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AN APPROVED PAPER.

Whereas, September 3, 1904, the Saturday next preceding Labor Day, is a half-holiday; and

Whereas, Many persons and families desire to and do leave town on Friday evening, September 2, 1904, to remain away until Tuesday morning, September 6, 1904; therefore be it

Resolved, That the heads of the several departments of the Government of The City of New York be and they are hereby requested to close their respective offices on Saturday, September 3, 1904, and that all offices not required by the law to be kept open for public business be closed on said Saturday, and the said heads of departments are severally requested to pay all per diem men for these days where practicable.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, August 31, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

NEW YORK, August 16, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, I herewith transmit for publication in the CITY RECORD the following report of the transactions of this office for the week ending July 30, 1904.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Commissioner of Public Works.

Public Moneys Received during Week.

	BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.	BUREAU OF SEWERS.	TOTAL.
For restoring and repaving pavement (water connections, openings).....	\$20 80	.....	.....
For restoring and repaving pavement (sewer connections, openings).....	48 80	.....	.....
For restoring and repaving pavement (general account).....	108 77	.....	.....
For sewer permits.....		\$27 00	.....
Total	\$178 37	\$27 00	\$205 37

Permits Issued.

	BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.	BUREAU OF SEWERS.	TOTAL.
Permits to open streets to tap water pipes.....	7	.....	.....
Permits to open streets to repair water pipes.....	3	.....	.....
Permits to open streets to make sewer connections.....	9	.....	.....
Permit to open streets to repair sewer connections.....	1	.....	.....
Permits—special.....	45	.....	.....
Permits for new sewer connections.....		9	.....
Total	65	9	74

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller.

General Administration.....	\$54 56
Bureau of Highways.....	10,570 97
Bureau of Sewers.....	345 95
Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	1,881 78
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	3,750 14
Topographical Bureau.....	2,475 03
Total.....	\$19,078 43

Total.....

Work Done.

Bureau of Sewers—	
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	6,800
Linear feet of sewer repaired.....	2
Number of basins cleaned.....	59
Number of basins examined.....	105
Number of manholes cleaned.....	23
Linear feet of culverts examined.....	201
Linear feet of culverts and drains cleaned.....	825
Number of flush tanks examined and cleaned.....	50
Total.....	534 1/2

Bureau of Street Cleaning—

Number of loads of ashes collected.....	534 1/2
Number of loads of street sweepings collected.....	662
Number of loads of light refuse collected.....	52
Number of loads of garbage collected.....	270

Statement of Laboring Force Employed.

EIGHT HOURS CONSTITUTE ONE WORKING DAY.	BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.		BUREAU OF SEWERS.		BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING.		BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.		ENGINEER CORPS.	TOTAL.
	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.		
Foremen.....	23	152 1/4	2	12 1/2	5	33 3/4	4	22	34	220 1/2
Assistant Foremen.....	.....	.....	3	20 3/4	.....	.....	3	10 1/2	1	20 3/4
Foremen (Ass. Section).....	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....
Laborers.....	140	584 1/2	18	111 3/8	93	537 1/2	6	9	261	1,293 1/2
Laborers (Crematory).....	.....	.....	4	27	.....	.....	4	27	.....	.....
Carts.....	22	103 1/4	1	6 1/2	11	67 3/4	.....	.....	34	177 1/2
Carts (garbage, etc.).....	.....	.....	36	209	.....	.....	36	209	.....	.....
Sprinkling carts.....	34	68 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	68 1/2	.....	.....
Teams.....	43	174 3/4	.....	.....	3	10 1/4	.....	.....	46	185 1/2
Drivers.....	1	7	1	6	2	7	6	36	9	56
Sweepers.....	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....
Steam rollers.....	1	7 1/4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	7 1/4	.....	.....
Janitors.....	.....	.....	2	14	.....	.....	2	14	.....	.....
Female cleaners.....	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....
Mechanics.....	7	39 1/2	1	6 1/2	.....	.....	2	14	.....	2
Mechanic's Helper.....	2	13	.....	.....	2	14	.....	.....	10	60 3/8
Mason's Helper.....	.....	.....	1	7	.....	.....	3	20	.....	.....
Labs, Acting Foremen.....	.....	.....	2	13 1/4	.....	.....	1	6	.....	1 1/2

women arrested on civil process and confined in the County Jail, and although there are none there now they may be arrested at any time. The only thing that separates the civil prisoners and those charged with crime is a mere iron grating, and although the two classes of prisoners are separated, they are, nevertheless, in the same building, within view of each other, and the atmosphere of the institution can be greatly improved by removing therefrom to the City Prison all Federal prisoners now confined there and hereafter taken into custody on criminal process by the United States Marshal.

The Charter of The City of New York, as amended in 1903 (section 205), vests in your Honorable Body the power to designate the City Prison, known as the Tombs, as the place where all United States prisoners charged with crime or committed on criminal process from any court or officer of the United States shall be confined. This law, I am advised, supersedes all prior laws that may have existed on the subject, and I respectfully ask, in the circumstances, that the designation be made.

If there must be a debtor's jail in this enlightened age and in this great State it is sufficient punishment for the laboring man who finds himself unable to pay a debt, and for that matter for any one else, that he is forced to undergo the punishment of imprisonment, without being placed in an atmosphere with persons charged with all kinds of felonies and high misdemeanors. Therefore, in the interest of the particular citizen who may be liable to arrest under the civil laws of our State, and who may be compelled to endure a much longer restraint in the civil prison than a criminal may be obliged to endure in States' Prison for a crime, I beg that you pass the resolution in the form herewith inclosed.

In the month of June of this year a resolution was passed designating the Tombs as the place for the confinement of all persons committed to the custody of the Sheriff upon criminal process. As I wrote you at the time, this was made to cover principally contempt cases, and was not intended to cover Federal prisoners.

The resolution passed in the form of the one inclosed will obviate all question and will be sufficient evidence to the United States Marshal and the Warden of the City Prison of the change.

Awaiting your early consideration,

Faithfully yours,

MICHELL L. ERLANGER.

Sheriff Erlanger appeared before the Board and was heard at length in regard to the matter. Discussion followed.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby designate the building known as the New City Prison, on Centre street, between Franklin and Leonard streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, commonly known as the Tombs, as the Common Jail of New York County, for the confinement of all persons charged with crimes or offences against the Government of the United States or committed to the Sheriff of New York County or to a County or Common Jail of said County, upon criminal process issued by a Court or Officer of the United States; be it further

Resolved, That a duly certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Sheriff of New York County, the United States Marshal for the Southern District of New York, the Warden of the City Prison, and the Warden of the Ludlow Street Jail in New York County. This resolution to take effect September 15, 1904.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to bill of Henry W. McVicker for making an appraisal of the St. George Ferry terminal in the Borough of Richmond:

AUGUST 24, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—There has been referred to this office a bill dated July 21, 1904, of Henry W. McVicker of the McVicker, Gaillard Realty Company, for services rendered to a sub-committee of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in the matter of the appraisal of the St. George Ferry terminal, in the Borough of Richmond.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund May 16, 1904, a committee of three, consisting of the Comptroller, Chamberlain and the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, were appointed to report upon the Dock Commissioners' recommendation in regard to the purchase of the Staten Island Ferry terminal at St. George.

At the meeting of May 23, 1904, the Committee was continued and empowered to employ an appraiser to value the property. I am informed that Henry W. McVicker was so employed, and under date of June 9, 1904, made a written appraisal to the above-named committee.

The bill does not as yet come properly before the Department of Finance, as it has not been approved by the sub-committee nor certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

When this is done, it will then be in proper form to be submitted to this Department for audit and settlement, pursuant to the provisions of section 149, of the Charter.

Respectfully,

CHANDLER W. WITHINGTON, Principal Assistant Engineer.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Henry W. McVicker the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in full payment for his bill for services rendered to the Committee of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, appointed by the Mayor, in the matter of the appraisal of the St. George Ferry terminal, Borough of Richmond; said payment to be made from the appropriation for 1904 entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of."

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to a transfer of \$950:

AUGUST 25, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—During the year 1904 there have been employed by the Department of Finance at various times experts to report on matters referred by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to the Comptroller. The bills for such services have been paid out of the fund for "Supplies and Contingencies," Department of Finance, but in reality are a proper charge against the fund for, "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of."

The several bills as paid and to be paid are as follows:

Gardner & Cox, Naval Architects, Report on proposed boats for the Staten Island service	\$300 00
Cornelius G. Kolf, Appraisal of St. George Terminal	250 00
Conference and joint report	50 00
George W. Cornell, Appraisal of St. George Terminal, conference and joint report	300 00
Bryan L. Kennelly, conference and joint report on St. George Terminal	50 00
Total	\$950 00

I would therefore recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the payment of these bills and adopt a resolution approving the transfer of \$950 from the fund "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," to the fund "Supplies and Contingencies," Department of Finance, to reimburse the latter fund.

