14, 1901, authorizing the issue of corporate stock in the sum of \$300,000, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of sites, erection of new buildings, additions and alterations to buildings already erected, fitting up and furnishing such buildings, and placing wires and conduits under ground in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

From Department of Health—Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 11th inst., relative to inspection of hospitals.

From H. De B. Parsons, Consulting Engineer—Respecting the matter of a change of the name of the fire boat Engine 666 from "William L. Strong" to "Robert A. Van Wyck."

From Wm. H. Baldwin, Jr., President Long Island Railroad Company—Respecting the application of the Pennsylvania-New York Extension Railroad for permit for the storage of explosives.

From the Engineering Record—Inclosing deposit for fire badge. Issue of badge ordered.

From B. Kochan—Calling attention to violation of law at Star Theatre.

From Charles A. Gould—Respecting the orders of the Department to provide fire appliances at premises Nos. 366-368 Broadway and No. 830 Broadway.

From Stephen B. Halsey, Astoria—Inclosing check for \$50 contribution to the Fire Department Relief Fund in appreciation of the efficiency shown by Engines 162 and 163 and Hook and Ladder 67 at fire premises No. 124 Halsey street, Astoria, on the 11th instant. Receipt of acknowledged and check forwarded to Bookkeeper.

From Standard Underground Cable Company—Acknowledging receipt of notice of the 11th instant in relation to execution of contract for furnishing twenty miles of telegraph wire.

From B. Thomas—Complaining of certain actions of a member of the uniformed force.

From Chief of Department—Returning request of the Police Department for an inspection of music hall No. 157 Bleecker street, with report thereon. Police Department notified.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Returning claim of William S. H. Wright for the sum of \$50 alleged to be due him for damages to awning frame of naphtha launch caused by improper erection of a guy wire in Borough of Brooklyn, with report thereon that the guy wire does not belong to this Department. Communicated to Department of Finance.

Referred.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Permit for construction of overhead loop southwest corner Eighteenth street and Second avenue. To Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—Complaining of insufficient means of escape premises No. 246 Broadway. To Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX.

Edward F. McLean, as Machinist at Repair Shops at \$3.50 per day, to take effect from February 17, 1902.

Retired on Half Pay.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX.

Fireman first grade Thomas Harrison, Hook and Ladder 19, on application in writing and after more than twenty years' service, to take effect from 18th instant.

New York, February 15, 1902.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings, Board of Education—Notice of compliance with order to place fire appliances in the headquarters building, Board of Education, Fifty-ninth street and Fourth avenue.

From Department of Finance—Transmitting warrant No. 1538 of 1902 for the sum of \$429.99 fines and assessments on the payroll of Fire Department, month of January, Borough of Brooklyn. Warrant turned over to Bookkeeper with directions to deposit to credit of fund.

From William Barclay Parsons, Chief Engineer Rapid Transit Railroad Commission—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 11th inst., respecting the removal of engine house southwest corner Chambers and Centre streets.

From American Button Company—Calling attention to their list of supplies.

From A. & M. Levy—Complaining of leaking hydrant corner Spring and Greene streets.

From D. J. Barry & Co.—Inclosing catalogue of supplies furnished by them.

From A. C. Jacobson, M. D.—Certifying that Mrs. C. A. Raddin is unable to be present as witness at trial of Fireman first grade Michael F. Merron.

From Church & Dwight Co.—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 13th inst.

From H. B. Christie, Inspector of Forage, Department of Finance—Report of inspection of forage, Borough of Brooklyn.

From E. Hollaway Cole—Applying for fire-line badge.

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

From Medical Officers—Reporting condition of certain injured members of the uniformed force.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permits to connect premises.

From Foreman Engine 29—Reporting that Fireman first grade Michael F. Merron, Engine 29, was absent without leave for five days, from 10:45 o'clock a. m. on the 9th day of February to 10:45 o'clock a. m. on the 14th day of February. The charges preferred against said Fireman Merron under date of January 26, February 6 and February 10, 1902, were ordered on file, and Fireman first grade Michael F. Merron was dismissed the service, under the provision of section 735, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, to take effect from 8 o'clock a. m. the 16th instant.

Notices calling attention to violations of section 762 of the Charter of the Greater New York at the following places of amusement were forwarded to Chief of Department for service upon the proprietors or managers:

Casino Theatre, Thirty-ninth street and Broadway.

Keith's Theatre, Union Square.

Metropolitan Opera House, Broadway and Thirty-ninth street.

Proctor's Theatre, Twenty-third street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Referred.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 22—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 72 West Ninety-eighth street on the 14th inst. To Inspector of Combustibles.

Dropped from the Rolls.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Fireman first grade Michael F. Merron, of Engine 29, having been absent without leave for five days, from 10:40 o'clock a. m. 9th instant, it was ordered that his name be dropped from the rolls of the Department, to take effect from 8 o'clock a. m. 16th instant.



## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Communications received and disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Hamilton Anderson—Relative to an indebtedness of a member of the Uniformed Force. Reply communicated.

From Department of Public Works—Relative to grading of Tenth street. Reply communicated.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—In relation to removing wires on Gold street. Reply communicated.

From Inspector of Telegraph—Notice that box 3364 has been placed in the Astoria Silk Works, Steinway avenue, between Potter and Ditmas avenues, Borough of Queens.

From George Kirchhuber—Commending the efficiency of the work of the Department at fire in Parkway House.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 127—Reporting loss of hose spanner by Fireman first grade Joseph McNamara, of said company. To Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 162—Reporting loss of coat badge No. 2530 by Fireman first grade John J. Stanton. To Chief of Department.

From Fireman first grade James F. Kelly, Engine 116, detailed to Engine 121—Reporting violation of section 109 of the Building Code at Unique Theatre, No. 194 Grand street. To Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 60—Reporting violation of section 750 of the Charter in front of premises No. 367 Pacific street. To Chief of Department.

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

Engine 109, premises No. 276 Ryerson street; Engine 128, premises No. 953 Third avenue; Hook and Ladder 53, premises No. 231 Concord street; Hook and Ladder 58, premises No. 199 Meserole street; Hook and Ladder 59, premises No. 146 1/2 Eighteenth street and 173 Prospect avenue. To Inspector of Combustibles.

WM. LEARY, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 1, 1902.

## MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

## ALMSHOUSE.

## Appointments.

February 21. Jennings, Patrick H., Hospital Helper..... \$120 00  
February 21. Jackson, Peter, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
March 1. McCarthy, Norah, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
March 1. Mason, Minnie, Hospital Helper..... 144 00

## Dismissals.

February 20. Cullen, Peter, Hospital Helper, absence without leave.... \$120 00  
February 19. Denehy, Jeremiah, Hospital Helper, absence without leave. 120 00

## Resignations.

February 25. Cassidy, Mary, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00  
March 1. Murray, Mary E., Hospital Helper..... 150 00

## CITY HOSPITAL.

## Appointments.

February 17. Pollock, James, Hospital Helper..... \$60 00  
February 17. Ross, Anna, Waitress..... 192 00  
February 17. Fitzpatrick, Maggie, Cook..... 240 00  
February 17. Maguire, Thomas, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 20. Graham, Nellie, Hospital Helper..... 144 00  
February 25. McBride, Minnie, Hospital Helper..... 144 00  
February 1. Allen, William, Cook (temporary, subject to C. S.)..... 350 00

## Resignation.

February 24. McKeever, Mary, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00

## METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.

## Appointments.

February 24. Tischborne, Nellie, Hospital Helper..... \$150 00  
February 20. Moore, Lizzie, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 20. Hoadley, Clarence, Hospital Helper..... 90 00  
February 22. Davis, William, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 21. Kelly, John, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Welch, Thomas, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Cullen, George, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Williams, Alma, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Dooley, Maggie, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Delaney, John, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Barber, Thomas, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Daly, James, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Howe, William, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 1. Lyden, Thomas, Hospital Helper..... 150 00

## Dismissals.

February 20. Smith, John, Hospital Helper, absent without leave..... \$150 00  
February 24. Hayes, Nellie, Hospital Helper, overstaying pass..... 150 00

## Resignations.

February 21. McCullough, Daniel, Hospital Helper..... \$120 00  
February 25. Winton, Nellie, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
February 14. Kearney, W. H., Hospital Helper..... 60 00

## Leave Granted.

February 17. Macklin, Katherine, Pupil Nurse (7 days without pay).... \$120 00

## Dropped from Roll.

March 1. Riordan, William, Hospital Helper (until he reports for duty) \$150 00

## NEW YORK CITY TRAINING SCHOOL.

February 28. Abbott, Margaret M., Head Nurse (graduated)..... \$360 00  
February 28. Kline, E. Blanche, Head Nurse (graduated)..... 360 00  
February 28. Edgerly, Kate, Hospital Helper, illness..... 144 00

## Resignation.

February 28. Lutts, Otto W. F., Head Nurse..... 360 00

## RANDALL'S ISLAND ASYLUMS AND SCHOOLS.

## Appointments.

February 20. Welfel, Rose, Hospital Helper..... \$120 00  
February 22. Mulligan, Daniel, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 22. O'Neill, John, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 22. Foster, James, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 22. Healey, Edward, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 16. Gallagher, Henry, Hospital Helper..... 150 00  
March 1. Johnson, James H., Stoker, certified by Civil Service, Feb. 7, 1902..... 360 00

## Dismissals.

February 16. Short, Thomas, Hospital Helper, absent without leave... \$120 00  
February 17. Felter, Mary, Hospital Helper, absent without leave..... 120 00

