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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

MINUTES, BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, COMMITTEE ROOM, ALDERMANIC CHAMBER, CITY HALL, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1903.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—Seth Low, Mayor; Edward M. Grout, Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, President, Board of Aldermen; Jacob A. Cantor, President, Borough of Manhattan; J. Edward Swannstrom, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Louis F. Haffen, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Hon Seth Low, Mayor, presiding.

The reading of the minutes held July 15, 22, 29, 31, August 18, 19, September 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, October 5, 7, 8, 9, 12 and 14, 1903, was dispensed with.

The Board proceeded to consider the following Departmental Estimates for the year 1904:

Mayor's Office.

Department of Finance.

Armory Board and National Guard.

Libraries.

David A. Boody appeared on behalf of the Brooklyn Public Library.

Louis Cass Ledyard appeared on behalf of the New York Public Library.

Henry A. Gumbleton appeared on behalf of The Bronx Free Library.

George J. Gillispie appeared on behalf of the Cathedral Free Circulating Library.

W. J. Hoe appeared on behalf of the Free Library of the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen.

Leo G. Rosenblatt appeared on behalf of the Hudson Guild Library.

Henry Duschues appeared on behalf of the Maimonides Free Library.

Miss Charlotte Waterbury appeared on behalf of the Tenement House Chapter Library.

Everett P. Wheeler appeared on behalf of the Webster Free Library.

Mrs. B. F. Watson appeared on behalf of the Young Women's Christian Library.

Statement of Street and Park Opening Proceedings Confirmed and Entered from September 30, 1902, to September 30, 1903, Showing Awards, Taxed Costs, Assessments, Etc.

Title of Proceeding.	Date of Confirmation.	Awards.	Taxed Costs.	Total.	Assessments on Property Benefited.	Assessments and Charges on the City.
Opening Avenue St. John from Prospect avenue to Timpson place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 19, 1902	.....	\$3,258 38	\$3,258 38	\$51,172 41	.....
Last partial and separate report, first report confirmed, May 14, 1901. Awards.....						\$47,914 03
Opening Arthur avenue from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 21, 1902	.....	3,431 81	3,431 81	5,101 47	.....
Last partial and separate report, first report confirmed, May 23, 1901. Awards.....						\$1,669 66
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street from Third avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 24, 1902	\$30,413 00	1,935 59	32,348 59	30,931 93	.....
Opening and extending of Undercliff avenue where the same adjoins Boscobel place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 24, 1902	1 12	1,171 90	1,173 02	1,173 02	.....
Awards.....						\$1 00
Interest.....						12
Acquiring title to Jumel place from West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	July 29, 1902	23 00	1,329 73	1,352 73	1,352 73	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Ninety-second street (formerly Primrose street) from Jerome avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, except so far as the same has been appropriated for St. James place by chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 16, 1902	5 00	449 14	454 14	454 14	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Seventy-second street from Plimpton avenue to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 7, 1902	9,855 00	1,752 17	11,607 17	11,607 17	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street from Jerome avenue to the Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 15, 1902	13,418 00	2,861 64	16,279 64	16,279 64	.....

Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, Nov. 19, 1897.

The Board proceeded in executive session to consider the amounts to be allowed for principal and interest of City Debt, State taxes, rents and miscellaneous items.

The Board reconvened in open session.

Present—Seth Low, Mayor; Edward M. Grout, Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, President, Board of Aldermen; Jacob A. Cantor, President, Borough of Manhattan; J. Edward Swannstrom, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Louis F. Haffen, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Hon. Seth Low, Mayor, presiding.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Comptroller showing the condition of the Fund for Street and Park Openings on October 1, 1903, also a statement of premises leased for public offices and other purposes of the City and County governments, for which no other provision has been made to the officers and boards, and which should be provided for in the Budget for 1904, and the amounts to be raised for State taxes:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

October 14, 1903.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith statement showing the condition of the fund for street and park openings on October 1, 1903. The liability of this fund over the cash balance and Corporate Stock authorized and to be issued to reimburse the fund was five hundred and two thousand four hundred and seventy-six dollars and eighty-one cents (\$502,476.81), and under the provisions of section 175 of the Greater New York Charter, it is necessary to insert this amount in the budget for the ensuing year, being seventy-two thousand eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$72,876.57) less than the amount so included in the budget for the current year.

I also present a statement of premises leased for public offices and other purposes of the City and County Government for which no other provision has been made to the officers or Boards, and which should be provided for under the appropriate accounts in the budget for 1904, the aggregate amount thereof being four hundred and forty-one thousand two hundred and forty-six dollars and eighty-six cents (\$441,246.86), an increase of forty three thousand nine hundred and sixty-one dollars and seventy-nine cents (\$43,961.79).

In addition to these statements, I also submit communications from the State Comptroller, showing that the amounts required, etc., be inserted in the budget for State taxes, aggregate five hundred and fifty-six thousand five hundred and forty-two dollars and three cents (\$556,542.03), being an increase over the amount required for 1903 of six thousand three hundred and eighty-four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$6,384.75).

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Statement of the liability of the account "Fund for Street and Park Openings" (section 175 of the Greater New York Charter) consisting of awards remaining unpaid and of balance in the City Treasury to the credit of the said fund at September 30, 1903, p. m.

Liability of the account September 30, 1902, for awards unpaid, as per previous statement, dated October 10, 1902.....	\$985,116 36
Less amount stricken out of and eliminated from the awards in the matter of opening Vyse street, from Boston road to the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, confirmed September 23, 1901, by an order of the Supreme Court, dated May 27, 1903.....	300 00
Awards in proceedings confirmed and entered from September 30, 1902, to September 30, 1903, as per detailed statement attached.....	13,870,114 13
Total.....	\$14,854,930 49
Warrants drawn from September 30, 1902, p. m., to and including September 30, 1903, p. m., on account of awards and the interest thereon included in the reports of the Commissioners.....	\$11,359,810 36
Amount thereof canceled during said period.....	492,589 82
Liability of account September 30, 1903, for unpaid awards.....	\$3,987,709 95
Cash balance to the credit of the account September 30, 1903, p. m.....	998,737 94
Excess of liability over cash balance.....	\$2,988,972 01
Corporate Stock authorized and unissued for the City's share of cost in various proceedings confirmed and included above.....	2,486,495 20
Balance.....	\$502,476 81
Revenue Bonds issued in 1903, for account of "Fund for Street and Park Openings" outstanding September 30, 1903, p. m.....	\$4,227,000 00
New York, October 9, 1903.	