Respectfully,

CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Principal Assistant Engineer.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby consent to the transfer of the sum of nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) from the appropriation made to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the year 1904, entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," to the appropriation made to the Department of Finance for the same year, entitled "Supplies and Contingencies, Comptroller's Office."

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to a renewal of the lease of premises on Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets, Borough of The Bronx, for the Board of Education:

AUGUST 12, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education at a meeting held July 27, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the lease of the basement and parish house of St. John's German Lutheran Church on Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets, Borough of The Bronx, occupied as an annex to Public School 2, for a period up to July 1, 1905, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, at the present annual rental, \$2,100, and on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Lessors, St. John's German Lutheran Church, F. Beiderbecke, Secretary, No. 1013 East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx.

The Board of Health and the Bureau of Buildings having reported favorably on the condition of the premises for school purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the renewal of this lease from November 28, 1904, to July 1, 1905, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as are in the existing lease.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a renewal of the lease to the City, from the Trustees of St. John's German Lutheran Church, of the basement and Parish House of St. John's German Lutheran Church, on Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets, Borough of The Bronx, for a term from November 28, 1904, to July 1, 1905, with the privilege of a renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to the renewal of leases of premises corner Leonard and Stagg streets and premises on Berry street, near South Third street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Board of Education:

AUGUST 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education at a meeting held July 11, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize the renewal of the leases of the following-named premises for school purposes, as follows:

Premises southwest corner Leonard and Stagg streets, Brooklyn; owner, German Evangelical Mission Church, Fred. Cloos, treasurer, No. 39 Stagg street, Brooklyn; annex to Public School 43; District 33; lease expires December 12, 1904; term, one year, and renewal for one year; annual rental, \$1,200.

Premises Berry street, near South Third, Brooklyn; owner, St. Peter and St. Paul Church, Rev. Jno. L. Bedford, treasurer, No. 69 South Third street, Brooklyn; annex to Eastern District High School; lease expires, December 15, 1904; term, one year; annual rental, \$2,250 and taxes.

The Board of Health and the Bureau of Buildings having reported favorably on the condition of these premises for school purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of these leases on the same terms and conditions as are in the existing leases.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of renewals of leases to the City of the following premises in the Borough of Brooklyn:

1. The basement of the German Evangelical Church on the southeast corner of Leonard and Stagg streets, for a term of one year from December 12, 1904, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. The trustees of the German Evangelical Church, lessors.

2. Four rooms in the front of the building known as McCaddin Hall, Berry street, near South Third street, for the use of the Eastern District High School (two on the first floor, one on the second floor and one on the third floor), also two rooms in the basement for lavatory purposes and the use of the auditorium one morning each week, for a term of one year from December 16, 1904, at an annual rental of two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,250), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rents fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such leases be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to the lease of premises at No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, for the Police Department:

AUGUST 3, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—At a meeting held on April 12, 1904, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from Samuel Garland of the two-story frame building known as No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Police Department for a period of one year from the date of occupation, with the privilege of semi-annual renewal as long as may be required, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable monthly, the City to "assume the obligation to pay for water, light, heat and janitor service; the lessor to remove all the manure from the premises; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the

"interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter."

The lessor refused to execute the lease, though the Police Department have had possession, claiming that the portion of the building leased should be more specifically mentioned in the resolution, as it was not the intention of the Police Department to have the entire building. Investigation into the matter shows that the part desired is known as "the rear portion of the second floor of the premises Nos. 751 to 759 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, containing twenty-two stalls, waiting room for use of men, feed room, space for lockers and harness and runway which connects with ground floor, and sufficient space on the ground floor for the storage of four vehicles.

I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund rescind the resolution of April 12, 1904, relating to premises Nos. 751 to 759 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the rear portion of the second floor of the premises Nos. 751 to 759 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, containing twenty-two stalls, waiting room for use of men, feed room, space for lockers and harness and runway, which connects with ground floor and sufficient space on the ground floor for the storage of four vehicles, for a period of one year from the date of occupation at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable monthly, with the privilege of semi-annual renewals as long as may be required. The lessor to remove all the manure from the premises and allow the privilege of the use of the washstand for the vehicles; the City to pay for light, heat, water and janitor service, and make any interior repairs to that portion of the premises occupied by the Police Department. Lessor, Samuel Garland.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

M. G. MULLOWNEY,
For the Bureau of Real Estate.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held April 12, 1904, authorizing a lease of the two-story frame building known as No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Police Department, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from Samuel Garland, of the rear portion of the second floor of the premises Nos. 751-759 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, containing twenty-two (22) stalls, waiting room for the use of the men, feed room, space for lockers and harness and runway, which connects with the ground floor, and sufficient space on the ground floor for the storage of four (4) vehicles for the use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from the date of occupation, at an annual rental of one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable monthly, with the privilege of semi-annual renewals as long as may be required; the lessor to remove all the manure from the premises and allow the privilege of the use of the washstand for the vehicles; the City to pay for light, heat, water and janitor service and make any interior repairs to that portion of the premises occupied by the Police Department; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolutions severally unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department relative to a renewal of the lease of premises corner Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Borough of The Bronx:

NEW YORK, July 19, 1904.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to renew lease with Catherine T. Cunningham, as General Guardian, etc., of premises southwest corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixtieth street, for additional accommodations for the Police Force of the Thirty-sixth Precinct, for six months from November 1, 1904, the short term being requested on account of new station-house being built for the Thirty-sixth Precinct, which should be completed at or about the time of expiration of the lease, and consent of Mrs. Cunningham having been obtained to renewal for such period.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

Approved for renewal for a period of six months from November 1, 1904, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as are contained in the existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from Mrs. Catharine T. Cunningham, as general guardian, etc., of premises on the southwest corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Police Department, for a period of six months from November 1, 1904, at a rental at the rate of nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) per annum, payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease, —the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises on Main street, Tottenville, Borough of Richmond:

NEW YORK, June 21, 1904.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to rescind their resolution adopted August 10, 1903, amending their resolution of June 10, 1903, making the terms of lease for premises owned by Martin L. Fisher, at Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, for three years from July 1, 1903, under certain conditions, viz.: That the lessor should erect a stable to accommodate ten horses on ground adjoining the present precinct sub-station, etc.

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of lease from Martin L. Fisher of premises situated on the southerly side of East Broadway, near Main street, in the Village of Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, for the use of the Police Department for a term of three years from July 1, 1904, at an annual rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), payable quarterly, upon the same terms and conditions as existing lease.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund rescind the resolution of August 10, 1903, amending a resolution of June 10, 1903, authorizing a lease of the premises owned by Martin L. Fisher, at Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, for Police Department purposes, and herewith approve of the request of the Police Department for a renewal of the lease of premises situated on the northerly side of East Broadway, near Main street, Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, for the use of the Police Department, for a term of three years from July 1, 1904, at an annual rental of \$480, payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held August 10, 1903, amending resolution adopted at meeting held June 10, 1903, authorizing the lease of premises on East Broadway, near Main street, in the Village of Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, for the use of the Police Department, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Martin L. Fisher, of premises situated on the southerly side of East Broadway, near Main street, in the Village of Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, for the use of the Police Department, for a term of three years from July 1, 1904, at an annual rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease, —the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which were severally unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Board of Coroners, Borough of The Bronx, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises at corner of Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx:

Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, Commissioners of Sinking Fund:

DEAR SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on May 2, 1902, authorized the leasing of the second floor of the premises on the northeast corner of Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, for the term of two years, with the privilege of renewal, for the use of the Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx. The term of the lease expired on the 1st day of May this year, and we would respectfully suggest that it be renewed for two years from that date.

The owner of said premises is John P. Friedhoff, and they may be described as the second floor of the building located at the northeast corner of Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, New York City. The proposed term is two years from May 1, 1904. The rent is \$1,500 (fifteen hundred dollars) per annum, payable in quarterly equal payments.

The lessor makes all repairs at his own expense, pays water rent and furnishes light and heat.

It is absolutely necessary that offices and court-room be provided for the Coroners and the premises recommended are the most reasonable that can be secured for the purpose desired.

The rent is paid from the appropriation for "Rents," which is sufficient to cover this expense.

JOSEPH I. BERRY,
WILLIAM O'GORMAN, Jr.

Approved for renewal on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease, for a period of two years from May 1, 1904; lessor, John P. Friedhoff.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from John P. Friedhoff, of the second floor of premises on the northeast corner of Tremont and Third avenues, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Coroners, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), payable quarterly, and on the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises No. 209 East Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, for the College of The City of New York (see pages 205, 245 and 250):

AUGUST 12, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held the 29th day of February, 1904, adopted a resolution authorizing a lease of premises known as No. 209 East Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the College of The City of New York, which was amended on March 29, 1904, and July 20, 1904.