February 19. Kelly, Sarah, Hospital Helper, absent without leave..... 120 00  
February 19. Barry, Arthur, Hospital Helper, intoxication..... 120 00  
February 15. Leonard, Joseph, Hospital Helper, absent without leave. 150 00  
February 23. McCue, Mary, Hospital Helper, absent without leave..... 120 00  
February 23. Murray, Lizzie, Hospital Helper, absent without leave... 120 00  
February 23. McGuire, Bernard, Hospital Helper, intoxication..... 120 00  
February 25. O'Connell, William, Hospital Helper, absent without leave. 120 00  
February 26. White, Robert, Hospital Helper, insubordination..... 120 00  
February 26. King, John, Hospital Helper, insubordination..... 120 00  
February 26. Volker, William, Hospital Helper, insubordination..... 120 00

## Resignations.

February 15. Gallagher, Henry, Hospital Helper..... \$120 00  
February 23. Geaney, Mary, Hospital Helper..... 240 00  
February 15. Keegan, John, Stoker..... 360 00  
February 24. Hayes, Benjamin, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 25. Wheeler, Frank, Hospital Helper..... 120 00  
February 28. Burke, William, Hospital Helper..... 120 00

## Dropped from Roll.

February 19. Ryan, James, Hospital Helper, illness..... 120 00

## Resignation Rescinded.

February 28. Eagan, Ellen, Hospital Helper. Resignation reported to Civil Service week ending Feb. 22. To be rescinded and dismissed for absence without leave to date, Feb. 25 \$240 00

## STEAMBOATS.

## Dropped from Roll.

February 6. Baker, Michael, Deckhand (for two days without pay for absence without leave)..... \$360 00

## Resignation.

February 24. Walsh, John J., Boatman..... \$360 00

## STOREHOUSE.

## Leave Granted.

February 10. Daum, John, Baker, one day without pay, per week..... \$12 00  
February 18 and 19. Kelly, William, Hospital Helper, two days without pay..... 150 00

Respectfully, J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

## MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Awarded February 21, 1902.

Proposal of January 27, 1902, of Kny-Scheerer Company, for—

2 dozen applicators, cotton, Sims', copper, serrated, with handle, per dozen..... \$0 75  
1 dozen applicators, nasal, with handle plain steel, per dozen..... 75  
2 dozen applicators, uterine, sample, per dozen..... 60  
6 aspirators, potain, with Billroth's trocar, and straight needles in metal case, each..... 5 75  
3 dozen bistouries, to be forged out of one piece, handle and plate together, per dozen..... 4 20  
1 dozen buttons, Murphy's, ordinary, 4 sizes, per dozen..... 8 10  
1 dozen buttons, Murphy's, large, per dozen..... 16 20  
2 dozen clamps, Jacob's, serration any direction, 7-inch, per dozen.. 10 80  
2 dozen clamps, Jacob's, serration any direction, 8-inch, per dozen.. 13 20  
1 dozen clamps, Jacob's, serration any direction, 9-inch, per dozen.. 17 40  
766 and 768 like sample.  
3 clamps, pile, Smith's, each..... 2 50  
3 clamps, pile, Tuttle's, each..... 2 00  
1 dozen curettes, Simon's, "sharp steel, with plated German silver handles," all sizes, per dozen..... 9 60  
1 dozen curettes, Simon's, "sharp steel, with plated German silver handles," all sizes, per dozen..... 9 60  
2 dozen curettes, Thomas', copper, German silver handle, any size, per dozen..... 4 75  
1 dozen each curettes, Volkman's, made of best steel, plated handle, double:  
5 1/2-inch, per dozen..... 6 50  
6 1/2-inch, per dozen..... 6 50  
7 1/2-inch, per dozen..... 6 50  
2 dozen depressors, tongue, Smith's, per dozen..... 1 10  
5 dilators, uterine, Wylies, with gauge, each..... 1 35  
4 dilators, Godell-Ellinger, Kny 3867, 3868, each..... 3 25  
2 dozen each directors, grooved, like sample:  
4-inch, per dozen..... 1 25  
5-inch, per dozen..... 1 25  
6-inch, per dozen..... 3 50  
4 douches, uterine, Bozeman Fritsch, metal, each..... 1 25  
3 elevators, periosteal, Good-Willies', each..... 63  
15 dozen forceps, artery, Halstead's, curved, 5 1/2-inch, like sample, per dozen..... 6 30  
3 dozen forceps, artery, Halstead's, straight, 5 1/2-inch, like sample, per dozen..... 6 30  
4 forceps, bone, Koch 851, 9-inch, each..... 1 45  
2 dozen forceps, dressing, Bozeman, like sample, per dozen..... 7 80  
1 dozen forceps, pedicle, Tait's, like sample, per dozen..... 9 60  
4 forceps, Rougeur, Kny B, 3272, each..... 1 75  
4 dozen forceps, thumb, M. T., 5 1/2-inch, per dozen..... 3 00  
6 dozen forceps, thumb, serrated, 5 1/2-inch, per dozen..... 3 24  
6 forceps, tongue, St. Luke's, each..... 1 25  
10 forceps, velsellum, Simon's curved, with catch, 10 inches, each... 1 20  
10 inhalers, Allis', with rubber cover, each..... 2 00  
12 inhalers, Esmarch, complete, each..... 42  
2 intubation sets, Dillon-Brown modification, in case complete, each. 15 00  
4 ligature carriers, Cleveland, scissors handle, each..... 1 00  
3 mallets, boxwood, each..... 72  
3 mallets, metal, lead filled, large size, each..... 90  
3 mallets, rawhide, each..... 37 1/2  
4 mouth gags, Denhardt's steel, aseptic, each..... 1 50  
6 mouth gags, screw, H. R., each..... 25  
4 needles, aneurism, Mott's, each..... 1 75  
4 needles, aneurism, Deschamps', like sample, each..... 60  
2 dozen needles, aspirating, 3 inches, like sample, per dozen..... 1 20  
2 dozen needles, aspirating, 4 inches, like sample, per dozen..... 1 25  
12 gross needles, hypodermic, Green's improved, long or short, per gross..... 4 25  
4 sets needles, perineal, Peaslee's, with metal handle, in set, per set... 90  
6 needle holders, Abbey's, 7 inches, each..... 90  
2 needle holders, Coe's, like sample, each..... 1 75  
4 needle holders, Crosby-Mathieu's, 8 inches, each..... 1 25  
4 needle holders, Green's, each..... 2 25  
4 needle holders, Hagedorn, 5 1/2 inches, each..... 3 00  
2 needle holders, McBurney's, 6-inch, each..... 1 50  
4 needle holders, Mathieu-Kerstein, 5 1/2-inch, each..... 1 00  
2 needle holders, Monk's, each..... 1 38  
3 needle holders, new Russian (Koch, 535), each..... 1 50  
2 periosteotome, Sayre's, each..... 55  
2 dozen each probes, silver, like sample:  
6-inch, per dozen..... 2 40  
8-inch, per dozen..... 3 00







25 boxes soap, per box.....	3 92
1,500 pounds coffee, Java, per pound.....	14 1/2
4,000 pounds coffee, Mara, per pound.....	11
75 dozen canned corn, per dozen.....	75
75 dozen canned peaches, per dozen.....	1 90
50 dozen canned pears, per dozen.....	1 77
100 dozen canned peas, per dozen.....	1 00
30 dozen canned salmon, per dozen.....	1 45
15 dozen canned lobster, per dozen.....	3 28
75 dozen canned tomatoes, per dozen.....	1 25
30 dozen canned sardines, per dozen.....	2 25
50 dozen canned lima beans, per dozen.....	1 15
40 dozen canned plums, per dozen.....	1 60
30 dozen canned pineapples, per dozen.....	1 40
30 dozen canned apricots, per dozen.....	1 40
10 dozen canned cherries, per dozen.....	2 10
25 dozen canned asparagus, per dozen.....	3 25
20 dozen canned chicken soup, per dozen.....	2 20
20 dozen canned oxtail soup, per dozen.....	2 20
Proposal of Joseph Vollkommer, No. 261 Rutledge street, Brooklyn, for—	
1 set double ambulance harness, per set.....	\$60 00
1 set single ambulance harness, per set.....	45 00
2 dozen surcingles, per dozen.....	6 50
6 leather collars, each.....	4 00
1 dozen whips, per dozen.....	9 00
2 dozen currycombs, per dozen.....	1 60
900 bushels oats, per bushel.....	58
25 bags fine feed, per bag.....	85
25 bags fine feed, per bag.....	60
30,000 pounds hay per 100 pounds.....	90
20,000 pounds straw, per 100 pounds.....	90
Flatbush Water Works Company, No. 785 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, for—	
Water supply for Hospital and Almshouse Departments, Flatbush, from January 1 to December 31, 1902, per cubic foot.....	10

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

March 10, 1902.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner: Trial was had of charges against members of the Force before First Deputy Commissioner N. B. Thurston, who reported the disposition of such trials as follows, which was approved by the Police Commissioner:

Patrolman Frederick Degenhardt, First Precinct, violation of rules, five days; same, neglect of duty, five days.  
 Patrolman Michael Cregan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days.  
 Patrolman Thos. F. Campbell, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.  
 Patrolman Wm. Berlin, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.  
 Patrolman John W. Mann, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Theo. A. H. Dulfer, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Geo. W. Lee, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.  
 Patrolman Robert Malcolm, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Michael J. Coyne, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Hugh McGuire, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Thos. E. Henry, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days.  
 Patrolman John P. Foley, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Frank J. Reilly, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.  
 Patrolman Martin J. Quirk, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days.  
 Patrolman A. G. Doncourt, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Edward J. Shoemaker, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.  
 Patrolman Wm. J. Ferris, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Harry McCutcheon, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.  
 Patrolman Hugh J. Smith, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Stephen G. Burke, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day.  
 Patrolman Lawson R. Grant, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days.

The following were reprimanded:  
 Patrolman Patrick J. Nolan, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 Patrolman Earl C. Gordon, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 Patrolman John Ewing, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 Patrolman Jas. Mulligan, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 Patrolman Dennis D. Gleeson, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 Patrolman W. J. Flanders, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 Patrolman Jas. F. O'Connor, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Ordered, That the fine of twenty days' pay, imposed August 2, 1900, upon Patrolman George W. Colon, Sixty-fifth Precinct, be and the same is hereby remitted.