Title of Proceeding.	Date of Confirmation.	Awards.	Taxed Costs.	Total.	Assessments on Property Benefited.	Assessments and Charges on the City.
Opening Lind avenue from Wolf street to Aqueduct avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx..... Additional and supplemental report.	July 3, 1902	38,520 26	6,245 17	44,765 43	26,859 25	17,906 18
Opening Manida street, from Garrison avenue (Mohawk avenue) to the United States bulkhead line of the East river, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 28, 1902	91,498 62	4,867 47	96,366 09	96,366 09	.....
Opening and extending of the lane between Mott avenue and Walton avenue, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx..... Awards \$16 00 Interest 1 92	July 28, 1902	17 92	1,343 49	1,361 41	1,361 41	.....
Acquiring title to Hewitt place, from Leggett avenue (East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street) to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Aug. 4, 1902	46,914 00	1,967 14	48,881 14	48,881 14	.....
Opening Longtellow street, from the north line of the L. S. Samuel property to Woodruff street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 16, 1902	86,643 32	4,411 15	91,054 47	91,054 47	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, from Jerome avenue to Marion avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 8, 1902	22,102 49	2,827 28	24,929 77	24,929 77	.....
Widening of Elton avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx..... Awards \$31,503 54 Interest 1,375 05	July 15, 1902	32,879 19	2,321 04	35,200 23	17,600 11	Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, July 31, 1901. 17,600 12
Opening East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Aqueduct avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 28, 1902	50,902 84	2,886 47	53,789 31	53,189 31	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Aug. 4, 1902	100,811 71	5,472 79	106,284 50	99,972 89	Section 980 of Charter. 6,311 61 Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, July 31, 1901. 55,275 25
Opening East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 29, 1902	107,466 66	3,083 85	110,550 51	55,275 26	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Jerome avenue to Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue west), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 28, 1902	63,605 76	4,139 65	67,745 41	67,745 41	.....
Opening Filing street, from Evergreen avenue to the tracks of the Manhattan Beach Railroad Company, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn..... Awards \$1 00 Interest 14	Oct. 14, 1902	1 14	597 85	598 99	598 99	.....
Acquiring title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward, as and for a public park, to be designated and known as St. Nicholas Park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 366, Laws of 1894, Borough of Manhattan..... Second supplemental report, supplemental to the second and separate report, fourth and separate report.	Oct. 8, 1902 Feb. 4, 1903 Oct. 15, 1902	68,476 21 360,643 60 1,754,991 08	..... ..... .....	68,476 21 360,643 60 1,754,991 08	..... ..... .....	No assessment to be made. \$68,476 21 360,643 60 1,754,991 08
First separate report, confirmed January 15, 1900..... \$740,490 12 Second separate report, confirmed August 8, 1900..... 91,403 88 Second supplemental to second and separate report, confirmed December 20, 1901..... 231,054 01 Second supplemental to second and separate report, confirmed October 8, 1902..... 68,476 21 Second supplemental to second and separate report, confirmed February 4, 1903..... 360,643 60 Fourth separate report, confirmed October 15, 1902..... 1,754,991 08						
Total.....				\$3,247,718 99		
Acquiring title to Fox street, or East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Dec. 24, 1896	2,428 20	2,420 16	4,848 36		
Supplemental and amended report of above.....	April 8, 1902	7,200 00	2,986 63	10,186 63		
Acquiring title to Beck street, or East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Dec. 24, 1896	9,395 00	2,064 36	11,459 36	15,034 99	.....
Supplemental and amended report of above.....	April 8, 1902	7,200 00	2,840 63	10,040 63		
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Teller avenue to Park avenue, West, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx: Awards \$6,002 00 Interest 699 24						
Opening and extending Walton avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Aug. 12, 1902	6,701 24	1,506 49	8,207 73	8,207 73	.....
Opening West Two Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Riverdale avenue to Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Sept. 16, 1902	71,932 99	8,060 37	79,993 36	79,993 36	.....
Opening Watts street, from Sullivan street to West Broadway at Broome street, in the Eighth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	Aug. 8, 1902	25,855 52	5,444 77	31,300 29	31,300 29	.....
Supplemental and amended report of above.....	Aug. 4, 1902 Mar. 31, 1903	253,118 00 74,000 00	18,372 79	271,490 79 74,000 00		
Opening Ritter place, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx..... Awards confirmed \$7,920 52 Awards not confirmed..... 900 00	Oct. 14, 1902	\$7,920 52	\$3,311 78	\$11,232 30	172,745 40	Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, Dec. 24, 1901. \$172,745 39
Acquiring title to West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Eleventh avenue and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	Oct. 6, 1902	101,654 69	3,634 90	105,289 59	Assessments for benefit not confirmed.	
Opening Kelly street, from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Aug. 11, 1902	71,037 64	3,291 58	74,329 22	\$74,329 22	.....
Opening Ashford street, from Atlantic avenue to New Lots avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn..... Awards \$13 00 Interest 1 82	Nov. 7, 1902	14 82	613 97	628 79	628 79	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, from Valentine avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx..... Last partial and separate report, first partial and separate report, confirmed June 28, 1901..... Awards. \$33,481 20	Aug. 4, 1902	.....	5,104 69	5,104 69	37,345 69	Section 980 Charter. \$1,240 20 Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, Dec. 24, 1901. 241,867 77
Opening and extending of Highbridge Park, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and east of the Speedway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan..... Awards \$225,000 00 Interest 11,437 50	Nov. 11, 1902	236,437 50	5,430 27	241,867 77	.....	Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, Feb. 28, 1900. 21,069 42
Opening Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to the western line of Crotona Park and from Boston road to the eastern line of Crotona Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Nov. 6, 1902	59,583 53	3,624 75	63,208 28	42,138 86	.....
Acquiring title to West Fifty-third street, from Eleventh avenue to established bulkhead line of the Hudson river, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	Nov. 6, 1902	5 00	1,388 14	1,393 14	1,393 14	.....
Opening, widening and extending of Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street at their northwesterly intersection and the widening of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Riverside avenue at their southeasterly intersection, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	Nov. 13, 1902	73,000 00	1,925 92	74,925 92	37,462 96	Resolution of Board of Street Openings and Improvements, Dec. 31, 1897. 37,462 96
Acquiring title to Andrews avenue, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to the south line of the New York University property, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Nov. 18, 1902	13,408 77	2,531 89	15,940 66	15,940 66	.....
Acquiring title to West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Hamilton terrace to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	Oct. 20, 1902	14 00	1,941 30	1,955 30	1,955 30	.....
Acquiring title to Andrews avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eightieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Oct. 20, 1902	11,933 00	2,373 80	14,306 80	14,306 80	.....
Opening St. Paul's place, from Webster avenue to Fulton avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx; last partial and separate report, first report confirmed, May 7, 1901..... Awards. \$91,498 78 Last report, confirmed, October 15, 1902..... Costs. 4,656 61	Oct. 15, 1902	.....	4,656 61	4,656 61	90,877 31	section 980 of Charter. 5,278 08
Assessments.....					\$96,155 39	
Opening and extending of East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx..... Awards \$2 00 Interest 22	Oct. 14, 1902	2 22	1,285 36	1,287 58	1,287 58	.....
Acquiring title to East Two Hundred and Forty-second street, from Katonah avenue to the northern boundary of the City, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Oct. 20, 1902	1 00	1,224 23	1,225 23	1,225 23	.....
Acquiring title to White Plains road, from the northern boundary of The City of New York to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx; first partial and separate report..... Awards. \$1,687,699 73 Interest 180,639 64	Nov. 11, 1902	1,868,339 37	.....	1,868,339 37	.....	Assessments to be made in final report of Commissioners.
Awards \$4,175 00 Interest 414 02	Dec. 16, 1902	4,589 02	.....	4,589 02	.....
Opening Montgomery street, from the division line between the former City of Brooklyn and the former Town of Flatbush, where the same crosses Montgomery street, between Franklin avenue and Perry (Bedford) avenue to East New York avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth wards, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Nov. 25, 1902	60,350 00	2,997 39	63,347 39	63,347 39	.....
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx..... Supplemental and amended report.	Nov. 20, 1902	231,211 05	12,781 89	243,992 94	121,996 47	Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, March 14, 1900. 121,996 47
Opening Starr street, from St. Nicholas avenue to the county line, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Dec. 16, 1902	15,908 00	885 58	16,793 58	16,793 58	.....