This lease was intended to be for the entire building (see Minutes, Sinking Fund, 1902, page 68).

I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution amending the resolution relating to the lease of premises No. 209 East Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, by striking out the words, "excepting therefrom one-half of the basement and the entire first floor."

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 29, 1904, and as amended by resolutions adopted March 29, 1904, and July 20, 1904, authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises No. 209 East Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the College of The City of New York, be and the same is hereby further amended by striking out the words "excepting therefrom one-half of the basement and the entire first floor."

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises No. 112 Fulton avenue, Long Island City, for the Queens Borough Library:

AUGUST 17, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held February 5, 1904, authorized a lease of the premises No. 112 Fulton avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Queens Borough Library, from Patrick H. McKean.

It appears that the name of the lessor should read Patrick H. McKeon, instead of "Patrick H. McLean," and I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the amendment.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 5, 1904, authorizing a lease to the City, from Patrick H. McLean, of premises No. 112 Fulton avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Queens Borough Library, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting "Patrick H. McKeon" as the lessor, in place of "Patrick H. McLean."

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Queens Borough Library, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises corner Second avenue and Fifth street, College Point:

LONG ISLAND CITY, August 8, 1904.

Sinking Fund Commission, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I would respectfully request you to renew the lease of the premises in the Conrad Poppenhusen Institute at College Point from the Conrad Poppenhusen Association, on the same terms as the last lease, for a term of one year from December 31, 1903.

The association, through one of its members, agrees to the renewal, which was provided for in the old lease.

Believe me,

Very truly yours,
WALTER G. FREY, President.

The lease for the premises on the southeast corner of Second avenue and Fifth street, College Point, Borough of Queens, is hereby approved for renewal for a term of one year from December 31, 1903, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Lessor, Conrad Poppenhusen Association.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from the Conrad Poppenhusen Association, of three rooms on the first floor of the Poppenhusen Institute, on the southeast corner of Second avenue and Fifth street, College Point, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Queens Borough Library, for a term of one year from December 31, 1903, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Queens Borough Library, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 923 Steinway avenue, Long Island City:

LONG ISLAND CITY, August 8, 1904.

Sinking Fund Commission, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I would respectfully request you to renew the lease of premises at No. 923 Steinway avenue, Long Island City, on the same terms as last lease, for a term of one year from May 8, 1904. The owner, Christoph Graeser, agrees to the renewal, which was provided for in the old lease.

Believe me,

Very truly yours,
WALTER G. FREY, President.

Approved for renewal for a term of one year from May 8, 1904, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as the existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from Christoph Graeser, of premises consisting of the store floor and part of the cellar at No. 923 Steinway avenue, Long Island City, for the use of the Queens Borough Library, for a term of one year from May 8, 1904, at an annual rental of two hundred and seventy dollars (\$270), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Queens Borough Library, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 143 Broadway, Ozone Park, L. I.:

LONG ISLAND CITY, August 8, 1904.

Sinking Fund Commission, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—Will you kindly renew the lease for our Ozone Park Branch Library, at the premises known as No. 143 Broadway, Ozone Park, L. I., on the same terms as the last lease, for a term of one year from May 1, 1904. The owner, Joseph Marusak, agrees to the renewal, which was provided for in the old lease.

Very truly yours,
WALTER G. FREY, President.

Approved for renewal upon the same terms and conditions as are contained in the present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from Joseph Marusak, of the store floor of premises known as No. 143 Broadway, Ozone Park, Borough of Queens, for use of the Queens Borough Library, for a term of one year from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly, and on the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Bridges, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 32 Sutton place, Borough of Manhattan:

JULY 27, 1904.

Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, Sinking Fund Commission, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan:

SIR—The lease of the property consisting of a floor above the ground floor of the premises known as No. 32 Sutton place, Borough of Manhattan, City of New

York, which was heretofore, on June 30, 1903, leased for the use of the Department of Bridges for a period of one year, from the first day of June, 1903, having expired, it is desired that said lease be renewed for a period extending to May 1, 1905, with the privilege of further renewal, at the option of the Department of Bridges, on the same terms and conditions as in the original lease.

Respectfully,

GEO. E. BEST, Commissioner of Bridges.

Approved for renewal for a period from June 1, 1904, to May 1, 1905, with the privilege of renewal for one year, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as are in the existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Philip Scheyer, of the floor above the ground floor, of the premises known as No. 32 Sutton place, in the Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Department of Bridges, for a period from June 1, 1904, to May 1, 1905, with the privilege of a renewal for one year, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Bridges, relative to a lease of premises at No. 193 Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn:

JULY 19, 1904.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—This Department requires for its use as quarters for workmen, storage of tools, supplies, etc., in connection with the Williamsburg Bridge, certain premises, and I recommend that the first floor and cellar of No. 193 Broadway, Brooklyn, be leased for that purpose.

The following information is furnished, in accordance with the request of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

1. The owner is James R. Sparrow, No. 96 Greenpoint avenue, Brooklyn.

2. The part of the building of which it is requested that you make a lease is the first floor and cellar. The floor space of both is about 25 feet by 90, with high ceilings. The space is at present unencumbered by partitions and can readily be subdivided to suit our needs. The location is exceptionally favorable, as it fronts on Broadway, permitting easy delivery of supplies, and in the rear opens on the right of way of the Williamsburg Bridge, next to the masonry approach between Driggs avenue and the Plaza, giving easy access to the property by the workmen on their way to and from work, and on errands for supplies, tools, etc.

3. The property should be leased for one year, with privilege of renewal.

4. The rent for said premises is \$100 per month.

5. The owner agrees to make all repairs to the building, and alterations to suit floor space to our needs will be made by this Department with Department mechanics.

6. The owner agrees to pay frontage water taxes. Additional taxes for extra supply to be paid by this Department.

7. The owner does not pay for light, heat or Janitor service.

8. As to the necessity for these, it is imperative that the Williamsburg Bridge should have a place readily accessible to the men where they may keep tools and where they may have locker and toilet accommodations, and where necessary supplies for use on the bridge may be stored. As a large number of men will soon be employed on the bridge, this place should be located as close as possible to their work so that their time will not be lost in going to or returning from the work.

9. The premises are recommended as the most reasonable that can be secured in the neighborhood for the purposes desired.

10. The receipts from the bridge (Williamsburg Bridge Maintenance Fund), from which this rental will probably be paid, are ample to cover it, and will shortly be greatly increased by the receipts from the trolley service.

I therefore respectfully ask you to make a lease for the above premises, as herein above requested.

Respectfully,

GEO. E. BEST, Commissioner of Bridges.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

AUGUST 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioner of Bridges in a communication under date of July 19, 1904, requests a lease of the first floor and cellar of premises No. 193 Broadway, Brooklyn, for a term of one year with privilege of renewal, at an annual rental of \$1,200.

This space is required for storage and locker rooms for the men employed on the Williamsburg Bridge.

I have had an examination made of the premises and beg to report that the space required is the store and cellar, size 25x90 feet each, of the four-story loft building known as No. 193 Broadway, Brooklyn.

The rent asked, \$1,200 per annum, being reasonable and just, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the store floor and cellar, size 25x90 feet each, of the premises No. 193 Broadway, Brooklyn, for a term of one year from the date of occupation, at an annual rental of \$1,200 a year, payable quarterly, with the privilege of renewal. Lessor to make all outside repairs and pay for frontage water taxes. Additional water charges and interior repairs and alterations to be made by the Bridge Department. Lessor, James R. Sparrow.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from James R. Sparrow, of the first floor and cellar of premises No. 193 Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Department of Bridges, for a term of one year from the date of occupation, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable quarterly, with the privilege of renewal; the lessor to make all outside repairs and pay for the frontage water tax; additional water charges and interior repairs and alterations to be made by the City; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Bridges, relative to a lease of premises No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens:

JULY 30, 1904.

Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, Sinking Fund Commissioners, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I would respectfully call the attention of the Sinking Fund Commissioners to the fact that there exists at present an opportunity to lease for office purposes at No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, a room containing 535 square feet, which

will be suitable for the requirements of this Department in the Borough of Queens. The present office is entirely inadequate, containing an area of only 142 square feet, but it was the only place to be found at the time of leasing, and we have been waiting for an opportunity ever since to better the conditions.

The lease of the present quarters, No. 85 Borden avenue, expires February 28, 1905, and this room could be used as a Department store-room until the expiration of said lease.

In compliance with the requirements of your Commission, I give you the following information relative to the premises proposed to be leased at No. 36 Jackson avenue:

1. Owner, Maria Johnson. Lessee, William Richenstein, No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, who will sublease to the City.