Report of Sergeant Thos. E. O'Brien, Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, recommending that steel tires be substituted for rubber tires on patrol wagon, Forty-sixth Precinct, approved, necessary order to be issued.

On reading and filing report of Inspector John J. Harley.

Ordered, That honorable mention be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of the meritorious conduct of Patrolman William F. Rodihan, Twenty-second Precinct, for bravery in stopping a runaway horse attached to a hansom cab at Fifty-second street and Ninth avenue, at about 9 a. m., January 24, 1902, and that the Medal of Honor of the Department be and is hereby awarded to him.

## Special Patrolmen Appointed.

Edward Rickert, for Joseph Sullivan and others, Brooklyn.

## Full Pay Granted.

Thomas Fay, Twenty-ninth Precinct, August 27 to February 2.

Wm. F. Rodihan, Twenty-second Precinct, January 24 to February 19.

James Gallagher, Sixty-eighth Precinct, February 6 to 24.

## Appointed Patrolman.

Erich M. Grote.

Communication from the Comptroller approving sureties in the proposal of James F. McManus for supplying horse feed in the Borough of Richmond, on file, Chief Clerk to prepare contract.

Communication from Straus Rubber Tire Company, relative to repairs to defective tubes, referred to the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies.

Communication from Kenneson, Crain, Emley & Pubino, inclosing subpoena addressed to Adolph Wexler, and giving latter's home address, referred to the Complaint Clerk.

Referred to the Senior Inspector.

Communication from H. H. Stieg, Jersey City, complaining of an officer at Thirty-fourth Street Pier.

Referred to Corporation Counsel.

Notice of motion and petition for writ case of Mary Mulligan against Police Commissioner.

Summons, affidavit, and undertaking case of Harris Levy against Andrew J. Lalor, Property Clerk.

## Chief Clerk to Answer.

M. Meyer, relative to claim against John Capron, a Patrolman.

A. H. Mitchell, asking application blank for Patrolman.

Frederick L. Hoffman, asking statistics relative to Police Force.

James L. Whitley, asking copy of Force book.

## On File.

Petition in the matter of the application of James Burns, for reinstatement as Patrolman. Denied, notice to be sent to C. N. Bovee, Jr., No. 18 Wall street.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, of Brooklyn, acknowledgment relative to bills for Sixty-sixth Precinct.

C. Golderman, Secretary Department of Health, relative to insufficiency of appropriation for Sanitary Police, and action by Health Board thereon, in response to request of Police Department.

Wm. J. Moran, Mayor's Office, acknowledgment.

Statement of masquerade ball permits for the week ending March 8, 1902.

Referred to Comptroller.

Statement of moneys received for theatrical and concert licenses week ending March 10, 1902, \$750.

Statement receipts for Runner's licenses week ending March 10, \$130.

## Additional Judgments.

Before Second Deputy Commissioner Frederick H. E. Elstein:

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty; sentence suspended.

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty; sentence suspended.

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, second charge, neglect of duty; sentence suspended.

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, third charge, neglect of duty; sentence suspended.

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, fourth charge, neglect of duty; sentence suspended.

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, violation of rules; sentence suspended.

## Dismissed the Force.

Patrolman Chester L. Seiford, Seventy-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman James K. Leonard, Sixty-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

By order of the Commissioner.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

## SHERIFF, KINGS COUNTY.

March 13.

Changes in the personnel of the Sheriff's Office, Kings County: Norman S. Dike, Sheriff, and William W. Wingate, Under Sheriff.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT to permit and empower the Trustee of the Relief Fund of the Fire Department of The City of New York to grant a future pension to Mary Bowen, the foster mother of Peter F. Bowen, a deceased Fireman.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, March 19, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, March 12, 1902.

SETH LOW, Mayor.



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

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

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

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JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.

MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

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ALEXANDER MEAKIM, Clerk of Markets.

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JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

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WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.  
EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department and in Charge of Fire-alarm Telegraph.  
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##### COUNTY CLERK.

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#### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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#### KINGS COUNTY OFFICES.

##### COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 19, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 23, Part II, Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 19 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
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County Court-house, Brooklyn.  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
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##### COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.  
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#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn. Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
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##### SURROGATE.

DANIEL NOBLE, Surrogate.  
Office at Jamaica.  
Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open, between March 31 and October 1, from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; on Saturdays, from 8 A. M. to 12 M.; between September 30 and April 1, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; on Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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 Court-house, Long Island City.  
County Court opens at 9.30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M.  
County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y.  
HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

##### SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
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DENIS O'LEARY, Chief Clerk.

##### COUNTY CLERK.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.  
Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens 9.30 A. M., to adjourn 5 P. M.  
JAMES INGRAM, County Clerk.  
CHARLES DOWNING, Deputy County Clerk.

#### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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H. HOMER MOORE, Assistant Commissioner.

#### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
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#### RICHMOND COUNTY OFFICES.

##### COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1000 County Courts—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, County Judge.  
First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jurors.  
First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jurors.  
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury;—All at the Court-house at Richmond.  
Surrogate's Court, STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, Surrogate.  
Mondays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.  
Tuesdays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.  
Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.  
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 12 M. and from 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.  
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

##### COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD M. MULLER, County Clerk.  
CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy County Clerk.

##### SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANKLIN C. VITT, Sheriff.  
THOMAS H. BANNING, Under Sheriff.

#### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.  
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WILLIAM J. DOWLING, Deputy Commissioner.  
Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

#### THE COURTS.

##### APPELLATE DIVISION SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.  
Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
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Clerk's Office opens at 9 A. M.



**SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10.15 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.  
 Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.  
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.  
 Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad Cases), Room No. 36.  
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 25.  
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.  
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.  
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.  
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33.  
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31.  
 Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32.  
 Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22.  
 Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34.  
 Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 26.  
 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 Terms Calendar, room northeast corner second floor.  
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner third floor.  
 Trial Term, Part I. (Criminal business).  
 Criminal Court-house, Centre street.  
 Justices—GEORGE C. BARRETT, CHARLES H. TAYLOR, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JAMES FITZGERALD, MILES BEACH, DAVID LEVENTRITT, LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FREEDMAN, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, P. HENRY DUGRO, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE, HENRY A. GILDERLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, ALFRED STECKLER, THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk.  
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 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 half-past 10 o'clock.  
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 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
 No. 32 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 General Term.  
 Trial Term, Part I.  
 Part II.  
 Part III.  
 Part IV.  
 Part V.  
 Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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 Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.  
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 Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.  
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 Second District—Jefferson Market.  
 Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
 Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-Eighth street and Third avenue.  
 Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.  
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 Borough of Brooklyn.  
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 First District—No. 318 Adams street.  
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 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 (Flaibush).  
 Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).  
 Borough of Queens.  
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 Second District—Flushing.  
 Third District—Far Rockaway.  
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**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, Redloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands, New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.  
 DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.  
 HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.  
 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.  
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
 GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.  
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
 BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.  
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily and continues open to close of business.  
 DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.  
 Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
 HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.  
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open until close of business.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.  
 Trial days and Return days, each Court day.  
 JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.  
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
 JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.  
 Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9.45 A. M.  
 FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HEMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sunday and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.  
 WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.  
 Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays.  
 Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.  
 JOHN M. 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. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.  
 JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Calendar called at 10 A. M.  
 Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.  
 GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.  
 WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.  
 Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.  
 THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.  
 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. Court-house, 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). Court-room, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., each day, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which include the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.  
 WILLIAM KASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**

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

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
 GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

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

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.**

In the matter of the opening of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, from Kings-bridge road to Haven avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

A PUBLIC HEARING IN THE ABOVE matter will be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting to be held on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 2 o'clock P. M.  
 m15-21 J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at his office, Room 15, Municipal Building, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

**21ST DAY, MARCH, 1902.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, AT THE HEAD OF GOWANUS CANAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AS REQUIRED AND DIRECTED: 20,000 POUNDS NO. 1 TIMOTHY HAY; 16,000 POUNDS NO. 1 RYE STRAW; 800 BUSHELS NO. 2 WHITE CLIPPED OATS; 5,000 POUNDS FRESH, SWEET, CLEAN BRAN; 300 POUNDS ROCK SALT.  
 The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.  
 The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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**THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1902.****Borough of Queens.****No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 123 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF ICE TO THE VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**

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

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**JACOB A. CANTOR,**  
Borough President.  
The City of New York, March 7, 1902. m7,19

**BOARD MEETINGS.**

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday at 2 o'clock p. 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.

**N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,**  
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

**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 6847, No. 1. Regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement Vermont street between Pitkin avenue and a point seventy-five feet south of Belmont avenue.

List 7074, No. 2. Grading, curbing, re-curbing, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement Alabama avenue between Atlantic avenue and Glenmore avenue.

List 7075, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement Chauncey street between Rockaway avenue and Broadway.

List 7076, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with granite block pavement Linden street between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue.

List 7077, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement Park Place from Albany avenue to Troy avenue.

List 7082, No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Atlantic avenue between Schenectady avenue and Utica avenue.

List 7083, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Berkeley Place between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 7095, No. 8. Flagging and re-flagging northwest side of Wallabout street between Marcy and Harrison avenues, and on the southeast side of Marcy avenue between Wallabout and Walton streets.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**

List 6946, No. 9. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in College avenue from 163d street to 164th street.

List 6952, No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with macadam pavement and planting trees, Ritter Place from Union avenue to Prospect avenue.

List 7005, No. 11. Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement College avenue from 146th street to 148th street.

List 7006, No. 12. Paving with asphalt pavement Cauldwell avenue from 161st street to Boston road.