Title of Proceeding.	Date of Confirmation.	Awards.	Taxed Costs.	Total.	Assessments on Property Benefited.	Assessments and Charges on the City.
Opening East Twenty-first street, from Avenue M to Avenue K, in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn	Dec. 16, 1902	5,376 60	980 48	6,357 08	6,357 08	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (formerly Charles place), from River avenue to the Concourse, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 11, 1902	12,931 96	2,041 42	14,973 38	14,973 38	Section 980 of Charter.
Opening Bay Twenty-third street, from Benson avenue to Cropsey avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn	Nov. 17, 1902	32,456 00	2,298 74	34,754 74	30,565 07	4,189 67
Acquiring title to West One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan	Dec. 9, 1902	49,682 47	2,973 05	52,655 52	52,655 52	.....
Acquiring title to West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan	Nov. 24, 1902	2,293 28	4,463 57	6,756 85	6,756 85	.....
Opening Plimpton avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 4, 1902	14,500 00	1,578 80	16,078 80	16,078 80	Section 980 of Charter.
Opening Tiebout avenue, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx; Last partial and separate report; First report confirmed May 23, 1901. Awards. \$51,717 00 Last report, confirmed, December 3, 1902. Costs. 4,380 92	Dec. 3, 1902	.....	4,380 92	4,380 92	54,762 92	1,335 00
Assessments \$56,997 92						
Opening East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 4, 1902	59,999 01	3,561 69	63,560 70	63,560 70	.....
Opening and extending of Blackwell street, from Broadway to Graham avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens	Dec. 19, 1902	3 45	1,207 41	1,210 86	1,210 86	.....
Awards \$3 00 Interest 45						
Opening Fifty-fourth street, from the former City line to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn	Jan. 12, 1903	493 11	661 52	1,154 63	1,154 63	.....
Awards \$463 00 Interest 30 11						
Opening Seventieth street, from Fourteenth avenue to Twenty-second avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn	Jan. 13, 1903	11 70	1,012 23	1,023 93	1,023 93	.....
Awards \$10 00 Interest 1 70						
						\$11 70
Acquiring title to Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan	Jan. 19, 1903	124,460 00	5,859 28	130,319 28	107,346 36	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 16, 1902. 22,972 92
Opening Nineteenth street, from Vanderbilt street to Patent line dividing the City of Brooklyn from Flatbush, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn	Jan. 13, 1903	4,620 64	1,440 36	6,061 00	6,061 00	.....
Awards \$4,184 10 Interest 436 54						
Opening Ryer avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Jan. 15, 1903	68,448 48	3,830 23	72,278 71	72,278 71	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, August 7, 1902. 4,741 98
Opening and extending of public place formed by the intersection of Tremont avenue, Buckhout street and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 9, 1902	7,500 00	1,983 97	9,483 97	4,741 99	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Nov. 28, 1902. 9,280 76
Opening a public place bounded by East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Bergen avenue and Gerard street, and also to Gerard street, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Bergen avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx; Last partial and separate report. First report, confirmed June 21, 1901. Awards. \$13,409 30 Last report, confirmed January 12, 1903. Costs. 5,152 22	Jan. 12, 1903	.....	5,152 22	5,152 22	9,280 76	.....
Assessments 18,561 52						
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Morris avenue to Claremont Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Jan. 13, 1903	4,001 00	1,451 80	5,452 80	5,452 80	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Arthur avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 4, 1903	12,356 99	3,638 81	15,995 80	15,995 80	.....
Awards \$12,356 00 Interest 99						
Opening McClellan street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 9, 1902	41,281 00	2,834 38	44,115 38	44,115 38	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Oct. 3, 1902. 4,861 49
Opening East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Sheridan avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 22, 1902	66,470 03	2,979 81	69,449 84	64,588 35	.....
Opening Mount Hope place, from Jerome avenue to Anthony avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 9, 1903	18,306 58	3,259 01	21,565 59	21,565 59	.....
Opening Walton avenue, from Tremont avenue to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 22, 1902	55,008 38	4,285 25	59,293 63	59,293 63	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 28, 1902. 132,284 54
Opening Broadway, from its present southerly terminus in the Twenty-fourth Ward to the southern line of Van Cortland Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Dec. 19, 1902	157,397 00	7,958 68	165,355 68	33,071 14	.....
Opening Hubbard Place, from East Fortieth street to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of Brooklyn	Mar. 3, 1903	1,462 00	1,239 33	2,701 33	2,701 33	.....
Opening Prospect place, from Utica avenue to East New York avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-sixth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn	Mar. 3, 1903	361 00	1,464 06	1,825 06	1,825 06	.....
Opening Garden street, from Grote street to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 26, 1903	5,891 79	1,543 64	7,435 43	7,435 43	.....
Awards \$5,553 93 Interest 337 86						
Opening and extending of Lyman place, from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Stebbins avenue to Freeman street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 26, 1903	1,476 34	1,890 66	3,367 00	3,367 00	.....
Awards \$1,317 00 Interest 159 34						
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Locust avenue to the East river, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx; last partial and separate report. First partial and separate report May 14, 1901. Awards. \$43,059 00	Mar. 3, 1903	.....	3,146 50	3,146 50	46,196 50	.....
Acquiring title to Macy place, from Prospect avenue to Hewitt place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Mar. 10, 1903	19,379 03	1,456 00	20,835 03	20,835 03	.....
Awards \$16,100 00 Interest 3,279 03						
Opening Nelson avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 26, 1903	22,837 00	2,666 86	25,503 86	25,503 86	.....
Opening Morris avenue, from the Concourse to Tremont avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx; last partial and separate report. First partial and separate report, February 10, 1902. Awards. \$18,593 64 Last partial and separate report, December 5, 1902. Costs. 4,073 99	Dec. 5, 1902	.....	4,073 99	4,073 99	22,667 63	.....
Assessments \$22,667 63						
Acquiring title to East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Mar. 5, 1903	6 00	1,680 14	1,686 14	1,686 14	Resolution of Board of Street Openings and Improvements, Feb. 5, 1897. 103,260 84 benefit not confirmed.
Opening Aqueduct avenue, from Lind avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 24, 1903	247,600 96	10,551 15	258,152 11	154,891 27	Assessments for benefit not confirmed.
Acquiring title to a public place or square lying southerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott avenue and Railroad Avenue East, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx; supplemental and amended report	Jan. 30, 1903	40,541 95	8,815 97	49,357 92	.....	.....
Opening Clarkson street, from New York avenue to the easterly limit of Clarkson street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, Borough of Brooklyn	Mar. 26, 1903	21,899 43	2,686 36	24,585 79	24,585 79	.....
Awards \$18,701 51 Interest 3,197 92						
						\$21,899 43
Opening Fordham road, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Mar. 17, 1903	68,762 57	3,890 25	72,652 82	54,489 62	Resolution of Board of Public Improvements, Dec. 30, 1901. 18,163 20
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Crotona Park East to Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx	Feb. 26, 1903	11,208 33	1,636 73	12,845 06	12,845 06	.....
Awards \$10,000 00 Interest 1,208 33						
						\$11,208 33
Opening, widening and extending Elm street, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place, in the Sixth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards, Borough of Manhattan; last partial and separate report	Feb. 18, 1903	.....	201,139 30	201,139 30	1,848,399 14	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 25, 1902. \$3,696,798.28. Cost of Special Counsel and Experts not assessable, \$57,318.88. 3,754,117 16