2. The premises proposed to be leased consist of the entire second floor, containing 535 square feet.

3. The term of the proposed lease should be one year, with privilege of renewal.

4. The rent asked for these premises is \$360 per annum.

5. The lease will be required to make the necessary repairs.

6. Lessee will be required to pay water taxes.

7. Light, heat and janitor service will be furnished by the lessor, and are included in the rent.

8. The present quarters at No. 85 Borden avenue are entirely inadequate, the floor space consisting of only 142 square feet, of which the annual rent is \$175—i. e., \$1.23 per square foot. The proposed new location contains 535 square feet, annual rental \$360—i. e., 67 4/10 cents per square foot.

9. The premises proposed to be leased are the cheapest that can be obtained, in fact the only ones vacant in the location suitable for offices of this Department.

10. The appropriation from which the rent above mentioned is to be paid is that for "Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Queens."

Upon the foregoing statements I respectfully request your Commission to make a lease for premises No. 36 Jackson avenue, as hereinbefore requested.

Respectfully,

GEO. E. BEST, Commissioner of Bridges.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

AUGUST 12, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioner of Bridges in a communication under date of July 30, 1904, requests a lease of a room containing 535 square feet in the premises No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, as a branch office for the Engineer of the Department.

The Commissioner states that:

"The lease of the present quarters, No. 85 Borden avenue, expires February 28, 1905, and this room could be used as a Department storeroom until the expiration of said lease, as it is entirely inadequate, containing an area of 142 square feet."

A rear room in No. 85 Borden avenue, recently vacated by the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Queens, was suggested, but it was found undesirable for the needs of the Department.

I have caused an examination to be made of the premises and beg to report that is one large room, 535 square feet in area, consisting of the whole second floor of the two-story brick building known as No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens. It has fine light and is in excellent condition.

The rent asked, \$360 per annum, is at the rate of 67 cents per square foot, which is reasonable, and I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the entire second floor, consisting of one room, having an area of 535 square feet, of the two-story brick building known as No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a term of one year from the date of occupation, at an annual rental of \$360, payable quarterly, with the privilege of renewal. Lessor to furnish light, heat and janitor service. The City to make the necessary repairs and pay the water taxes for the portion of the premises occupied. Lessor, William Richenstein.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from William Richenstein, of the entire second floor, consisting of one room, having an area of 535 square feet, of the two-story brick building known as No. 36 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Department of Bridges, for a term of one year from the date of occupation, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly, with the privilege of a renewal; the lessor to furnish light, heat and janitor service; the City to make the necessary repairs and pay water taxes for the portion of the premises occupied; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, relative to a renewal of the lease of rooms in the Jefferson Building, Nos. 4 and 5 Court square, Borough of Brooklyn:

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 13, 1904.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In consequence of the demise of the late Secretary of the Board of Management of this institution, J. Herman Lins, a request for the renewal of the lease of the rooms of the Board of Management, located in the Jefferson Building, Nos. 4 and 5 Court square, Brooklyn, has been overlooked, but being informed by the owners of the building that the bills rendered to the Comptroller for rent now overdue since October 15, 1903, have not been paid in consequence of this neglect, we most respectfully request that your Honorable Commission will authorize the renewal of the lease for one year, in compliance with the following resolution, copied from the minutes of the last meeting of the Board of Management of this institution, held on July 26, 1904:

"In reference to the lease of the rooms 44 and 45, Jefferson Building, Nos 4 and 5 Court square, Brooklyn, it is regularly moved and seconded that application be made to the Sinking Fund Commissioners for an extension of the date in accordance with the original lease. Same was carried unanimously."

The premises referred to are composed of two apartments—an office and a Board room; the former 10 by 15 feet and the latter 15 by 18 feet, and a renewal of the original lease was granted for one or more years at a yearly rental of \$480, payable quarterly in advance. The services of the Janitor—to keep said rooms in first-class order; light, heat and elevator service for use of the Managers at nightly sessions included.

The renewal of this lease is sought in the interest of economy, the rooms being fitted and furnished to suit the convenience and business adaptability of the Board of Management, who visit the apartments daily and hold all their regular and special meetings in the afternoon or evening. Hence, with these special accommodations, the rooms secured are the most reasonable that could be obtained for the purpose desired.

No special appropriation will be necessary outside our general fund to cover the rental of the rooms above mentioned, all of which has met the approval of the Board of Managers of this institution, as expressed in the necessary resolution authorizing the same.

I trust that this communication will meet the approval of your Honorable Commission.

Respectfully,

PETER BOGERT, Secretary.

Approval for renewal of the lease of the rooms Nos. 44 and 45 on the sixth floor in the rear of the Thomas Jefferson Building, Nos. 4 and 5 Court square, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, for the period of one year from October 15, 1903, at the rental of \$480 per annum, payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Kings County Jeffersonian Association, William B. Davenport, President.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from the Kings County Jeffersonian Association, William B. Davenport, President, of rooms Nos. 44 and 45 on the sixth floor in the rear of the Thomas Jefferson Building, Nos. 4 and 5 Court square, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, for a period of one year from October 15, 1903, at an annual rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease, —the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to a transfer of \$1,000,000 from the Interest to the Redemption Fund:

AUGUST 19, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—I hereby certify that the available cash balance to the credit of the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt" at the close of business, August 13, 1904, was one million seven hundred and twenty-nine thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and forty-nine cents (\$1,729,495.49).

Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Resolved, That a warrant, payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt" be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), to be by him deposited to the credit of the "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1," thereby transferring this amount of surplus revenue of the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt" to the "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1," pursuant to section 209 of the Greater New York Charter.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to bill of William H. Stryker for services in the matter of the claim of the City against the Manhattan Beach Hotel and Land Company:

AUGUST 23, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—I transmit herewith a bill of William H. Stryker in the amount of \$100, for services rendered by him in an opinion in the matter of the settlement of the claim of The City of New York against the Manhattan Beach Hotel and Land Company. Inasmuch as it was partly through him that the proceedings were initiated, we thought it best in the matter of settlement to have his opinion thereon in order to obtain the knowledge he had of the conditions of the common lands of the Town of Gravesend, of which town his family has been a resident for about one hundred years.

The bill is reasonable and just, and I would recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing its payment.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay to William H. Stryker, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100), in full payment for services rendered by him in the matter of the settlement of the claim of The City of New York against the Manhattan Beach Hotel and Land Company; said payment to be made from the appropriation for 1904 entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of."

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity relative to the assignment of the old engine house on Third avenue, opposite One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, in the Borough of The Bronx:

CITY OF NEW YORK, August 23, 1904.

Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, Sinking Fund Commission, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan:

SIR—This Department has contracted with the gas companies to remove the old lanterns from the lamp-posts and to replace them with Boulevard globes and improved Welsbach mantles. Twenty-two thousand lamps in The City of New York will be affected by this change, and the Department is without the necessary space to store the lanterns which will be removed, until such time as they will be disposed of at public auction.

The Engineer of Surface Construction in charge of the Bureau of Lamps and Gas advises me that the old engine house at Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street is now unoccupied, and writes that this point will be a central location for the storage of lamps to be removed in the Borough of The Bronx.

The Department would require the use of this building for a period of at least three months, and I hereby recommend that your Honorable Board give this application early and favorable consideration.

Very truly yours,

FRANK J. GOODWIN, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

The Commissioner of the Fire Department having turned over to the control of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund premises No. 2801 Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as being no longer required for departmental purposes, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may properly approve of the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and adopt a resolution assigning to the use of the said Commissioner the old engine house for a period of three months, for the purpose of storing the old lanterns removed from the lamp-posts in the said borough.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in charge of Bureau.

AUGUST 25, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the old engine house on Third avenue, opposite One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, in the Borough of The Bronx, formerly occupied by Engine Company 41, be and the same is hereby assigned to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity until December 1, 1904.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to the refunding of Croton water rents paid in error:

AUGUST 25, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Applications have been made, as per statement herewith, for the refund of Croton water rents paid in error.

The applications are severally approved by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, or the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and the amount so paid, four hundred and fifty-six dollars and ninety-three cents (\$456.93), has been deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG,

Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Water Register.

Mary F. Badeau.....	\$ 5 00
Peter F. Pia.....	17 50
Catherine B. Aitken.....	8 00
Charles Minzesheimer.....	30 00
Meyer Solomon.....	11 00
Real Estate Trust Company.....	9 00
Joseph Golding and Frank Hillman.....	184 90
Robert Walton Goelet.....	103 50
Edward W. Gilbert, agent.....	17 00
Henry Lustbader.....	6 75
J. C. Rohlfs.....	11 55
Margaret Donohue.....	10 00
Sophia Koerber.....	8 00
Bernardo Ulmer.....	14 30
William McAllister.....	14 30
	\$450 80

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Wolf, Kohn and Ullman.....	\$4 81
Thomas Williams.....	1 32
	6 13

\$456 93

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain, for the sum of four hundred and fifty-six dollars and ninety-three cents (\$456.93), for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account," for refunding erroneous and over payments of Croton water rents, as per statement submitted herewith.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises on the westerly side of Lawrence street and Broadway, Town of Flushing, Borough of Queens for the Department of Bridges (see page 186):

AUGUST 24, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held on the 29th day of February, 1904, adopted a resolution authorizing a lease of premises on the westerly side of Lawrence street and Broadway, in the Town of Flushing, Borough of Queens, from Messrs. Donahue & Halleran.