List 7007, No. 13. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Jessup place from Roscobel avenue to Marcher avenue.

List 7009, No. 14. Regulating and paving with granite block pavement E. 132d street from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

List 7010, No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 158th street from Sheridan avenue to Mott avenue.

List 7013, No. 16. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 169th street from Roscobel avenue to Marcher avenue.

List 7015, No. 17. Sewer and appurtenances in Pelham avenue between Southern Boulevard and Lorillard place.

List 7016, No. 18. Sewer and appurtenances in E. 177th street from Boston road to Bronx street.

List 7065, No. 19. Sewer and appurtenances in Prospect avenue from E. 177th street to E. 175th street, with branch in E. 175th street from Prospect avenue to summit east of Prospect avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Vermont street from a point distant about 200 feet south of Belmont avenue to a point distant about 200 feet north of Pitkin avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Alabama avenue from Atlantic avenue to Glenmore avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Chauncey street from Broadway to Rockaway avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Linden street between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Park place from Albany avenue to Troy avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 6. South side of Atlantic avenue between Schenectady avenue and Utica avenue, on Block 161, Lot No. 13.

No. 7. North side of Berkeley Place between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 950, Lot No. 12.

No. 8. Northerly intersection of Wallabout street and Marcy avenue, on Block 106, Lot Nos. 25 and 26.

No. 9. Both sides of College avenue from 163d street to 164th street.

No. 10. Both sides of Ritter place from Union avenue to Prospect avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of College avenue from 146th street to 148th street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 12. Both sides of Cauldwell avenue from

161st street to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 13. Both sides of Jessup place from Roscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of E. 132d street from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of 158th street from Sheridan avenue to Mott avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of E. 169th street from Roscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 17. Both sides of Pelham avenue from Southern Boulevard to Lorillard place; both sides of Crotona avenue from 189th street to Pelham avenue; east side of Crotona avenue from Pelham avenue to Southern Boulevard; west side of Crotona avenue extending about 480 feet north of Pelham avenue; block bounded by Lorillard place, Hoffman street, 189th street and Pelham avenue.

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

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

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

**BENJAMIN E. HALL,**  
**HENRY B. KETCHAM,**  
**ENOCH VREELAND,**  
Board of Assessors.  
WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 11, 1902. m12,22

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

**ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.**

**PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES IN** the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

**JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,**  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

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

**FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1902.**

**Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING**

**FORAGE.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,**  
Commissioner.

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any further information can be obtained at the main office of the Department, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

**JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,**  
Commissioner.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, MARCH 8, 1902. m10,21

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**

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

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

**1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1902.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**JAMES L. WELLS,** President;  
**WILLIAM S. COGSWELL,**  
**GEORGE J. GILLESPIE,**  
**SAMUEL STRASBOURGER,**  
**RUFUS L. SCOTT,**  
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.  
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**CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.**

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF** Chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in The City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in The City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, January 3, 1900.  
**WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,**  
**CHARLES A. JACKSON,**  
**OSCAR S. BAILEY,**  
Commissioners.

**LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,** Clerk.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**

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

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

74. EIGHTH STREET, OF EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, from Seventh avenue eastward to Hutchinson river, proceedings to acquire title.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on March 27, 1902, at 1 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

**LOUIS F. HAFEN,** President.  
Dated March 13, 1902.

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

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

75. HUGHES AVENUE, sewer and appurtenances, from Crescent avenue to lands of St. John's College.

76. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET, sewer and appurtenances, from Hughes to Bathgate avenues.

77. GROTE STREET, regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary, planting trees, and paving roadway with macadam, from Belmont avenue to Southern Boulevard.

78. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET, regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches, and erecting fences where necessary, from Bathgate to Hughes avenues.

79. BRIGGS AVENUE, regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches, and erecting fences where necessary, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Southern Boulevard.

80. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, sewer and appurtenances, between Southern Boulevard and Prospect avenue, and in Prospect avenue from East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth to East One Hundred and Eighty-third streets.

81. BELMONT AVENUE, acquiring title, from the south side of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh (Tremont avenue) to the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

82. MORRIS AVENUE, asphalt block paving, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets.

83. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks,



building approaches, and erecting fences where necessary, from the easterly side of Union avenue to the westerly side of Prospect avenue.

84. CHANGING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to a width of sixty (60) feet, from Andrews to Aqueduct avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, in such a manner that the northerly line of the same will follow the southern boundary line of the grounds of the New York University.

85. WEBSTER AVENUE, paving with telford macadam, from Moshulu Parkway northward to Gun Hill road.

86. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, between St. Ann's avenue and Cypress avenue, regulating and paving.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on March 27, 1902, at 3 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated March 13, 1902.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER 3D AVENUE AND 177TH STREET, CROTONA PARK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

**MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1902,**

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

To be delivered within five months from date of contract in quantities as required and directed, to the Department Yards, as follows:  
Department Yard, 143d street and College avenue.  
Department Yard, 175th street and Anthony avenue.  
Department Yard, 177th street and Mt. Hope Place.

Department Yard, White Plains avenue, near Elizabeth street.

The amount of security required is \$700.00.  
No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,500 CUBIC YARDS OF CLEAN STEAM BOILER ASHES EAST OF THE BRONX RIVER.

To be delivered as directed, at such times and in such quantities as required within a radius of one and one-half (1½) miles of the depot at which it is furnished, east of the Bronx river, prior to November 30, 1902.

The amount of security required is \$1,500.  
Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

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### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

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

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

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Arithmetic .....	1
Handwriting .....	1
Experience .....	2
Duties .....	6

Under the head of "Duties" candidates will be examined with reference to their knowledge of methods of caring for stores and other movable property.

Under the head of "Experience," due weight will be given to previous service in similar capacities.

Those passing will be eligible for appointment to vacancies arising in the city hospitals and other institutions, at salaries ranging from \$900 to \$1,500 per annum.

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GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of TRANSMITMAN AND COMPUTER on Monday, March 24, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Handwriting .....	1
Arithmetic .....	1
Technical knowledge .....	6
Experience .....	2

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper, otherwise the papers on arithmetic, experience and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

Those passing the said examination will be eligible to appointment to vacancies as they arise at an annual salary of from \$1,200 to \$1,800.

GEORGE McANENY,

m7,24.

Secretary.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN, on Tuesday, March 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Handwriting .....	1
Arithmetic .....	1
Technical knowledge .....	6
Experience .....	2

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper, otherwise the papers on arithmetic, experience and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

GEORGE McANENY,

m7,25.

Secretary.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of MARINE ENGINEER, on Tuesday, March 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Handwriting .....	1
Arithmetic .....	1
Technical knowledge .....	6
Experience .....	2

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 70 per cent. in the technical paper, otherwise the papers on arithmetic, experience and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

Those passing this examination will be eligible to appointment to vacancies as they arise at annual salaries ranging from \$600 to \$1,200.

GEORGE McANENY,

m7,25.

Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, February 26, 1902.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of OIL COLLECTOR on Monday, March 17, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
General Paper on Duties .....	6
Experience .....	2
Arithmetic .....	1
Handwriting .....	1

The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent. Candidates should be familiar with the laws governing the storage of combustibles.

The salary attached to said position is \$1,000 and \$1,200 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY,

f27,m1.

Secretary.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of APOTHECARY on Thursday, March 20, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Technical knowledge .....	6
Experience .....	2
Arithmetic .....	1
Handwriting .....	1

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the technical paper or otherwise the papers on experience, arithmetic and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent.

Candidates must hold certificates duly authorized by law to act as Apothecaries. The vacancies to be filled are in the Department of Correction, Department of Public Charities, and under the Board of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

The minimum salary attached to said position is \$600 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY,

f27,m29.

Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, February 26, 1902.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of PURCHASING AGENT on Tuesday, March 18, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Technical knowledge .....	6
Experience .....	2
Arithmetic .....	1
Handwriting .....	1

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper, otherwise the papers on experience, arithmetic and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent.

Candidates must have had experience and be experts in judging supplies as well as goods, and be well acquainted with dealers and manufacturers, and the first sources of supplies, in order to obtain the lowest possible prices; they should have a large acquaintance with men who are in touch with the fluctuation of the market and upon whom he can depend upon to obtain the lowest prices.

The vacancy to be filled is under the Board of Trustees in the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. The salary attached to said position is \$1,800 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY,

f27,m18.

Secretary.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of TELEPHONE OPERATOR (male), on Wednesday, March 19, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing

applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
General paper on duties .....	6
Experience .....	2
Arithmetic .....	1
Handwriting .....	1

The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent. Candidates must be familiar with operating Telephone Switch Boards as used by the New York and the New York and New Jersey Telephone companies. This examination is restricted to men only.

The salary attached to said position is from \$1,800 to \$900 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY,

f27,m19.

Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 3, 1902.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that applications for the position of Patrolman will be issued and received from and after the date of this notice.

The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Tuesday, April 1, 1902, at 5 p. m.

GEORGE McANENY,

m4,ap1.

Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.** BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Department of Public Charities, at the above office, until 12 o'clock noon, on

**MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1902.**

No. 1. FOR EXTERMINATION OF RATS AND MICE IN INSTITUTIONS, AS MENTIONED IN SPECIFICATIONS.

No. 2. FOR EXTERMINATION OF ROACHES AND WATER BUGS IN INSTITUTIONS, AS MENTIONED IN SPECIFICATIONS.

The time for the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or contract contained in the specifications herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item or contract and awards made to the lowest bidder on each.

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

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

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

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

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

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

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

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the department.

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

HOMER FOLKS,

Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 10, 1902.

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### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1902.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

Contract No. 721. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 13,020 POUNDS OF MANILA ROPE.

The time for the delivery of the rope and the performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is six thousand dollars (\$6,000).