Title of Proceeding.	Date of Confirmation.	Awards.	Taxed Costs.	Total.	Assessments on Property Benefited.	Assessments and Charges on the City.
First report, confirmed November 9, 1897.....		Awards. \$5,401,377 00				
Last report, confirmed February 18, 1903.....		Costs. 201,139 30				
Assessments		5,602,516 30				
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Elton avenue to Mott avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx; first partial and separate report.....	April 2, 1903	372,701 50	.....	372,701 50	Assessments for benefit to be made in the final report of the Commissioners.	Section 980 of Charter.
Opening and extending of Marmion avenue, from Crotona Park North to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 18, 1903	50,219 49	4,199 69	54,419 18	52,682 85	1,736 33
Acquiring title to Harlem River terrace, from the northern line of the land ceded November 27, 1891 (as Heath avenue to Bailey avenue); also Heath avenue, from Bailey avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 20, 1903	139,437 62	10,050 23	149,487 85	149,487 85	.....
Opening Cromwell avenue, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 17, 1903	104,498 96	2,833 91	107,332 87	107,332 87	.....
Acquiring title, etc., within the lines of Riverside drive and parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the Boulevard Lafayette, in the Twelfth Ward, pursuant to chapter 665, Laws of 1897, Borough of Manhattan; first partial and separate report.....	April 16, 1903	2,837,639 85	.....	2,837,639 85	Assessments for benefit to be made in the final report of the Commissioners. ....	.....
Awards		\$2,509,234 50				
Interest		328,405 35				
Opening East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, from Bailey avenue to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river, and exterior street, from East One Hundred and Ninety-second street to Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Feb. 26, 1903	32,174 50	2,505 26	34,679 76	34,679 76	Assessment for benefit to be made in final report of Commissioners.
Opening Leggett avenue, from Prospect avenue to Randall avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx; supplemental and amended, first partial and separate report.....	April 23, 1903	3,787 00	.....	3,787 00	.....	.....
First report, confirmed July 22, 1901.....		Awards. \$93,092 10				
Opening Avenue K, from East Sixteenth street to East Eighteenth street, in the Thirty-first and Thirty-second wards, Borough of Brooklyn.....	April 28, 1903	3,521 00	948 17	4,469 17	4,469 17	.....
Opening Knickerbocker avenue, from Putnam avenue to Moffatt street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	April 28, 1903	13 65	678 47	692 12	692 12	.....
Awards		\$13 00				
Interest		65				
Opening East One Hundred and Eighty-first street (formerly Ponus street), from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx; last partial and separate report.....	Mar. 26, 1903	.....	8,063 21	8,063 21	46,768 27	Section 980 of Charter.
First report, confirmed September 14, 1901.....		Awards. \$42,418 30				3,713 24
Last report, confirmed March 26, 1903.....		Costs. 8,063 21				
Assessments		\$50,481 51				
Opening East One Hundred and Eightieth street (Samuel street), from Third avenue to Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx; last partial and separate report.....	Mar. 26, 1903	.....	7,958 56	7,958 56	111,573 07	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Oct. 3, 1902.
First report, confirmed May 31, 1901.....		Awards. \$131,507 77				27,893 26
Last report, confirmed March 26, 1903.....		Costs. 7,958 50				
Assessments		\$139,466 33				
Acquiring title to East Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Broadway to Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx; last partial and separate report.....	May 19, 1903	.....	4,087 55	4,087 55	23,637 12	Section 980 of Charter, \$3,141.66. Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Nov. 28, 1902, \$26,778.77.
First report, confirmed June 18, 1901.....		Awards. \$49,470 00				29,920 43
Last report, confirmed May 19, 1903.....		Costs. 4,087 55				
Assessments		\$53,557 55				
Opening East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Bronx street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 3, 1903	138,300 19	.....	138,300 19	Assessments for benefit to be made in final report of Commissioners.	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 16, 1902, \$98,514.33. Section 980 of Charter, \$12,969.37.
First partial and separate report.....						111,483 70
Opening Kingsbridge road, from Webster avenue to the Harlem river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	May 25, 1903	317,569 67	10,811 44	328,381 11	216,897 41	Assessments for benefit not confirmed.
Opening Clay avenue (formerly Anthony avenue) from Webster avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 25, 1903	87,952 15	7,714 57	95,666 72	.....	.....
Opening Fifty-first street, from the former City line to Ninth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	June 2, 1903	4,758 07	1,668 61	6,426 68	6,426 68	Assessments for benefit not confirmed.
Opening Summit avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 12, 1903	529 31	.....	529 31	.....	.....
Confirmed June 27, 1901.....		Awards. \$17,518 67				
Confirmed June 27, 1901.....		Costs. 2,144 88				
Confirmed June 12, 1903.....		\$19,663 55				
Awards		\$20,192 86				
Opening Nineteenth street, from highwater mark to the bulkhead line, in the Eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	June 12, 1903	42,000 00	1,674 91	43,674 91	43,674 91	.....
Acquiring title to McLenn avenue, from Webster avenue to Vireo avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 31, 1903	2,400 00	2,288 35	4,688 35	4,688 35	.....
Opening Parrott place, from Seventh avenue to Ninety-second street, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	June 2, 1903	2,973 00	1,079 00	4,052 00	4,052 00	.....
Opening Valentine avenue, from Burnside avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 23, 1903	133,905 39	9,583 91	143,489 30	114,467 90	Section 980 of Charter, \$3,193.33. Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 16, 1902, \$25,828.07.
Opening Clinton avenue, from Gates avenue to Willoughby avenue, in the Twentieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Jan. 30, 1903	49,590 05	2,863 28	52,453 33	52,453 33	29,021 40
Opening Beaumont avenue, from Grote street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 17, 1903	15,732 45	4,190 78	19,923 23	19,923 23	.....
Opening East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (formerly Grand avenue), from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	April 29, 1903 and June 19, 1903	142,458 11	13,173 02	155,631 13	101,989 58	Section 980 of Charter, \$5,395.90. Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 31, 1902, \$48,245.65.
Acquiring title for a public park to the block of land and premises bounded by First and Second avenues, East Thirty-fifth street and East Thirty-sixth street, in the Twenty-first Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	July 16, 1903	1,020,750 08	15,657 60	1,036,407 68	No assessments to be made.	53,641 55
Opening Perry avenue, from Southern boulevard to Moshulu parkway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Dec. 21, 1896	2,002 00	2,730 56	4,732 56	4,732 56	1,036,407 68
Confirmed by Appellate Division, April 9, 1903; confirmed by Court of Appeal, June 23, 1903.						Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 16, 1902.
Acquiring title to Clay avenue, from Park avenue (Railroad avenue West) to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 25, 1903	127,288 16	5,539 01	132,827 17	126,185 81	6,641 36
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from German place to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	April 20, 1903	16,997 64	2,674 46	19,672 10	19,672 10	.....
Awards		\$15,174 21				
Interest		1,823 43				
Opening Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 26, 1903	4,632 52	.....	4,632 52	Assessments for benefit to be made in final report of Commissioners.	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 19, 1902.
Supplemental and additional first partial and separate report; first report, confirmed, May 7, 1902.....		Awards. \$152,278 72				31,180 51
Opening Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Brooklyn avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	April 28, 1903	52,152 84	4,538 88	56,691 72	25,511 21	Assessments for benefit not confirmed.
Acquiring title to Valentine avenue, from the junction of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and Kingsbridge road to East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 7, 1903	24,643 52	3,085 73	27,729 25	.....	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, March 6, 1903.
Acquiring title to Foster avenue, from westerly line of Flatbush avenue to the easterly line of Coney Island avenue, in the Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards, Borough of Brooklyn.....	May 5, 1903	58,640 88	3,357 37	62,008 25	56,840 90	5,167 35
Awards		\$57,481 66				
Interest		1,159 22				
Assessments		\$58,640 88				