Application has been made to have the name of the lessor changed to read "Donoghue & Halleran, instead of Donahue and Halleran," and I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund so amend said resolution.

Respectfully,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 29, 1904, authorizing a lease to the City, from Messrs. Donahue and Halleran, of premises on the westerly side of Lawrence street and Broadway, in the Town of Flushing, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Department of Bridges, be and the same is hereby amended by changing the name of the lessor so as to read "Donoghue and Halleran" in place of "Donahue and Halleran."

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Adjourned.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

NEW YORK, August 29, 1904.

OPERATIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 27, 1904.

Plans filed for new buildings; estimated cost, \$1,344,650.....	28
Plans filed for alterations; estimated cost, \$118,275.....	38
Buildings reported as unsafe, but not serious.....	42
Buildings reported for additional means of escape.....	5
Other violations of law reported.....	60
Unsafe building notices issued.....	111
Fire-escape notices issued.....	12
Violation notices issued.....	125
Unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecution.....	3
Fire escape cases forwarded for prosecution.....	8
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	30
Iron and steel inspections made.....	9,499

ISAAC A. HOPPER,
Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., AUGUST 20, 1904.

BOROUGHS.	POPULATION U.S. CEN- SUS 1900.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF YEAR 1904.	DEATHS.			Births.	Marriages.	Still- births.	DEATH-R. T.P.		
			1903.	1904.	* Cor- rected, 1904.				1903.	1904.	* Cor- rected, 1904.
Manhattan	1,850,093	1,940,121	630	672	647	1,148	481	64	17.14	18.07	17.40
† The Bronx.....	300,507	294,939	96	94	87	116	31	6	18.66	16.63	15.39
Brooklyn.....	1,166,582	1,334,952	393	421	400	618	48	36	15.87	16.16	15.64
Queens.....	152,999	193,494	93	66	64	67	8	4	17.99	17.80	17.26
Richmond	97,021	74,518	20	38	35	19	13	..	14.37	26.61	24.51
City of New York ..	3,437,802	3,538,024	1,202	1,291	1,233	1,968	663	110	16.80	17.55	16.76

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

† The presence of several large institutions, the great majority of whose inmates are residents of the other boroughs, increases considerably the death-rate of this borough.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—												
	May 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	June 25.	July 2.	July 9.	July 16.	July 23.	July 30.	Aug. 6.	Aug. 13.	Aug. 20.
Tuberculosis-Pulmonalis	403	407	319	362	370	330	359	380	299	341	366	328	420
Diphtheria and Croup..	376	398	366	375	455	386	297	399	275	202	232	211	224 f
Measles.....	1107 a	1042	814	652 c	464	369	261	269	201	183 d	133	95 e	73
Scarlet Fever.....	312	321	216	190	181	130	95	89	88	68	50	54 g	
Small-pox.....	1	2	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	..	
Varicella.....	68	86	58	63	57	61	29	29	29	11	9	18	
Typhoid Fever.....	22	34 b	37	32	53	33	39	60	65	83	67	86	120
Whooping Cough.....	6	15	11	19	19	7	7	16	30	21	16	22	36
Total.....	2,295	2,305	1,821	1,693	1,603	1,317	1,088	1,139	989	930	896	801	915

a. Includes one case of measles at U. S. Naval Hospital.

* Two cases of small-pox contracted outside city.

b. Includes one case of typhoid fever at Immigrants' Hospital.

d. Includes one case of measles at Barge Office.

c. Includes two cases of measles at Barge Office.

e. Includes one case diphtheria at U. S. Naval Station.

g. Includes one case scarlet at Barge Office.

Deaths by Principal Causes, According to Locality and Age.

BOROUGHS.	Contagious Dis- eases detailed elsewhere.	Malaria Diseases.	Whooping Cough.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Diseases Under 5 Years.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Bronchitis.	Pneumonia.	Broncho Pneumonia.	Suicides.	Homicides.	Accidents.	Under 1 Year.			Under 5 Years.			5-65 Years.			65 Years and Over.		
1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.	1903.	1904.							

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From Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island—From Mr. Chas H. Haswell, Civil Engineer, in regard to grading Riker's Island, and asking if the criminal occupants of the island might not be employed for that purpose. Warden Tooher to confer with Mr. Haswell and do the work as suggested.

From Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island—Under date of August 18, 1904, Warden reports that a portion of the dump on Riker's Island shows signs of being on fire. Street Cleaning Department notified, and Inspector reports that his men are at work and will soon have a line of hose on the fire. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Report of prisoners received during week ending August 13, 1904: Men, 35; women, 8. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Prisoners to be discharged August 14 to 21, 1904: Men, 23; women, 6. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Reports—Census, labor, supplies, etc., for week ending August 13, 1904. On file.

Contract Awarded.

For Manhattan—Proposal of August 9, 1904:

Of George Sinram, No. 910 East Fifth street—

For 2,000 tons egg coal, at \$4.79 per ton \$9,580 00

Surety: The Aetna Indemnity Company, No. 58 William street. Bond, \$4,800. The same being the lowest bid; the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller, etc.

Proposal Accepted.

P. J. Carlin & Co., to install, complete, a pit for refuse from kitchen, in yard of the City Prison, as per letter and drawing of June 22, 1904, for \$650.

Appointed.

Bartholomew J. Killian, Orderly, at Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island at \$240 per annum; to date from August 15, 1904. (Departmental examination.)

Transferred.

John V. Brown, Keeper, at \$1,000, from City Prison to Kings County Penitentiary. Michael H. Feeney, Keeper, at \$800, from Kings County Penitentiary to the City Prison.

Salaries unchanged. Transfers to date from August 18, 1904.

Michael J. Mullin, Keeper, from Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, to the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$800; unchanged. Transfer to take effect August 19, 1904.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

August 30—The Commissioner has fixed the salary of Samuel Fetbraudt, as Clerk, at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, to take effect September 1, 1904.

Under date of July 12, 1904, a communication was forwarded to the effect that Melchior Lenke was appointed Architectural Draughtsman, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum. That action has been amended by the Commissioner by fixing the salary at the rate of \$1,600 per annum, the former salary not having been established for the position.

Robert F. McIntyre has been transferred from the position of Laborer to that of Marine Sounder, with compensation at the rate of \$18 per week, to take effect September 3, 1904.

James Raftus has this day been transferred from the position of Laborer to that of Deckhand, with compensation at the rate of \$60 per month, to take effect September 1, 1904.

The name of John Reilly, deceased, has this day been taken from the list of Laborers.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

August 30—

Discharged for neglect of duty and absence without leave:

Patrick Enright, Park Laborer, No. 156 Park row.

Discharged for neglect of duty:

Frank Mulhearn, Park Laborer.

Reinstated, to take effect September 1, 1904 (resigned September 21, 1903):

P. J. McGuire, Painter, No. 427 East Seventy-seventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.

August 30—

Appointed.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

The following ununiformed Firemen on probation to be fourth grade Firemen, with salary of \$800 per annum:

To take effect August 25, 1904:

John J. O'Neill, assigned to Engine Company 2.

John J. Healy, assigned to Engine Company 6.

Arthur Reside, assigned to Engine Company 4.

John Flanagan, assigned to Engine Company 7.

Thomas Foley, assigned to Engine Company 9.

James W. Langlan, assigned to Engine Company 10.

William F. Fugelsang, assigned to Engine Company 11.

George J. Weiss, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Stephen M. Keena, assigned to Engine Company 12.

John F. Strapp, assigned to Engine Company 14.

Timothy J. Driscoll, assigned to Engine Company 15.

Casimer C. Dodzicki, assigned to Engine Company 17.

Richard J. T. Harde, assigned to Engine Company 24.

Edward P. Brady, assigned to Engine Company 26.

George W. T. Osborne, assigned to Engine Company 28.

James W. Thompson, assigned to Engine Company 31.

Thomas H. Cochrane, assigned to Engine Company 34.

William J. Luse, assigned to Engine Company 19.

Charles E. Clermont, assigned to Engine Company 65.

Frank A. Bracken, assigned to Engine Company 55.

Martin E. Ogle, assigned to Engine Company 72.

William H. Metz, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 1.

George P. Hughes, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 4.

John J. Keenan, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 5.

Frank J. Dwyer, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 6.

Thomas F. O'Dea, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 6.

Daniel J. Smith, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 9.

William S. Carney, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 15.

William B. Dolan, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 20.

To take effect August 26, 1904:

John Strout, assigned to Engine Company 54.

Albert T. Callahan, assigned to Engine Company 23.

John J. Finley, assigned to Engine Company 3.