**Borough of Manhattan.**

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

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the contract is by or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

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

**Borough of Manhattan.**

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

The time for the delivery of the piles and the performance of the contract is by or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2,400).

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

MCDUGALL HAWKES,

Commissioner of Docks.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.

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"Tribune," "Mail and Express," "Evening Post," "World," "Real Estate Record," "Harper's Weekly," "Staats-Zeitung."

PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

January 9, 1902.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTH SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department until 10 a. m. on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1902.**

for furnishing and delivering the following-named supplies and performing the following-named work:

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

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

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

The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioners at the above office of the Fire Department until 10 a. m. of

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1902,

for furnishing and delivering the following-named supplies:

1. EIGHTY (80) HORSES, MORE OR LESS. BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX.
2. EIGHTY (80) HORSES, MORE OR LESS. BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The horses are to conform in all respects to the specifications and are to be delivered in such numbers and at such times as may be directed or required by the Fire Commissioner.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall state the price per horse and the number they propose to furnish under the conditions of the contract.

The amount of the security required on each contract shall be fifty per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Each of the above-named contracts must be bid for separately and the supplies called for therein furnished as per specifications furnished by the Fire Department.

All of the above-named supplies are to be furnished at such time or times as shall be directed or required by the Fire Commissioner to and including December 31, 1902.

The above quantities are estimated and approximated only; bidders are notified that the Commissioner reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding twenty-five per cent. of the estimated quantities.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

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

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

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

The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.

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#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the

Police Department at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1902.

- No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE FURNISHING AND EQUIPMENT OF THE NEW THIRTY-SEVENTH PRECINCT STATION HOUSE, SITUATED ON BATHGATE AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

The amount of security required is one thousand dollars.

- No. 2. FOR ALTERATION AND REPAIRS TO THE BOILERS AND NECESSARY REPAIRS TO THE ENGINES, AND FOR DRY DOCKING AND PAINTING THE HULL OF THE STEAMBOAT "PATROL," STATIONED AT PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) days.

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars.

- No. 3. FOR INSTALLING A NEW ELECTRIC GENERATOR AND ENGINE AND FOR REPAIRING THE STEAMBOAT "PATROL," STATIONED AT PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the Central Department of Police, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,

Police Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 8, 1902.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,

Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,

Deputy Property Clerk.

#### DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at the above office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1902.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN ATLANTIC, BELMONT, ETNA, GLENMORE, GRANT, HALE, JEFFERSON, LAVONIA, LINCOLN, MERMAID, NEPTUNE, OCEAN, RIDGEWOOD, SHEFFIELD, SHEPHERD, SHERIDAN, STONE, THATFORD, WAREHOUSE, WARWICK AND 22D AVENUES; IN AVENUES P AND R; IN ASHFORD, BOGERT, BARBEY, BAY 22D, BRISTOL, BERREMAN, DRESDEN, BELTON, ENFIELD, FULTON, GLEN, HEMLOCK, HILL, MAGENTA, MARKET, MCKINLEY, OSBORN, PINE, SACKMAN, WELDON, E. 12TH, E. 13TH, E. 14TH, E. 17TH, E. 18TH, E. 19TH, E. 21ST, E. 22D, W. 23D, 21ST AND 70TH STREETS; IN KINGS HIGHWAY AND FANCHON PLACE.

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

The amount of security required is twenty thousand dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Department, No. 13-21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

J. HAMPHEN DOUGHERTY, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 6, 1902.

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PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, March 7, 1902.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED in a sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at the above office of the Department of Health until 11 o'clock,

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1902,

at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL, EGG SIZE, FOR THE WILLARD PARKER AND RECEPTION HOSPITALS, at the foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The amount of security required is One Thousand and Two Hundred (1,200) Dollars.

Delivery to be made at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, at the foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, at the time required by the Board of Health during the year 1902; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding twenty per cent. of the estimated quantities.

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly

interested therein, as provided in sections 346 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

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

The Department reserves the right to reject all bids if it deems it for the best interests of the City to do so.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Health, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Secretary of the Department, fourth floor, corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President.

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,

JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,

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Board of Health.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1902.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

- No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, STREET BROOM BLOCKS, BED FRAMES, CASTORS, BOLTS, IRON, STEEL, IRON PIPE, LEATHER, BROOM CORN, BROOM WIRE AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department for the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

THOMAS W. HYNES,

Commissioner of Correction.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

##### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; also, FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side,



Between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 37 to 40, both inclusive, of Block No. 658.

**THIRTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING.** south side, between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 11 of Block No. 676.

**EIGHTEENTH WARD.**  
**KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE—FLAGGING.** east side, between Grattan and Thames streets; also, **THAMES STREET—FLAGGING.** north side, between Knickerbocker and Porter avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 4, 5, 7, 8 and 31 to 36, both inclusive, of Block No. 207.

**TWENTY-FIRST WARD.**  
**WALWORTH STREET—FLAGGING.** west side, between Park and Myrtle avenues; also, **PARK AVENUE—FLAGGING.** south side, between Walworth and Spencer streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 5 to 9, both inclusive, of Block No. 89.

**TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.**  
**EIGHTH AVENUE—FENCING.** west side, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets; also, **FOURTEENTH STREET—FENCING.** north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 44 of Block No. 1100.

**TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.**  
**BROADWAY—FLAGGING.** southwest side, between Macdonald and McDougall streets. Area of assessment: Lot No. 104 of Block No. 104.

**HOPKINSON AVENUE—FENCING.** west side, between Sumpter and Marion streets; also, **SUMPTER STREET—FENCING.** north side, between Hopkinson and Saratoga avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 10, 92 and 107 to 112, both inclusive, of Block No. 96.

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.**  
**FULTON STREET—FLAGGING.** south side, between Hale and Norwood avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 56, 57, 68 and 69 of Block No. 575.

**TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.**  
**EVERGREEN AVENUE—FLAGGING.** southwest side, between Melrose and Noll streets. Area of assessment: Lot No. 76 of Block No. 29.

**TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.**  
**CORNELLIA STREET—FLAGGING.** south side, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 34 of Block No. 123.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1902, and entered on March 8, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 7, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 10, 1902. m11,24

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.**  
**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—OPENING.** from Weeks street to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, confirmed February 24, 1902; entered March 12, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the northeastern corner of Belmont street and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; running thence northerly along the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to the middle line of the block between Weeks street and Monroe avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East; thence southerly along said westerly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East, to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Monroe avenue and Weeks street or avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to the northerly side of Belmont street; thence westerly along said northerly side of Belmont street to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 12, 1902. m13,26

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

**TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.**  
**MOTT AVENUE—OPENING.** from Railroad avenue east to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street. Confirmed January 21, 1902; entered March 6, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the United States bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Exterior street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the westerly side of Exterior street; thence northeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of Exterior street with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Girard avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwardly to the northwesterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East, with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 7, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 6, 1902. m7,20

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

**FIRST WARD.**  
**CAMELIA STREET—SEWER.** from Crescent to Van Alst avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Camelia street, between Crescent avenue and Van Alst avenue.

**LATHROP STREET—SEWER.** from Jamaica to Grand avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lathrop street, between Jamaica and Grand avenues; north side of Jamaica avenue, between Lathrop and Rapelje streets, and west side of Rapelje street, between Jamaica avenue and the street summit situated northerly therefrom.

**SECOND WARD.**  
**WOODWARD AVENUE—BASINS.** at the northwest and southeast corners of Ralph street. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1, 3 and 5 to 8, both inclusive, of Block No. 42; Lots numbered 1 and 5 of Block No. 43; Lots numbered 1, 3, 4, 19 to 31, both inclusive, and 33 of Block No. 57; Lots numbered 1, 5 to 15, both inclusive, 22, 23, 26 to 31, both inclusive, and 33 of Block No. 58; and Lots numbered 1, 7 to 14,

both inclusive, and 16 to 21, both inclusive, of Block No. 60.

#### THIRD WARD.

**FLUSHING PLACE—SEWER.** from Chestnut street to a point situated southerly of State street up to and including Lot No. 14 of Block No. 21. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 11, 12, 14, 41, 45, 46, 47, 49, 50, 53, 54 and 55 of Block No. 21.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 28, 1902, and entered on March 7, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1902. m4,17

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

**TENTH WARD, SECTION 2.**  
**CARROLL STREET—SEWER.** between Gowanus Canal and Bond street; also, **CARROLL STREET—BASIN.** at the southwest corner of Denton place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Carroll street, between Bond street and Gowanus Canal and Lots numbered 1 and 28 of Block No. 455.

**TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.**  
**CENTRE STREET—SEWER.** between Henry and Hicks streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Centre street, between Henry and Hicks streets.

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.**  
**OSBORN STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND FLAGGING.** between Blake and Livonia avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Osborn street, between Blake and Livonia avenues and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

**WATKINS STREET—SEWER.** from Hegevan avenue to the summit of Watkins street, situated south of Livonia avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Watkins street, from Livonia avenue to New Lots avenue; north side of New Lots avenue, extending about 104 feet east of Watkins street; north side of New Lots avenue, extending about 137 feet west of Watkins street; both sides of Lot avenue, extending about 135 feet east of Watkins street; both sides of Lot avenue, extending about 60 feet west of Watkins street; both sides of Newport street, from Watkins street to Stone avenue; north side of Newport street, extending about 20 feet west of Watkins street; south side of Riverdale avenue, extending about 101 feet east of Watkins street; north side of Riverdale avenue, from Watkins street to Stone avenue; west side of Stone avenue, from Livonia avenue to Riverdale avenue.