Title of Proceeding.	Date of Confirmation.	Awards.	Taxed Costs.	Total.	Assessments on Property Benefited.	Assessments and Charges on the City.
Acquiring title to a new street, between Richmond turnpike and Ward avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond.....	July 24, 1903	6,888 08	1,505 30	8,393 38	Assessments for benefit not confirmed.	.....
Awards		\$6,162 00				
Interest		726 08				
		\$6,888 08				
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from La Fontaine avenue to Hughes avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 13, 1903	27,363 59	2,626 93	29,990 52	29,990 52	.....
Awards		\$24,155 00				
Interest		3,208 59				
		\$27,363 59				
Acquiring title to Amos street, from Tompkins avenue or Centre street easterly for a distance of about 200 feet to that part of said Amos street which has already been deeded to The City of New York by George W. Vanderbilt, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond.....	June 25, 1903	7,011 00	1,174 94	8,185 94	6,460 94	Section 980 of Charter. 1,725 00
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	May 12, 1903	92,953 49	4,462 59	97,416 08	93,811 08	Section 980 of Charter. 3,605 00
Awards		\$82,879 17				
Interest		10,074 32				
		\$92,953 49				
Opening Vanderbilt avenue west from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Pelham avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	April 23, 1903	183,433 13	11,145 53	194,578 66	165,820 79	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Aug. 7, 1902, \$19,457.87, Section 980 of Charter, \$9,300. 28,757 87
Acquiring title to Wiegand place, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to the southerly line of the property of the University of The City of New York, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 10, 1903	6,066 25	3,408 16	9,474 41	9,474 41	Section 980 of Charter. 4,161 65
Opening Johnson avenue, from the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, near Spuyten Duyvil station, to Spuyten Duyvil road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 26, 1903	49,960 04	8,185 45	58,145 49	53,983 84	.....
Opening East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Grand avenue to Sedwick avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 18, 1903	202 88	1,930 59	2,133 47	2,133 47	.....
Acquiring title to East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Morris avenue to Clay avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.....	Mar. 20, 1903	6,850 00	2,900 81	9,750 81	9,750 81	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Jan. 16, 1903. 5,665 97
Acquiring title to Rockwood street, from Walton avenue to Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 3, 1903	17,319 00	5,344 88	22,663 88	16,997 91	.....
Awards		\$15,605 05				
Interest		1,713 95				
		\$17,319 00				
Acquiring title to West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Broadway to Riverdale avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	May 6, 1903	30,290 30	7,607 11	37,897 41	37,897 41	Section 980 of Charter, \$9,330. Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Dec. 16, 1902, \$22,619.92. 31,949 92
Supplemental and amended report.						Section 980 of Charter. 1,000 00
Opening Arthur avenue, from Tremont avenue to Pelham avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	June 3, 1903	124,776 98	16,597 52	141,374 50	109,424 58	.....
Opening and extending of Delap place, from Grand street to Bergen avenue, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.....	Mar. 12, 1903	4,657 00	1,448 96	6,105 96	5,105 96	.....
Opening and extending of Camelia street, from Crescent avenue to Boulevard, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens.....	Mar. 6, 1903	12 76	1,474 66	1,487 42	1,487 42	.....
Awards		\$11 00				
Interest		1 76				
		\$12 76				
Acquiring title to Carroll place, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to McClellan street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	July 13, 1903	14,898 73	2,620 48	17,519 21	.....	.....
Order, July 13, 1903, confirming awards only.	Aug. 7, 1903	.....	.....	.....	17,519 21	.....
Order, August 7, 1903, confirming assessments only.						.....
Opening Twentieth street, from Vanderbilt street to the boundary line of the Twenty-ninth and Twenty-second wards, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	July 30, 1903	1,488 66	1,052 13	2,540 79	2,540 79	.....
Awards		\$1,245 72				
Interest		242 94				
		\$1,488 66				
Opening Thirteenth avenue, from Seventy-third street to Eighty-sixth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	July 31, 1903	17,017 00	1,117 84	1,134 84	1,134 84	.....
Opening Sixty-seventh street, from Kouwenhoven lane to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	July 30, 1903	18,769 22	2,089 51	20,858 73	Includes \$9,227.34 assessed against property owned by City of New York. 20,858 73	.....
Opening Third avenue, from Sixtieth street to Shore Driveway, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Aug. 31, 1903	151,997 86	14,288 32	166,286 18	83,143 09	Resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, May 1, 1903. 83,143 09
Awards		\$142,586 97				
Interest		9,410 89				
		\$151,997 86				
Opening and extending of Chisholm street, from Stebbins avenue to Intervale avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx.....	April 23, 1903	14,870 81	2,228 84	17,099 65	17,099 65	.....
Awards		\$14,374 88				
Interest		495 93				
		\$14,870 81				
Acquiring title to West One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.....	April 6, 1903	49,562 67	3,356 95	52,919 62	52,919 62	.....
Awards		\$41,660 98				
Interest		7,901 69				
		\$49,562 67				
Total.....		\$13,870,114 13	\$707,302 56	\$14,577,416 69	\$6,539,031 58	\$8,436,303 87