William Denkinger, assigned to Engine Company 9.

Frederick Reiss, Jr., assigned to Engine Company 9.

Michael Colgan, assigned to Engine Company 10.

Joseph T. Boylan, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Joseph V. Bruton, assigned to Engine Company 20.

To take effect August 27, 1904:

Bernard A. Gill, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 21.

Frederick A. Werner, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 5.

Martin J. Foody, assigned to Engine Company 10.

To take effect August 28, 1904:

George Stilley, Jr., assigned to Engine Company 27.

To take effect August 29, 1904:

Daniel J. Kilker, assigned to Engine Company 2.

William P. Mulligan, assigned to Engine Company 16.

John J. Gilmartin, assigned to Engine Company 29.

John J. Radecke, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 5.

John McGroarty, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 6.

Joseph A. O'Brien, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 20.

Frederick J. Johnson, Jr., assigned to Engine Company 1.

Adolph Hoehn, assigned to Engine Company 3.

James T. Cooper, Jr., assigned to Engine Company 6.

James J. Stack, assigned to Engine Company 7.

Patrick J. Lee, assigned to Engine Company 11.

Daniel A. Wilton, assigned to Engine Company 12.

William F. Bulger, assigned to Engine Company 13.

Michael J. Gorman, assigned to Engine Company 27.

John C. Lickdyke, assigned to Engine Company 31.

William H. Lyons, assigned to Engine Company 32.

George F. Browne, assigned to Engine Company 33.

David P. Condon, assigned to Engine Company 30.

Louis J. Farrell, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 2.

George Knecht, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 3.

Vincent Joseph Cahill, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 6.

John J. Lutz, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 8.

John Clarke, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 8.

William C. Samet, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 10.

Thomas P. Costigan, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 10.

George Francis Clifford, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 11.

Frederick Illium, assigned to Engine Company 65.

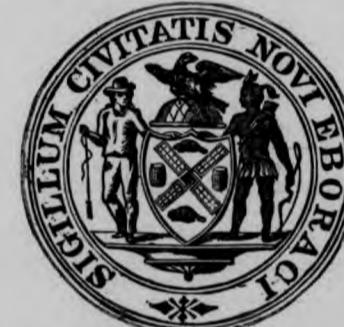
As ununiformed Fireman for a probationary period of one month, to take effect August 30, 1904:

Otto P. Karsten, assigned to Engine Company 20.

Discharged.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Probationary Fireman John H. Emting, Engine Company 18, to take effect from 8 A. M., August 30, 1904, the end of his probationary term, his services not being satisfactory.



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BURT JAY HUMPHREY, County Judge.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOSEPH MAYERROSE, Sheriff.
HENRY W. SHARKEY, Under Sheriff.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
GEORGE A. GREGG, District Attorney.

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, to 12 M.
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens at 9:30 A. M., to adjourn 5 P. M.
DAVID L. VON NOSTRAND, 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.
EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.
H. HOMER MOORE, Assistant Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

RICHMOND COUNTY OFFICES.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1904.
County Courts—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, County Judge.
First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury;
First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury;
—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.
C. L. BOSTWICK, County Clerk.
County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES J. MCGOWAN, Sheriff.
THOMAS A. BANNING, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.
CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
J. LOUIS GARRETSON, Assistant Commissioner.
Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

THE COURTS.

APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Court-house, Madison avenue corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, CHESTER B. MC LAUGHLIN, EDWARD W. HATCH, FRANK C. LAUGHLIN, Justices; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WILLIAM LAMB, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office open at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.
Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 36.

Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 25.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, VII., Room No. 26.
Appellate Term, Room No. 31.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.
Clerks in attendance, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 13.

Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), room southwest corner mezzanine floor.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southwest 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—CHARLES H. TRUSS, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR.; LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, JAMES FITZGERALD, DAVID LEVENTRITT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, GEORGE C. BARRETT, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, EDWARD E. MC CALL, EDWARD B. AMEND, VERNON M. DAVIS.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Courts open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Six jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.

JAMES F. MCGEE, General Clerk.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.

Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk; EDWARD R. CARROLL, Special Deputy to the Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets.

Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Part I

Part II.

Part III.

Part IV.

Part V.

Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

EDWARD F. O'LEARY, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, SAMUEL SEABURY, Justices

THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan

Court opens at 10 A. M.

ELIJUZ B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLARD H. OLMSSTED, JOSEPH M. DRUEL, LORENZ ZELLER, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK K. LEVY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, ROBERT J. WILKIN, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DURMAN, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan

EDMUND C. LEE, Clerk.

Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn.

ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BREEN, Seward BAKER, ALFRED G. OMMEN, CHARLES S. WHITMAN, JOSEPH MOSS.

PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 6 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.

City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGENBOTHAM, FRANK E. O'KIRK, H. R. FURLONG.

President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 18½ Bergen street.

Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.

First District—No. 18 Adams street.

Second District—Court and Butler streets.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.

Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.

Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).

Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—MATTHEW J. SMITH, LUKE J. CONNORTON, EDMUND J. HEALY.

First District—Long Island City.

Second District—Flushing.

Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island, and the Oyster Islands.

New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
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, No. 269 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOSEPH J. CAREY,
Deputy Property Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10,30 o'clock A.M.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE OCTOBER 1, 1904, on the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 15 to October 1, 1904.

The interest due October 1, 1904, 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 October 1, 1904, 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, September 1, 1904.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

TAXPAYERS WHO DESIRE TO OBTAIN their bills promptly should make immediate written requisition (blanks may be procured in the borough offices), stating their property by Section or Ward, Block and Lot or Map number, making copy of same from their bills of last year.

If a taxpayer is assessed for personal tax, the requisition should also request bill for such tax.

Each requisition should be accompanied by an envelope bearing the proper address of the applicant, AND WITH RETURN POSTAGE PREPAID.

In case of any doubt in regard to Ward, Section, Block or Lot number, taxpayers should take their deeds to the Department of Taxes and Assessments and have their property located on the maps of that Department and forward to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes with the requisition a certified memorandum of their property, which will be furnished by the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Taxpayers in this manner will receive their bills returned by mail at the earliest possible moment and avoid any delay caused by waiting on lines, as required in case of personal application.

The requisition must be addressed and mailed to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes in whichever borough the property is located, as follows:

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, No. 57 Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, New York.

JOHN B. UNDERHILL, corner Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, New York.

JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, New York.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York.

JOHN DE MORGAN, Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond, New York.

After receiving the bills, the taxpayer will see that they are properly rebated, then draw check for the net amount to the order of the Receiver of Taxes and mail bill and check, with an addressed envelope, with the return postage prepaid, to the Deputy Receiver in whichever borough the property is located.

Checks should be mailed as soon as possible after the bills have been received by the taxpayer.

All bills paid during October must be rebated before payment.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904.

at 12 o'clock M., at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York of the following described property which it has by virtue of a lease from William V. B. Bennett, Supervisor of the Town of Gravesend, to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is dated December 28, 1895, and recorded December 31, 1895, in Liber 1, page 500, section 21, Block 78-80, in the Kings County Register's office, in and to all that certain lot known as and by the number three (3) upon the assessment roll, for the opening of Sea Breeze avenue, from West Fifth to East Fifth streets, in the late Town of Gravesend, now Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which was sold to the Town of Gravesend at a sale for unpaid assessments held on the 11th day of July, 1893, for the sum of \$46,61, and which said lot was thereafter leased to the City of Brooklyn for 100 years.

The minimum or upset price at which the interest of the City in and to the said premises to be sold is appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the sum of seventy-seven dollars and eighty-three cents (\$77.83), the purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fees and the further sum of one hundred

dollars (\$100) for the expenses of examination, advertising, etc. The sale of said premises is to be made on the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of the sale, together with the further sum of One Hundred Dollars for expenses of examination, advertising, conveyance, etc. The claim deed for the above described premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held August 12, 1904.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 24, 1904.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF FIREPROOF BALCONIES FOR THE FEMALE BUILDING, NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM, BROOKLYN DIVISION, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL GROUNDS, FLATBUSH.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JAMES H. TULLY,
Commissioner.

Dated AUGUST 22, 1904.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON AMBOY STREET, from East New York avenue to Sutter avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,710 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

557 cubic yards of earth excavation.

372 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

134 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

11,365 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BRISTOL STREET, from East New York avenue to Hunterly road.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,616 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

749 cubic yards of earth excavation.

5,651 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

230 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

21,650 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Cortelyou road to Dorchester road.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,200 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

70 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

1,510 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

63 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FOURTEENTH AVENUE, from Sixty-ninth street to Seventy-fifth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,900 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

3,030 cubic yards of earth excavation.

140 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

11,925 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, from Sixty-seventh street to Seventy-fifth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,120 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

200 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

500 square feet of old flagstones, to be relaid.

17,800 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HUMBOLDT STREET, from Stage street to Meserole street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,410 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

280 cubic yards of concrete.