**THIRTIETH WARD.**  
**SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER.** between Second and Third avenues; also, **SECOND AVENUE SEWER.** between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-ninth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Second avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Third avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-eighth street; both sides of Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, from Second avenue to Third avenue; both sides of Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets, from Second avenue to Fourth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 28, 1902, and entered on March 1, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1902. m4,17

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

#### SECOND WARD.

**TROSSACH ROAD—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS.** from St. Paul's avenue to Ocean terrace. Area of assessment: Both sides of Trossach road, between St. Paul's avenue and Ocean terrace; also, Lots numbered 228, 358 and 359 in Plot No. 8.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 28, 1902, and entered on March 1, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 372 Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1902. m4,17

#### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

**THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1902, ON** the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 31, 1902, to May 1, 1902.

The interest due on May 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on May 1, 1902, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902. m3,ma1.

#### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

**THE INTEREST DUE ON APRIL 1, 1902, ON** the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1902.

The interest due on April 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on April 1, 1902, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902. m3,ap1.

BRYAN L. KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

#### SALE OF LEASE OF CITY PROPERTY.

**THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF** New York will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder of yearly rental, at his office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1902,**

at 12 o'clock m., a lease for the term of three years from the date of sale, of the buildings and premises belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, described as follows, viz.:

The premises on the southeasterly corner of Amsterdam avenue and West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, being 58 feet and  $\frac{1}{4}$  of an inch, on West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, by 98 feet and  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an inch along the westerly line of the old Croton Aqueduct, by 78 feet and 10 inches on Amsterdam avenue, together with the buildings thereon.

The minimum, or upset, price for which said lease shall be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at \$400 per annum, and the sale is made upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the Auctioneer's fee, and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the corporation, and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the corporation, as provided by law.

No alteration shall be made in any of the premises except with the consent of the Comptroller, and all alterations made are to be made at the expense of the lessee.

The lessee shall be required to make all repairs necessary to keep the premises in good tenable condition, including repairs to the roofs, at his own expense.

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, a copy of which may be seen at the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets, Department of Finance, Room 139, Stewart Building, corner Chambers street and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The lease will contain, in addition to other terms, a covenant or condition reserving to the corporation the right to cancel the same when-



ever the premises may be required by it for public purposes, upon thirty days' notice.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid, if deemed to be for the best interest of the city.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902. M11,19.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 1.  
CHERRY STREET—FENCING, in front of street No. 196; also, MECHANIC'S ALLEY—FENCING, west side, from the corner of Cherry street to a point situated about 103 feet northerly therefrom. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 15 and 37 of Block No. 254.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.  
EAST NINETY-NINTH STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Second and First avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Ninety-ninth street, between First and Second avenues.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.  
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenue and street.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.  
WEST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING, north side, opposite street Nos. 229 to 239 inclusive. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 12 to 15, both inclusive, of Block No. 1159.

—That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1902, and entered on March 8, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 7, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 10, 1902.  
M11,24

#### SUPREME COURT.

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CLAY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 4th day of April, 1902, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 15th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, lying midway between Clay avenue and Teller avenue, when measured in the direction of said prolongation; running thence northerly to the intersection of the southerly line of Belmont street with the middle line of the blocks between Weeks avenue and East-burn avenue; thence still northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northeasterly along said line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Mount Hope place and Tremont avenue; thence easterly along said middle line and its easterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Anthony avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence

southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Carter avenue; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of Carter avenue to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence southerly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street with the middle line of the block between Anthony avenue and Webster avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly line of Park avenue, East; thence southerly along said westerly line to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence westerly along said northerly line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 3, 1902.

JOHN DEWITT WARNER, Chairman;

JOHN T. SIMON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M14, 22

##### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETY-FIRST STREET, from First avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT HORATIO C. KING, Frank A. Slocum and Abram C. Degraw were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of February, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, NEW YORK, Borough of BROOKLYN, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,

Corporation Counsel.

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##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MONROE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 26th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 12, 1902.

RIGNAL D. WOODWARD,

WILLIAM G. VER PLANCK,

WILLIAM J. CARROLL, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M12,22.

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to a PUBLIC PLACE or SQUARE lying southerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott avenue and Railroad avenue, East, in the Twenty-third Ward, of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2nd day of April, 1902, at 4.30 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of

that portion of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, lying east of Mott avenue and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly apex of the Public Place at East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Park avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Mott avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence on a straight line to a point 100 feet north of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and midway between Walton and Mott avenues; thence easterly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Canal street west; thence southerly along said prolongation and line of Canal street west to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of that portion of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, East) lying west of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with aforesaid line parallel to that portion of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street lying east of Mott avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown (in a broken red line) upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a special term thereof, Part II., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.

FORHAM MORRIS, Chairman;

WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,

WILLIAM GROSSMAN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M11,22.

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northerly side of Cromwell's Creek to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22nd day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 11th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point, the intersection of the United States Pier and Bulkhead line of the Harlem River and a line parallel to and 100 feet south of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly by said parallel line with East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to an intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet east of the easterly side of that portion of Mott avenue lying north of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence northerly by said prolongation and parallel line with Mott avenue to an intersection with a line midway between East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street on the westerly side of Walton avenue and parallel to the northerly side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street; thence westerly, by said parallel line with One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the centre of the block between Gerard avenue and River avenue; thence, northerly, by said centre line between Gerard avenue and River avenue, to an intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet north of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence westerly, by said parallel line with East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and its westerly prolongation with a line parallel to and 100 feet north of the northerly side of Jerome avenue; thence westerly, along said parallel line with Jerome avenue to an intersection with the United States Pier and Bulkhead line of the Harlem River; thence southerly by said United States Pier and Bulkhead line to an intersection with a line parallel to, and 100 feet southerly from, the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a special term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of court on that day.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 7, 1902.

HENRY THOMPSON, Chairman;

ARTHUR MAVER,

JOHN F. BOUILLON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M11,29.

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening QUARRY ROAD (al-

though not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs, and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street with the easterly line of Park avenue East; running thence northerly along said easterly line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to the middle line of the blocks between Third avenue and Quarry road, measured in the direction of said middle line of the block; thence northerly along a line parallel to the easterly line of Third avenue to the southerly line of Belmont place; thence northeasterly to the intersection of the northeasterly line of Third avenue with the middle line of the blocks between Hoffman street and Arthur avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Hughes avenue and Belmont avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the northerly line of Crescent avenue; thence southwesterly to the intersection of the southerly line of Crescent avenue with the middle line of the blocks between Adams place and Hughes avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Grote street to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Cambreleng avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its southerly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of Grote street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to an intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Belmont avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to the middle line of the blocks between Third avenue and Bathgate avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 21st, 1902.

JOHN A. GROW, Chairman;

EUGENE S. WILLARD,

SIDNEY J. COWEN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M11,29

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST FIFTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eleventh avenue to established bulkhead line of the Hudson river, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, 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 4th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 15th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, lying midway between Clay avenue and Teller avenue, when measured in the direction of said prolongation; running thence northerly to the intersection of the southerly line of Belmont street with the middle line of the blocks between Weeks avenue and East-burn avenue; thence still northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northeasterly along said line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Mount Hope place and Tremont avenue; thence easterly along said middle line and its easterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Anthony avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence

southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Carter avenue; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of Carter avenue to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence southerly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street with the middle line of the block between Anthony avenue and Webster avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly line of Park avenue, East; thence southerly along said westerly line to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence westerly along said northerly line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 3, 1902.

JOHN DEWITT WARNER, Chairman;

JOHN T. SIMON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M14, 22

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening QUARRY ROAD (al-



to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 11th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the middle line of the blocks between West Fifty-second street and West Fifty-third street with the bulkhead line of the Hudson river; running thence northerly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West Fifty-third street and West Fifty-fourth street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West Fifty-second street and West Fifty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 6, 1902.

MICHAEL J. SCANLON, Chairman;  
PHILEAS LEWISON,  
DAVID H. HENDERSON,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening LORILLARD PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Pelham avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Lorillard place; thence northeasterly along said southerly prolongation and middle line to the middle line of the block between Third avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence northeasterly along said middle line and its prolongation northwesterly to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Third avenue to the southeasterly side of Washington avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly side of Washington avenue and said side prolonged northwesterly to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the southwesterly side of Arthur avenue; thence southwesterly along said northeasterly prolongation and northwesterly side of Arthur avenue to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Belmont place; thence northwesterly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Hoffman street and Lorillard place; thence southwesterly along said middle line to the easterly side of Belmont place near its junction with Third avenue; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the westerly side of Belmont place with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence northwesterly along said northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 2, 1901.

JAMES R. ELY, Chairman;  
OBER H. SANDERSON,  
JOHN F. BOUILLON,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Park avenue to Beaumont avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northwesterly line of Crotona avenue with the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; running thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Park avenue West; thence northeasterly along said line to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Crotona avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area, all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, City, December 20, 1901.

SAMUEL SANDERS,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn

parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to a point in said middle line, distant about 225 feet from the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence southerly along a straight line to a point in the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and distant about 215.37 feet from the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence on a straight line, crossing East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, to the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street with the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence southerly along the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street to a line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the westerly side of Brook avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Brook avenue to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the southerly side of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area, all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 7, 1902.