SUMMARY.

	Awards.	Taxed Costs.	Total.	Assessments Upon Property Benefited.	Assessments and Charges Upon the City.	Assessments to be Made.
Total proceedings confirmed, assessed, etc., since September 30, 1902.....	\$13,870,114 13	\$707,302 56	\$14,577,416 69	\$6,539,031 58	\$8,436,303 87	.....
Awards and costs confirmed previous to September 30, 1902.....	5,926,106 68	.....	5,926,106 68	.....	.....	.....
Assessments to be made with the final reports of the Commissioners in proceedings in which partial reports have been made and confirmed.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,220,989 45
Assessments reported but not confirmed.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	298,198 47
Total.....	\$19,796,220 81	\$707,302 56	\$20,503,523 37	\$6,539,031 58	\$8,436,303 87	\$5,528,187 92

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1903.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith a list of condemnation proceedings, assigned to the Bureau of Street Openings, in which reports have been confirmed since October 1, 1902, and a statement of the amount of the awards and taxed costs of each proceeding, pursuant to section 175 of the Greater New York Charter.

Title of Proceedings.	Amount of Awards.	Amount of Taxed Costs.
West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to Amsterdam avenue; awards....	\$101,654 69	\$3,634 90
Ritter place, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue; except Damage No. 1B, and assessments for benefit	8,820 52	3,311 78
St. Paul's place, from Webster avenue to Fulton avenue, last partial .....	.....	4,656 61
West Fifty-third street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river	5 00	1,388 14
Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to Crotona Park and Boston road to Crotona Park.....	59,583 53	3,624 75

Highbridge Park, from West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street	236,437 50	5,430 27
Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street	73,000 00	1,925 92
White Plains road, first section.....	1,009,596 80	.....
White Plains road, second section.....	863,331 59	35,685 29
Andrews avenue, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to south line of New York University..	13,408 77	2,531 89
East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue.....	2 22	1,285 36
East Two Hundred and Forty-second street, from Katonah avenue to northern boundary of City.....	1 00	1,224 23
Andrews avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eightieth street.....	11,933 00	2,373 80
West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Hamilton terrace to Convent avenue.....	14 00	1,941 30
East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street from Creston avenue to Ryer avenue; except Damage No. 9, and assessments.....	5,495 79	2,442 45
East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Alexander avenue.....	231,211 05	12,781 89