820 linear feet of new curbstone.

40 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, to be reset.

174 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

14,485 cubic yards earth excavation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot B. M., square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated AUGUST 23, 1904.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 12 o'clock A.M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BAY FIFTEENTH STREET, from Cropsey avenue to Eighty-sixth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,140 square yards of macadam pavement.

4,290 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished

and set in concrete.

1,130 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,250 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

1,440 square yards of brick gutter pavement on a concrete foundation.

370 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN TROUTMAN STREET, from Irving avenue to Wyckoff avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

40 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

727 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

8 manholes.

5,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.

58 cubic yards concrete cradle.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed per linear foot, feet, B. M., cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President.

Dated AUGUST 19, 1904. a24,57

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 867.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 10,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 210 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

Deliveries will be required to be made at the time and in the manner specified.

CONTRACT NO. 870.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 10,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE NORTH, EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of September 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

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

Dredging will be required to be done at the time and in the manner specified.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904. a31,513

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 863.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A NEW DECK SCOW AND A NEW COAL SCOW.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is for—

Class I., the sum of \$2,000.

Class II., the sum of \$2,000.

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 for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner specified.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated AUGUST 26, 1904. a27,58

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER A, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost:

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1904.
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 32, NO. 337 WEST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, Building work..... \$1,500 00

Item 2, Sanitary work..... 200 00

Item 3, Heating work..... 1,500 00

Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 22, 37, 53 AND 54, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public Sch. 22, Item 1..... \$200 00

Public School 22, Item 2..... 200 00

Public School 37, Item 1..... 200 00

Public School 37, Item 2..... 250 00

Public School 53, Item 1..... 200 00

Public School 53, Item 2..... 275 00

Public School 54, Item 1..... 200 00

Public School 54, Item 2..... 275 00

On Contracts Nos. 1 and 2 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

AUGUST 24, 1904. a24,58

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

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

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 24, SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHT STREET, 60 FEET WEST OF MADISON AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be to March 8, 1905.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

JOHN J. PALLAS, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904. a31,513

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

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

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 16, EIGHTEENTH AND NINETEENTH STREETS, 150 FEET SOUTH OF SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 120 working days.

The amount of security required is Sixteen Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

AUGUST 24, 1904. a24,58

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

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

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 4. FOR THE ERECTION OF TEMPORARY SCHOOL BUILDINGS ON THE SOUTHERN SIDE OF MANHATTAN APPROACH TO THE WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE, as follows:

Building No. 1—Ridge to Pitt streets.

Building No. 2—Pitt to Willett streets.

Building No. 3—Willett to Sheriff streets.

Building No. 4—Sheriff to Columbia streets.

Building No. 5—Columbia to Cannon streets.

Building No. 6—Lewis to Goerck streets.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is:

Item 1..... \$15,000 00

Item 2..... 700 00

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

AUGUST 24, 1904. a24,58

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OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Westchester Independent," "Bronx Sentinel."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star," "Richmond County Herald," "Richmond County Democrat."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Queens Borough Advertiser," "Jamaica Standard," "

INSPECTOR OF REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 7, 1904, at 4 P.M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Technical	5
Mathematics	1
Report	2
Experience	2
Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.	

The salary attached to this position is from \$3.50 to \$4.00 per day.

The minimum age is 21.

LIBRARIAN IN CHARGE (Men and Women)—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, 1904, at 4 P.M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Special Paper	6
Arithmetic	1
Experience	3
The minimum age is 21.	

The percentage required is 70.

BOOKKEEPER—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1904, AT 10 A.M. (Open to Men and Women).

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, at 4 P.M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Special paper	6
Arithmetic	1
Letter	1
Percentage required, 75 on special paper and 70 on total.	

The salary is \$1,200 per annum and upwards.

The minimum age is 21.

CORONER'S PHYSICIAN—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Saturday, September 10, at 12 M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Technical	6
Experience	4
Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.	

The salary attached to this position is \$3,000 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Monday, September 12, at 4 P.M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Special paper	5
Mathematics	2
Letter	2
Experience	1

The percentage required is 70.

The salaries attached to this position range from \$1,200 to \$3,000 per annum (grades 4 to 10).

The minimum age is 21.

CLERK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 14, at 4 P.M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Clerical	
Spelling	15
Dictation	15
Writing	30
Arithmetic	20
Letter	20
Special paper	50

Percentage required, 70 on clerical and 70 on special.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

JANITOR—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 15, at 4 P.M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Special paper	5
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1
Experience	3

The percentage required is 70.

A physical examination is required preliminary to the mental.

The salary attached to the position is \$900 per annum and upwards.

The minimum age is 21.

AUTOMOBILE ENGINEER—TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1904, AT 10 A.M.

The receipt of applications will close on Friday, September 16, 1904, at 4 P.M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Technical	50
Mathematics	15
Report	25
Experience	20
Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.	

The salary attached to this position is \$2.50 to \$3.50 per day. The minimum age is 21.

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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 3 o'clock P.M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC COMFORT STATION (EXCEPTING THE PLUMBING AND GASFITTING), AT THE INTERSECTION OF EAST BROADWAY AND GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract is 150 working days.

The amount of security is \$10,000.

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the architects, Messrs. Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, No. 367 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 3 o'clock P.M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF THE PLUMBING AND GASFITTING FOR A PUBLIC COMFORT STATION AT THE INTERSECTION OF EAST BROADWAY AND GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract is one hundred and twenty-five (125) working days.

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

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the architects, Messrs. Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, No. 367 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 75 working days.

Amount of security required will be four thousand dollars.

No. 6. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAID AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF UNION SQUARE (north side), from Fourth Avenue to Broadway.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

3,850 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

3,850 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

125 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

10 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

3 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

2 noiseless covers, complete, for water manholes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 60 working days.

Amount of security required will be three thousand dollars.

No. 7. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AND CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BROADWAY (west side), from One Hundred and Tenth street to One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

10,200 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

1,560 cubic yards concrete.

1,600 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

1,200 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

5 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

4 noiseless covers, complete, for water manholes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 100 working days.

Amount of security required will be seven thousand five hundred dollars.

No. 8. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAID AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BROAD STREET, from Beaver street to Stone street.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

10,900 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

1,900 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

750 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

60 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

8 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

4 noiseless covers, complete, for water manholes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 100 working days.

Amount of security required will be seven thousand dollars.

No. 9. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAID AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LAFAYETTE PLACE, from Astor place to Great Jones street.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

5,040 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

5,100 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

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170 square feet new bridgestone, furnished and laid.
1,620 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
10 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.
6 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer man-holes, furnished and set.
3 noiseless covers, complete, for water man-holes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 60 working days.

Amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 20. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FORTIETH STREET, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

2,720 square yards new granite block pavement, including sand bed, laid with paving cement joints.

450 cubic yards concrete.

170 square feet new bridgestone, furnished and laid.

1,600 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

30 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

3 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer man-holes, furnished and set.

2 noiseless covers, complete, for water man-holes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 60 working days.

Amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 21. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAID AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST BROADWAY, from Jefferson street to Clinton street, AND JEFFERSON STREET, from East Broadway to Henry street.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

2,600 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

2,600 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

860 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

50 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

6 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer man-holes, furnished and set.

3 noiseless covers, complete, for water man-holes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 35 working days.

Amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 22. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAID AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF JOHN STREET, from Broadway to Nassau street.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

960 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

960 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

100 linear feet new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

310 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

2 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer man-holes, furnished and set.

1 noiseless cover, complete, for water man-hole, furnished and set.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be 30 working days.

Amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

No. 23. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TOGETHER WITH WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

80,000 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

40,000 square yards asphalt wearing surface, delivered and laid in place of old wearing surface destroyed or removed.

400 cubic yards Portland cement concrete.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work will be one year from date of contract.

Amount of security required will be Thirty-five 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.

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

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13-21 Park row, Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 25, 1904.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 874, No. 1. Regulating, grading, paving with granite block pavement, setting curb and laying cement sidewalk in Mermaid avenue, between Fifteenth street and Stillwell avenue.

List 803, No. 2. Sewer in Nelson street, between Henry street and Columbia street.

List 818, No. 3. Regulating, grading, paving with granite block pavement and curbing Green street, from Provost street to the end of the cobblestone pavement, about two hundred feet west.

List 841, No. 4. Sewer basin on the northwest corner of Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-fourth street (Twenty-eighth avenue).

List 812, No. 5. Sewer basin at the easterly corner of Bay Twenty-fourth street (formerly Twentieth avenue) and Bath avenue.

List 818, No. 6. Sewer basin at the northeast corner of Ocean avenue and Voorhies 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 Mermaid avenue, from Fifteenth street to Stillwell avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Nelson street, from Henry street to Columbia street.

No. 3. Both sides of Green street, from Provost street to a point about two hundred feet west.