FORDHAM MORRIS, Chairman;  
WM. GROSSMAN,  
WM. ARROWSMITH,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m10,22

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BENSON AVENUE, from Fourteenth avenue to Fifteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Commencing at the intersection of the centre line of the block between Benson avenue and Bath avenue and the southeasterly side of Fourteenth avenue, and running thence northeasterly and along the southerly side of Fourteenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street; running thence southeasterly along said centre line of the block between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street to the northwesterly side of Fifteenth avenue; running thence southwesterly and along the northwesterly side of Fifteenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Bath avenue and Benson avenue, and thence northwesterly along said centre line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

WILLIAM A. MATHIS, Chairman;  
JOHN A. QUINTARD,  
WILLIAM J. GRIFFIN,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required

for the purpose of opening EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, from Avenue T to Avenue V, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ANDREW J. PERRY, David Porter and William Herod were appointed, by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of February, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,  
Corporation Counsel.  
m10,26

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT George F. Elliott, Robert S. Cortelyou and Harry A. Terrel were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of February, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,  
Corporation Counsel.  
m10,20

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT HENRY M. Dater, Franklin B. Van Wart and Hugh Moore were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 5th day of March, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,  
Corporation Counsel.  
m10,20

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Thirteenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Thirteenth avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, as said avenue and streets are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, to the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets, as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence westerly along the said centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets, to the easterly line of Thirteenth avenue aforesaid, and thence southerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 10th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

CHARLES H. WINSLOW, Chairman;  
JAMES E. DAVIS,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27



## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Sixth avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, as said avenue and streets are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence easterly along said centre line of the block to the westerly line of Seventh avenue, as laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of the block between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence westerly along said centre line of the block between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, to the easterly line of Sixth avenue aforesaid; and thence northerly along the easterly line of Sixth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 21, 1902.  
LIVINGSTON BEEKMAN, Chairman.  
JOHN LYNCH,  
FRANK HART,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the centre line of the block between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets with the westerly line of Seventh avenue, as said street and avenue are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence westerly along the said centre line of the block between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets to the easterly line of Sixth avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line to a point which would be the centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets to the westerly line of Seventh avenue aforesaid; and thence northerly along said last-mentioned line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 21, 1902.  
JOSE E. RIDGON, Chairman.  
MATTHEW J. MURPHY,  
JAMES MULCAHY,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TENTH AVENUE, from Twentieth street to Fifteenth street, in the Twenty-second Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Fifteenth street, which point is distant 37.87 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Fifteenth street with the westerly line of Tenth avenue, as said avenue and street are laid down on the Commissioners' map of the City of Brooklyn, which said point is the centre line of the block between Tenth avenue and Prospect Park West, formerly Ninth avenue, and running southerly along said centre line of the block to the southerly line of Prospect avenue, at a point 350 feet westerly from the westerly side of Tenth avenue, which point is the centre line of the block between Ninth avenue and Tenth avenue, and running thence southerly along said centre line to the northerly side of Twelfth street, at a point 350 feet west of the westerly side of Tenth avenue, thence easterly along the northerly side of Twelfth street to a point 350 feet easterly from the northeast corner of Tenth avenue and Twelfth street; running thence northerly along the centre line of the block between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, to a point 349.79 feet easterly from the northeast corner of Tenth and Prospect avenues, and which point is the centre of the block between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and running thence again northerly along the centre line of said block to the southerly line of Fifteenth street, at a point distant 347.87 feet easterly from Tenth avenue, and thence westerly along the southerly side of Fifteenth street, to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 21, 1902.  
JOHN A. CLARRY, Chairman.  
E. V. PARLESSUS,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GARDEN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Grote street to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the southwesterly line of

Garden Street; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Crotona Avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second Street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Belmont Avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third Street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona Avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grote Street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 17, 1902.  
THEODORE E. SMITH, Chairman.  
CHARLES GERLICH,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m10,27.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SPENCER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Spencer Place; running thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street; thence westerly along the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street to the easterly line of Mott Avenue; thence northerly, northeasterly and easterly, along the easterly line of Mott Avenue and the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Spencer Place; thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of the N. Y. & H. R. R. property; thence southerly along said property line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street; thence westerly by said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 23, 1902.  
JOHN F. O'RYAN, Chairman.  
CORNELIUS J. EARLEY,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m10,27.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MACY PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Hewitt place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 29th day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 9th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Dawson street with the easterly line of Union avenue; running thence northerly along said line of Union avenue to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Westchester avenue; thence northeasterly along said line of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the westerly line of Prospect avenue; thence easterly to the intersection of the easterly line of Prospect avenue with the southwesterly line of Longwood avenue; thence southeasterly along said line of Longwood avenue to the northerly line of Dawson street; thence westerly along said line of Dawson street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area, all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 10, 1902.  
DANIEL J. EARLY, Chairman.  
THOMAS J. SANDFORD,  
NATHANIEL LEVY,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,26.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 29th day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 9th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Eighty-third street and West One Hundred and Eighty-second street, with the middle line of the blocks between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue; running thence northerly along said middle line between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and West One Hundred Eighty-sixth street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the blocks and the easterly prolongation of said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Amsterdam avenue and the Speedway; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Eighty-second street and West One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks and the westerly prolongation of said middle line to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 26, 1902.  
RIGUAL T. WOODWARD, Chairman.  
JOHN McANDREW,  
W. T. McGRATH,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,26.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUN-



DRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brook avenue to Crotona Park, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 8, 1902.

OSGOOD SMITH,  
WM. G. ROSS,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,19.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LYMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Stebbins avenue to Freeman street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 29th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 9th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street, with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Lyman place and Chisholm street, running thence southerly along said prolongation and middle line and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Home street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Home street to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Lyman place through a point equally distant from the westerly line of Lyman place and the northerly corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 27, 1902.

MARTIN WALLACE, Chairman.  
T. J. O'CONNELL,  
MICHAEL J. KELLY,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,26.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (Andrew's Place), (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Croton Aqueduct to Jerome avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward, of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 7, 1902.

CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE,  
HERMAN ALSEBERG,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m7,18.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from St. Ann's avenue to East One Hundred and Thirty-first street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward, of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 7, 1902.

WINTHROP PARKER,  
THOMAS F. WOODS,  
J. D. ROMAN BALDWIN,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m7,18.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the East River between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN** order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 26th day of February, 1902, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 27th day of February, 1902, Arthur F. Bowers was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Joseph Blumenthal, deceased.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order and the statute in such case made and provided, the said Arthur F. Bowers will attend at a Special Term of said court, to be held in Part II. thereof, at the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 19th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated, March 5, 1902.  
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City m7-18

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the PUBLIC PARKS, (although not yet named by proper authority), lying between Spuyten Duyvil road and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, extending from a point opposite Johnson avenue to about 650 feet in a southerly direction in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 27th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 7th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the United States Pier and Bulkhead Line of the Harlem River with a line drawn at right angles to the southeasterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road through a point distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom and 100 feet southerly from the southerly property line of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Branch of the N. Y. C. and H. R. R.; thence northerly along said right-angled line to the point above described distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road; thence southeasterly, westerly and northerly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly, southerly and westerly from the southeasterly, southerly and westerly lines of Spuyten Duyvil road to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of an unnamed street running from Johnson avenue to Spuyten Duyvil road near the first railroad crossing of the Spuyten Duyvil road eastward from Spuyten Duyvil Station; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line and the easterly prolongation thereof to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Kappock street; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the northerly line of Kappock street through a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Johnson avenue with

the southeasterly line of Kappock street; thence easterly along said right-angled line to said point of intersection; thence northerly along the northerly line of Johnson avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Kappock street; thence northerly along said parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Kappock street to its intersection with the middle line of the block between West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street; thence southeasterly along said middle line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Riverdale avenue; thence southeasterly to the intersection of the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Corlear street; thence southeasterly along said line to its intersection with the northerly line of United States Pier and Bulkhead line of Spuyten Duyvil Creek; thence westerly and southeasterly along said bulkhead line and the bulkhead line of the Harlem River first mentioned to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III. to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 11, 1902.

JOHN J. QUINLAN, Chairman.  
W. GARROW FISHER,  
DANIEL F. McCANN,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m10, 27

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The Council to the Corporation of The City of New York, upon the written request of the Department of Public Parks of the said City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands, property rights, terms, easements and privileges necessary to be acquired pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An Act to lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway in The City of New York."

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN** order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York bearing date the 26th day of February, 1902, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 5th day of March, 1902, William D. Leonard was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Henry Hughes, deceased.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order and the statute in such case made and provided the said William D. Leonard will attend at a Special Term of said Court to be held in Part II. thereof at the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 19th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any person having an interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated, New York, March 5, 1902.  
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. m7-18

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to STEVENS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first class streets or roads, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 27th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 8th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly side of Jerome avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Jerome avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Fordham road and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Creston avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of Fordham road; thence easterly along the southerly side of Fordham road

to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line and its prolongation easterly to the westerly side of Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, West); thence southerly along said westerly side of Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, West) to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street lying easterly from Webster avenue, from the middle point of a line parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom, said point being equally distant from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and from the intersection of said line parallel to Marion avenue prolonged southerly with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to its intersection with the aforesaid line drawn parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southerly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said 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 for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III. to be held in the County Court House, in The Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 24, 1902.

CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE,  
DANIEL F. SHEEHAN,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,24.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening RITIER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Union avenue to Prospect avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 5, 1902.

THOMAS F. BYRNE,  
THOMAS F. SCHWARTZ,  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,15.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BELMONT PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 5, 1902.

CHARLES W. GOULD,  
THOS. J. MILLER,  
FLOYD M. LARD,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,15.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CROMWELL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Inwood avenue to Macomb's Dam road (or Highwood avenue), as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.



Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK,  
March 5, 1902.

JOSEPH KAUFMANN,  
HENRY O'DONNELL,  
FREDERICK E. HAIGHT,  
Commissioners.  
m5,15.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Brook avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK,  
March 5, 1902.

SIDNEY J. COWEN,  
MICHAEL SEXTON,  
M. SHOENFELD,  
Commissioners.  
m5,15.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ADAMS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority) from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Crescent avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK,  
March 8, 1902.

EDWARD BROWNE,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.  
m8,19.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening GROTE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Southern Boulevard and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, lying between Southern Boulevard and Crotona avenue; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between Clinton avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence northwesterly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Belmont avenue and Hughes avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line and its prolongation northwesterly to

its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Quarry road and Arthur avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the blocks between Belmont avenue and Hughes avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Southern Boulevard and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of The Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK,  
January 8, 1902.