West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road.....	2,293 28	4,463 57	East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Southern Boulevard	92,953 49	4,462 59
Tiebout avenue, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to Fordham road, last partial.....	.....	4,380 92	East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Bronx river.....	142,458 11	11,745 02
Plimpton avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane	14,500 00	1,578 80	Bryant street, from L. S. Samuel's property to Woodruff street	95,957 01	5,888 02
East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from River avenue to the Concourse.....	12,931 96	2,041 42	East Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Broadway to Bailey avenue. Last partial.....	.....	4,087 55
East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue.....	59,999 01	3,561 69	East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Mott avenue to New York and Harlem Railroad.....	20,096 60	3,944 22
West One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue.....	49,682 47	2,973 05	Kingsbridge road, from Webster avenue to Harlem river.....	317,569 67	10,811 44
Blackwell street, from Broadway to Graham avenue....	3 45	1,207 41	East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Bronx river. First partial.....	138,300 19	17,082 75
Ryer avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.....	68,448 48	3,830 23	Arthur avenue, from Third avenue to Pelham avenue....	124,776 98	16,597 52
East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Morris avenue to Claremont Park.....	4,001 00	1,451 80	Rockwood street, from Walton avenue to Grand Boulevard and Concourse.....	17,319 00	5,344 88
Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street	124,460 00	5,859 28	Valentine avenue, from Burnside avenue to Kingsbridge road	133,905 39	9,583 91
Public place at One Hundred and Forty-ninth street..	13,499 30	5,152 22	Clay avenue, from Park avenue to Webster avenue.....	127,288 16	5,539 01
Broadway, from its present southerly terminus to the southern line of Van Cortlandt Park.....	157,397 00	7,958 68	Clay avenue, from Webster avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street. As to awards.....	87,952 15	7,714 57
McClellan street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue	41,281 03	2,834 38	East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse.....	3,113 50	4,417 75
Public place at Buckhout street	7,500 00	1,983 97	Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street. Supplemental and amended first partial report.....	3,699 46	2,222 39
East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Arthur avenue to Southern Boulevard.....	12,356 99	3,638 81	Johnson avenue, from Spuyten Duyvil parkway to Spuyten Duyvil road.....	49,960 04	8,145 45
East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Sheridan avenue to New York and Harlem River Railroad	66,470 03	2,979 81	Loring place, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eightieth street.....	20,534 00	1,589 66
Walton avenue, from Tremont avenue to Fordham road	55,008 38	4,285 25	Summit avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, Damage Nos. 1, 4, 8, 33 and 55.....	529 31	.....
Mt. Hope place, from Jerome avenue to Anthony avenue	18,305 58	3,259 01	Valentine avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street. Confirmed as to awards; returned as to assessments	24,643 52	3,085 73
Aqueduct avenue, from Lind avenue to Kingsbridge road	247,600 90	10,551 15	Carroll place, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to McClellan street, as to awards.....	14,898 73	2,620 48
Nelson avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane	22,837 00	2,666 86	East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Monroe avenue to Tremont avenue.....	23,513 63	3,008 62
Lyman place, from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Freeman street	1,476 34	1,890 66	Wiegand place, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the southerly line of the University of the City of New York.....	6,066 25	3,408 16
East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, from Bailey avenue to Harlem river.....	32,174 50	2,595 26	Elsmere place, from Marmion avenue to Southern Boulevard	2 34	2,256 29
East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Crotona Park East to Boston road	11,208 33	1,636 73	East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Arthur avenue to the Crescent.....	2 02	1,452 34
Garden street, from Grote street to Southern Boulevard	5,891 79	1,543 64	Amos street, from present terminus to Centre street (Richmond)	7,011 00	1,174 94
East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Locust avenue to East river, last partial.....	.....	3,146 50	A new street, from Richmond turnpike to Ward avenue (Richmond), as to awards.....	6,808 88	1,505 30
East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street.....	6 00	1,680 14	Harrison avenue, from Tremont avenue northerly to the first intersecting drainage street.....	7,343 43	1,373 01
Macy place, from Prospect avenue to Hewitt place....	19,379 03	1,456 00	East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard	48,391 13	4,556 75
Clinton place, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue.	234 50	2,128 11	Briggs avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Kingsbridge road, as to awards, returned as to assessments	45,219 24	3,617 85
East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Lafontaine avenue to Hughes avenue.....	27,363 59	2,626 93	Lathrop street, from Newton avenue to Broadway (Queens)	6,050 17	2,348 29
Cromwell avenue, from Jerome avenue to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Twenty-third Ward...	104,498 96	2,833 91	Pilling street, from Evergreen avenue to the tracks of Manhattan Beach Railroad	1 04	597 85
Public place at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as to awards.....	40,541 95	8,815 97	Ashford street, from Atlantic avenue to New Lots avenue	14 82	613 97
Delap place, from Grand avenue to Bergen avenue....	4,657 00	1,448 96	Bay Twenty-third street, from Benson avenue to Cropsey avenue	32,456 00	2,298 74
Camelia street, from Crescent to Boulevard.....	12 76	1,474 65	Montgomery street, from dividing line between Brooklyn and Flatbush to East New York avenue..	60,350 00	2,997 39
Marmion avenue, from Crotona Park North to the Southern Boulevard	50,219 49	4,199 69	Starr street, from St. Nicholas avenue to the county line	15,908 00	885 58
Fordham road, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to Kingsbridge road.....	68,762 57	3,890 25	East Twenty-first street, from Avenue M to Avenue K.	5,376 60	980 48
Honeywell avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue) to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street (Kingsbridge road)	30,377 00	5,109 65	Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Brooklyn avenue	52,152 84	4,458 88
Beaumont avenue, from Grote street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street.....	15,732 45	4,193 78	Seventieth street, from Fourteenth avenue to Twenty-second avenue	11 70	1,012 23
East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Grand avenue to Sedgwick avenue.....	202 88	1,930 59	Nineteenth street, from Vanderbilt street to former City line	4,620 64	1,440 36
Quarry road, from Third avenue to Arthur avenue....	38,890 62	2,796 57	Fifty-fourth street, from former City line to Fort Hamilton avenue	493 11	661 52
East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Morris avenue to Clay avenue.....	6,850 00	2,900 81	Clinton avenue, from Gates avenue to Willoughby avenue	49,590 05	2,863 28
East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Park avenue to Third avenue.....	44,929 60	3,217 19	Seventy-first street, from Third avenue to Shore road..	83,890 18	3,012 52
East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Park avenue to Beaumont avenue.....	21,753 42	1,994 55	Hubbard place, from East Fortieth street to Flatbush avenue	1,462 00	1,239 33
Harlem River terrace, from Bailey avenue to Fort Independence street	139,437 62	10,050 23	Prospect avenue, from Utica avenue to East New York avenue	361 00	1,464 06
East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Webster avenue.....	25,244 21	3,981 26	Clarkson street, from New York avenue to easterly limits of Clarkson street	21,899 43	2,686 36
East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Southern Boulevard to Bronx Park, last partial.....	.....	8,053 21	Knickerbocker avenue, from Putnam avenue to Moffat street	13 65	678 47
Lowmede street, from Gunhill road to East Two Hundred and Tenth street.....	11,120 00	3,204 32	Avenue K, from East Sixteenth street to East Eighteenth street	3,521 00	948 17
Hoffman street, from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street.....	20,543 87	3,309 97	Foster avenue, from westerly line of Flatbush avenue to easterly line of Coney Island avenue.....	58,640 88	3,367 37
Belmont place, from Third avenue to Arthur avenue....	29,865 03	3,401 21	Parrot place, from Seventh avenue to Ninety-second street	2,973 00	1,079 00
Watts street, from Sullivan street to West Broadway, supplemental and amended report as to Parcels Nos. 10, 11, 12 and 12A, and assessments for benefit.....	74,000 00	.....	Fifty-first street, from former City line to Ninth avenue	4,758 07	1,668 61
McLean avenue, from Webster avenue to Verio avenue.	2,400 00	2,288 35	Nineteenth street, from highwater mark to bulkhead line	42,000 00	1,674 91
Lorillard place, from Third avenue to Pelham avenue, except as to title to Damage No. 11.....	29,894 63	3,671 83	Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Brooklyn avenue	52,152 84	4,538 88
East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Elton avenue to Mott avenue, last partial report.....	372,701 50	9,655 01	Twentieth street, from Vanderbilt street to boundary line of Twenty-second and Twenty-ninth Wards....	1,488 66	1,052 13
West One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Fort Washington road.....	49,562 67	3,356 95	Sixty-seventh street, from Kouwenhoven Land to Fort Hamilton avenue	18,769 22	2,089 51
Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette, first partial report	2,837,639 85	66,843 15	Thirteenth avenue, from Seventy-third street to Eighty-sixth street	17 00	1,117 84
Timpson place, from St. Joseph's street to Whitlock avenue	42,024 00	3,385 68	East Twenty-first street, from Albemarle road to Regent place	5,581 81	1,456 25
Perry avenue, from Moshulu Parkway to south line of Woodlawn Cemetery, striking out Assessment Nos. 460 and 462, in all other respects confirmed.....	6,653 96	3,398 63	Third avenue, from Sixtieth street to Shore road.....	151,997 86	14,288 32
Public place, at Morris avenue and One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets	13,364 88	3,057 44	Rochester avenue, from East New York avenue to former City line	14,680 67	2,031 46
Crescent avenue, from Arthur avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.....	29,296 96	2,507 43	Prospect avenue, from Eleventh avenue to Terrace place	6,268 89	1,448 33
Vanderbilt avenue West, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Pelham avenue.....	183,433 13	11,145 53	Sixty-first street, from Third avenue to Sixth avenue, and from Seventh avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue..	12 72	486 03
Leggett avenue, from Prospect avenue to Randall avenue, supplemental and amended first partial report as to Damage No. 10.....	3,787 00	1,774 30	East Eighth street, from Avenue T to Gravesend Neck road	18,068 75	1,409 80
Melrose Avenue Viaduct (Chapter 680, Laws of 1897), from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the junction of Webster avenue and Brook avenue at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.....	94,475 00	11,494 92	East Ninth street, from Avenue U to Avenue S.....	1,097 00	1,316 59
East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from German place to St. Ann's avenue.....	16,977 64	2,674 46	East Sixteenth street, from Avenue T to Avenue V.....	1,019 00	1,216 48
Chisholm street, from Stebbins avenue to Intervale avenue	14,870 81	2,228 84			
West Two Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Broadway to Riverdale avenue.....	30,290 30	7,602 11			
			Total	\$10,423,629 97	\$610,069 46