No. 4. Northwest side of Bay Twenty-fourth street (Twentieth avenue), from Benson avenue to Bath avenue.

No. 5. Southeast side of Bay Twenty-fourth street (Twentieth avenue), from the centre line of Benson avenue to Bath avenue.

No. 6. East side of Ocean avenue, from Jerome avenue to Voorhies lane to Voorhies 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 September 27, 1904, at 2 p.m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH,
ANTONIO ZUCCA,
CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
August 26, 1904.

on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

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Burnside avenue to be 90.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a new street along the southern line of the proposed "Joseph Rodman Drake" Park in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street along the southern line of the proposed "Joseph Rodman Drake" Park in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Whittier street 200 feet south of the southerly line of the Eastern Boulevard;

Thence running westerly, on a line parallel to the Eastern Boulevard, 200 feet to the easterly line of Longfellow street;

Thence running southerly along the easterly line of Longfellow street for 50 feet;

Thence running easterly, on a line parallel to the Eastern Boulevard for 200 feet to the westerly line of Whittier street;

Thence running northerly along the westerly line of Whittier street for 50 feet to the point or place of beginning."

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a public park the property bounded by Bedford and Atlantic avenues, Brevoort and Bedford places, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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"Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Bedford avenue with the northerly line of Atlantic avenue;

1. Thence westerly along the northerly line of Atlantic avenue 251.75 feet to its intersection with the easterly line of Bedford place;

2. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Bedford place 325.42 feet to its intersection with the southerly line of Brevoort place;

3. Thence easterly along the southerly line of Brevoort place 230 feet to its intersection with the westerly line of Bedford avenue;

4. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Bedford avenue 427.58 feet to the point of beginning."

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a public park, to be known as Joseph Rodman Drake Park, at Hunt's Point road, Eastern Boulevard and Whittier street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Eastern Boulevard with the western line of Whittier street;

1. Thence running southerly along the western line of Whittier street for 200 feet;

2. Thence westerly on a line parallel to the Eastern Boulevard for 200 feet to the eastern line of Longfellow street;

3. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Longfellow street to the southern line of Eastern Boulevard;

4. Thence easterly along said southern line of Eastern Boulevard for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York between Greenpoint avenue and the Long Island Railroad tracks, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September

intersection of Foster avenue, the elevation to be 59.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Skillman avenue, the elevation to be 54.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Middlebury avenue, the elevation to be 37.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of the Long Island Railroad, the elevation to be 29.50 feet, as heretofore; thence northerly to the intersection of Jackson avenue, the elevation to be 27.94 feet, as heretofore.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade in the territory bounded by Newport avenue, Rockaway avenue, East Ninety-eighth street and Hegeman avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade in the territory bounded by Newport avenue, Rockaway avenue, East Ninety-eighth street and Hegeman avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Newport Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Newport street and Douglass street, the elevation to be 24.67 feet, as heretofore:

Thence easterly to the intersection of Ames street, the elevation to be 22.60 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Amboy street, the elevation to be 23.36 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Hopkinson avenue, the elevation to be 24.06 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 22.54 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 21.02 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 19.50 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 20.09 feet, as heretofore.

Lott Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Lott avenue and East Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 22.39 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Douglass street, the elevation to be 21.31 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Ames street, the elevation to be 22.31 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Amboy street, the elevation to be 19.26 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Hopkinson avenue, the elevation to be 20.42 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 19.55 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 18.68 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 17.80 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 16.08 feet, as heretofore.

Ames Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Ames street and Lott avenue, the elevation to be 22.31 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 22.60 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 26.67 feet, as heretofore.

Amboy Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Amboy street and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 20.19 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 19.26 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 22.54 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 28.87 feet, as heretofore.

Chester street.

Beginning at the intersection of Chester street and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 17.64 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 19.55 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 22.54 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 28.87 feet, as heretofore.

Rockaway avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Rockaway avenue and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 15.34 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 17.80 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 19.50 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 23.85 feet, as heretofore.

Douglass street.

Beginning at the intersection of Douglass street and East Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 21.44 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 21.31 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 24.67 feet, as heretofore;

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW YORK, AUGUST 22, 1904.

SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, a sale will take place at Public Auction at 10 A. M., on

TUESDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1904,

at the Incumbrance Yard of the Department of Street Cleaning, Atlantic avenue, between Utica avenue and Pacific street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of the following unused property of this Department, to wit:

22 horses, more or less.

50 old dirt cart bodies, more or less.

41 old double trucks, more or less.

23 sets old carriage harness, more or less.

1,121 pounds old parts of leather harness, more or less.

2,592 pounds old canvass truck, cart, horse and quarter blankets, more or less.

5,000 pounds old iron, more or less.

325 pounds old manila rope, more or less.

91 old woolen stable blankets, more or less.

3 awnings, more or less.

39 old cart saddles, more or less.

5 old single and double wooden blocks, more or less.

64 old cart and truck hames, more or less.

85 pounds old tire rubber, more or less.

1 old blacksmith bellows, more or less.

132 old pipe collars, more or less.

F. M. GIBSON,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5,000 FEET OF RUBBER HOSE TO COMPLETE AN UNFULFILLED CONTRACT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per foot, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total, and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

F. M. GIBSON,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated AUGUST 22, 1904.

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

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening and extending of COSTER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunts Point road to Edgewater road, 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 objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of September, 1904, 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 15th day of September, 1904, 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 The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

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 prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Hunt's Point road with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Mohawk avenue; running thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence

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 and extending WOODLAWN ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Bronx 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.

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 6th day of September, 1904, 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 September, 1904, at 3 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 17th day of September, 1904.

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 northerly side of Moshulu avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly and southwesterly along said line drawn parallel to the westerly and northwesterly sides of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly and northwesterly therefrom to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Gun Hill 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 Steuben avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; thence southeasterly and southerly along said northeasterly and easterly sides of Moshulu parkway, North, to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Bainbridge avenue and Perry avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Moshulu parkway, North, and Woodlawn road; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Bronx Avenue; thence southeasterly along a line drawn at right angles to the northwesterly side of Webster Avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Bronx Park and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the prolongation southeasterly of the middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and Perry Avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and Perry Avenue and said middle line produced northerly to its intersection with the southerly side of Reservoir Oval, East; thence northerly on a straight line to its intersection with the prolongation southerly of the middle line of the block between Tryon Avenue and Kings College place; thence northerly along said prolongation and said middle line of the block between Tryon Avenue and Kings College place to its intersection with the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Eleventh street (North Ridge street); thence northerly along a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mount Vernon Avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Eleventh street (North Ridge street); thence westerly along said line drawn at right angles to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jerome Avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mount Vernon Avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Moshulu Avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our supplemental and amended report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of November, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 20, 1904.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, Chairman;
WM. H. McCARTHY,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FOREST AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Brooks Avenue and Manor road, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, at his office in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1904, Commissioners of Estimate and

Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 11th day of July, 1904, 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, as amended, 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 14th day of September, 1904, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 17, 1904.

WILLIAM T. CROAK,
HENRY P. MORRISON,
ALBERT E. HADLOCK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly line of ROBINSON STREET, proposed, distant one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Rogers Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date August 13, 1904, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on August 15, 1904, William W. Wingate, Lewis Waake and Bancroft G. Braine were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the provisions of said order, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Commissioners so nominated will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the County of Kings, on September 6, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having interest in said proceedings, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated AUGUST 23, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the westerly line of POWELL STREET and on the easterly line of SACKMAN STREET, one hundred feet south of Dumont Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date August 13, 1904, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on August 15, 1904, Frederick S. Lyke, Joseph Wainwright and George W. Trull were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the provisions of said order, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Commissioners so nominated will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the County of Kings, on September 6, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having interest in said proceedings, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated AUGUST 23, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx River to Seventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, at his office in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1904, Commissioners of Estimate and

Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 11th day of July, 1904, 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, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

1904, and the 30th day of April, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of February, 1904, and the 21st day of July, 1904; and 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 3d day of February, 1904, and the 21st day of July, 1904, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at his office at White Plains, Westchester County, in the State of New York, on the 3d day of February, 1904, and the 10th day of July, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, known as the Annexed Territory, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 3d day of February, 1904; in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, on the 3d day of February, 1904, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 3d day of February, 1904, 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, as amended, 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said offices on the 14th day of September, 1904, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 17, 1904.

PIERRE G. CARROLL,
LOUIS FALK,
M. E. DEVLIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between York and Franklin avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, at his office in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1904, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 11th day of July, 1904, 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, as amended, 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, 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners 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 8th day of September, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1904.

FIGHTH STREET, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and the United States pier and bulkhead line, as laid out by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 29, 1903, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, known as the Annexed Territory, 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 widening 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 New York, on the 6th day of July, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be widened or laid out and formed, to the said 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 widening, 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, as amended, 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 widening 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners 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 8th day of September, 1904, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such