FRANK D. ARTHUR, Chairman;  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
HENRY H. SHERMAN,  
Commissioners.  
m4,21.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, formerly Grand avenue (although not yet named by proper authority) from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of March, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point lying in the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and distant 2,000 feet southerly therefrom, said point being 2,450 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; running thence northerly along a line at right angles to said prolongation to the easterly property line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, Putnam Division; thence northerly along said property line to the northern boundary of The City of New York; thence easterly along said northern boundary to the west bank of the Bronx river; thence southerly along the west bank of the Bronx river to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and distant 2,000 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK,  
December 23, 1901.

JOHN L. QUINLAN,  
HENRY L. BRIDGES,  
Commissioners.  
m1,19.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris avenue to Claremont Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of

New York, on or before the 21st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street with the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; running thence northerly along the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Belmont street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Teller avenue and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of The Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK,  
November 26, 1901.

RUFUS B. COWING, Jr., Chairman;  
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,  
Commissioners.  
m1,19.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Avenue M to Avenue K., in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts or acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the Office of the Law Department, room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of March, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

FRANK E. O'REILLY,  
EDWIN A. ROCKWELL,  
JOHN WATSON,  
Commissioners.  
f21, m17.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening RYER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Burnside avenue to East 187th street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 19th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of March, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Tremont avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Anthony avenue, running thence northerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence, still northerly, to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence, continuing northerly, along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Valentine avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northwesterly line of Webster avenue; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of Webster avenue to the junction of Valentine avenue and Webster avenue; thence westerly to its intersection with the northerly line of Tremont avenue; thence, still westerly, along the northerly line of Tremont avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of The Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our Benefit Maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York,  
December 30th, 1901.

JAMES W. HAWES, Chairman;  
ANDREW S. HAMMERSLEY, Jr.,  
JAMES O. FARRELL,  
Commissioners.  
f27, m17.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Second avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of November, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 5th day of November, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts or acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of March, 1902, at four o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

ALFRED F. BRITTON,  
FRANK G. MILLER,  
THOMAS C. WHITLOCK,  
Commissioners.  
f20, m15.

CHARLES 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. HUBBARD PLACE, from East Fortieth street to Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE,** the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of November, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 5th day of November, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of March, 1902, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 12, 1902.  
ALBERT M. FRAGNER,  
EDWIN A. ROCKWELL,  
JAMES G. TIGHE,  
Commissioners.  
f20, m15

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BUTLER STREET from Flatbush avenue to Nostrand avenue, in the Twenty-ninth 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 31st day of March, 1900, 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 4th day of April, 1900, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section 10, blocks 5109, 5120, 5110, 5127, 5128, 5111, 5129, 5130 and 5131, 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, tenements, hereditaments and premises required 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 XVII 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, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our office on the 7th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, March 10, 1902.  
AMBROSE B. TREMAINE,  
MATTHEW J. MURPHY,  
JOHN F. KENNY,  
Commissioners.  
m13, 34.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to MARTENSE STREET from New York avenue to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-ninth 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 5th day of November, 1900, 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 12th day of November, 1900, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Sections 15 and 16, Blocks 5086, 5087, 5088, 4868, 4869, 5089, 5090, 5091, 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 XVII 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, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of April, 1902, at 1:30 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, March 10, 1902.  
JOHN B. LORD, JAMES A. MURTHA, JR.,  
PHILIP D. MEAGHER, Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m13, 34.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HAWTHORNE STREET, from Nostrand avenue to Albany avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE,** the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of April, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such 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, March 11, 1902.  
A. C. WHEELER,  
PETER MAHONY,  
JOSEPH MANNE,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m14, 35.

## 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 EIGHTIETH STREET, from Fourteenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all

houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Fourteenth avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets; running thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets to the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; thence westerly along said centre line of the block to the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue, as said streets and avenues are laid down on the map of the town survey, commissioners, and thence southerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.  
ROBERT O'BRYEN, Chairman;  
WM. G. MORRISSEY,  
WALDO BULLARD,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10, 27.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTEENTH AVENUE, from Forty-second street to West street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Forty-second street, which said point is the centre line of the block between Fifteenth and Sixteenth avenues, as said streets and avenues are laid down on the map of the town survey commission; running thence northerly along said centre line, and parallel with Fifteenth avenue, to the westerly side of West street; thence northerly along said last-mentioned line to the southerly line of Thirty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line 180 feet, more or less, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn at right angles with Thirty-sixth street and equidistant between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues; thence southerly along said line and a line in continuation thereof to the northerly line of Forty-second street aforesaid, and running thence easterly along Forty-second street, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Avenue C and the easterly line of West street, as said streets are laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence easterly along said Avenue C to the centre line of the block between West street and Gravesend avenue; thence southerly along said centre line aforesaid 300 feet to a point; thence westerly on a line at right angles with West street to the easterly line of West street aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

OLIVER E. STANTON,  
SEWARD SHANAHAN,  
JOHN R. FARRAR,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10, 27.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Church avenue to Avenue C, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

On the east by the centre line of the block between East Thirty-second street and New York avenue; on the south by the southerly side of Avenue C; on the west by the centre line of the block between East Thirty-first and East Thirty-second streets, and on the north by the northerly side of Church avenue, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.  
THOMAS F. SMITH, Chairman;  
JOHN W. CARPENTER,  
SEWARD SHANAHAN,  
Commissioners.  
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10, 27.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MERRIAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Ogden avenue to Aqueduct avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 8, 1902.  
WILLIAM H. HURST,  
THOMAS F. FZSIMONS,  
C. W. WEST,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8, 19.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to Exterior street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 8, 1902.  
JOHN DEWITT WARNER,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
EDWIN A. WATSON,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8, 19.



## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CRESCENT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 3d day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of the Southern boulevard with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; running thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Crotona avenue and Prospect avenue; thence southerly to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence westerly to the middle line of the block between Beaumont avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Beaumont avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Hughes avenue and Belmont avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Adams place and Hughes avenue; thence southerly to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southerly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street with the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hughes avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of that portion of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Oak Tree place, lying between Arthur avenue and Lafontaine avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of the block between Lafontaine avenue and Monterey avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Quarry road to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Quarry road; thence northerly along said last mentioned parallel line and northerly along a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Belmont place to the southeasterly line of Third avenue; thence still northerly to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Third avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of that portion of Third avenue lying between East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence northerly along said parallel line and its northerly prolongation to the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly to the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Lorillard place with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Third avenue; thence southeasterly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lorillard place and Hoffman street; thence northerly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Belmont place and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, lying between Arthur avenue and Hoffman street, said line being parallel with East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hoffman street; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly to the middle line of the blocks between Hughes avenue and Arthur avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and

Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly to its intersection with the prolongation of the middle line of the block between Cambreling avenue and Beaumont avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the westerly line of the Southern boulevard; thence southerly to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 6, 1901.

ARTHUR INGRAHAM,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m3,20.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ST. PAUL'S PLACE, (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Fulton avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 8, 1902.

SELIGMAN MANHEIMER,  
JOHN F. BOULLON,  
THOS. J. MILLER,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,19.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETEENTH STREET, from Vanderbilt street to Old City Line, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE,** the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order hereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the Office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant, or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

FRANK REYNOLDS,  
LAWRENCE J. CUNNINGHAM,  
Commissioners.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SULLIVAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of March, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Washington Square West with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Washington Square South; running thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Thompson street; thence southerly along said prolongation and westerly line of Thompson street to its intersection with the middle line of the block between West Third street and Bleeker street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Sullivan street and Thompson street; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the northerly line of Canal street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Canal street to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Macdougall street and Sullivan street; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Bleeker street and West Third street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the easterly line of Macdougall street; thence northerly along said line of Macdougall street and the easterly line of Washington Square West to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 27, 1902.

EDGAR M. LEVENTRITT, Chairman;  
JOSEPH L. BOYLE,  
CHARLES E. F. McCANN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m1,19.

## 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 BATTERY AVENUE, from One Hundred and Seventh street to Eighty-sixth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE,** the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of January, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order hereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, on the 5th day of January, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the Office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant, or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 12, 1902.

HORATIO C. KING,  
ALBERT C. GOODWIN,  
GEO. W. PALMER,  
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m15, 27.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to FIFTH AVENUE from Stone avenue to line between Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in the Twenty-ninth 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 22nd day of June, 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 29th day of June, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in sections 12 and 13, blocks 3709, 3710, 3711, 3712, 3713, 3714, 3715, 3716, 3717, 3718, 3719, 3720, 3721, 3722, 3723, 3724, 3725, 3726, 3727, 3728, 3729, 3730, 3731, 3732, 3733, 3734, 3735, 3736, 3737, 3738, 3739, 3740, 3741, 3742, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4211, 4212, 4213, 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4227, 4228, 4229, 4230, 4231, 4232, 4233, 4234, 4235, 4236, 4237, 4238, 4239, 4219, 4220, 4222, 4223, 4224, 4225, 4226, 4240, 4242, 4243, 4244, 3993, 3994, 4009, 4010, 3995, 3996, 3997, 3998, 3999, 4000, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 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 XVII, of the Charter of the City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties or persons interested in the lands or 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, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proof 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, NEW YORK, March 8, 1902.

GEO. W. PALMER,  
ANDREW LEMON,  
JOSEPH E. OWENS,  
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m15, 27.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to AVENUE K, from Ocean avenue to Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE,** the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 30th day of March, 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 8th day of April, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section 23, blocks 7602, 7603, 7604, 7605, 7606, 7607, 7608, 7609, 7610, 7611, 7612, 7613, 7614, 7615, 7616, 7617, 7618, 7619, 7620, 7621, 7622, 7623, 7624, 7625, 7626, 7627, 7628, 7629, 7630, 7631, 7632, 7633, 7634, 7635, 7636, 7637, 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, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, March 8, 1902.

HARVEY HOWARD DALE,  
HENRY JOSEPH,  
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m15, 27.