Yours respectfully, G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

RENTS.

For payment of rent for property leased to The City of New York for public offices and other purposes and for which no provision is made in the estimate of the several departments of the City Government.

Date.	Lessors.	Premises Leased.	For What Purpose.	Lease Expires.	Rents as Apportioned.	Annual Rental.	Amount to be Provided for.
1903. July 2	Horace Russell and Edward D. Harris, executors, etc..	No. 280 Broadway, all of the first floor except room 32, and rooms JJ, T and XX, basement. Rooms O and P, ground floor, and II, OO and PP, basement. Rooms D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K and R, ground floor, and DD, basement. Rooms 103, 104, 105, 114, 115, 119 and 121. Rooms 123, 127 and 128. Rooms 51, 52, 54 and 55. Rooms 63, 65, 67 and 84. Rooms 139 and 141. Rooms 225 and 226. Rooms 81, 83, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90 and 91. Room 142. Rooms 157 and 159. Rooms 173, 175, 177, 179, 181. Rooms 183, 185, 186, 187, 189.	Department of Finance. Receiver of Taxes. Taxes and assessments. Commissioner of Accounts. Commissioner of Jurors. Department of Finance. Department of Finance. Department of Finance. Law Department. Department of Finance. Department of Finance. Department of Finance. Department of Finance.	May 1, 1904	\$42,400 00 17,500 00 19,500 00 8,000 00 4,200 00 4,000 00 4,550 00 2,400 00 1,900 00 8,000 00 600 00 2,000 00 6,000 00 5,150 00	\$126,890 00	\$63,445 00
July 15	Alfred R. Conkling, Earnest E. Lorillard and Alfred Seaton, Jr., trustees for Jacob Lorillard	If renewed, estimated. No. 296 Broadway, third loft. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Finance.	July 1, 1904		1,600 00	63,445 00 800 00
1902. Nov. 11	Horace Russell and Edward D. Harris, executors, etc..	No. 280 Broadway, rooms 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79 and 81. (Holding over to be renewed May 1, 1903.)	Sheriff's office	May 1, 1903		9,600 00	4,800 00
Feb. 6	Harriet B. Fisk, Mary C. Smith, Geo. H. Draper, Agnes Dickinson and Geo. C. DeWitt, trustees.	If renewed, estimated. No. 83 Chambers street, ground floor, basement and sub-cellar. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Finance.			5,500 00	2,750 00 2,750 00
1899. Mar. 31	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row. Rooms 1201 to 1217, twelfth floor. All of thirteenth floor. All of fourteenth floor. All of fifteenth floor. All of sixteenth floor, and rooms 1736 to 1739 on seventeenth floor. Rooms 1701 to 1731, seventeenth floor. Rooms 1801 to 1814, 1818 to 1821, and 1832 to 1839, eighteenth floor. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Bridges. Department of Sewers. Department of Street Cleaning. Department of Water Supply. Department of Highways. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. Board of Public Improvements.	April 1, 1904	5,818 68 11,719 88 11,606 56 13,439 71 13,376 85 9,505 11 8,337 38 \$73,804 17	73,804 17	18,451 04 504 07 1,512 32 63 11 189 34 330 54 991 61 160 46 481 39 900 00 900 00 2,530 00 2,530 00 528 30 1,584 90 3,250 00 3,250 00 1,500 00 1,500 00 7,000 00 3,435 00 1,717 50 4,000 00 2,000 00 2,000 00 16,000 00 8,000 00 2,800 00 2,500 00 550 00 2,350 00 420 00 280 00 12,000 00 600 00 2,000 00 300 00 2,000 00 1,200 00 4,000 00 16,000 00 1,000 00 500 00 100 00 2,000 00 144 00 1,300 00 600 00 4,735 00 400 00 900 00 1,200 00 4,000 00 1,700 00 3,362 00
1902. Aug.	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row. Rooms Nos. 1815 to 1817 on eighteenth floor, and 1225 to 1227 on twelfth floor. If renewed, estimated.	Municipal Government	May 1, 1904		1,695 50	847 75
1899. May 15	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, rooms 1907 to 1911 on nineteenth floor. If renewed, estimated.	Municipal Statistics	April 1, 1904		2,016 29	504 07
Aug. 24	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, room 1912 on nineteenth floor. If renewed, estimated.	Municipal Statistics	April 1, 1904		252 45	1,512 32
Nov. 6	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 21 and 23 Park row, rooms 1218 to 1222. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Bridges	April 1, 1904		1,322 15	330 54
1901. Mar. 14	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Rooms 1223 and 1224. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Bridges	April 1, 1904		641 85	160 46
1903. Feb. 28	Park Row Construction Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, rooms 2023 to 2027 on twentieth floor. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Water Supply	May 1, 1904		1,800 00	900 00
Aug. 20	Park Row Realty Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, rooms 2101 to 2107 on twenty-first floor. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Water Supply	Jan. 1, 1904		2,530 00	2,530 00
Aug. 20	Park Row Realty Co..	Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, rooms 2108 to 2114 on twenty-first floor. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Water Supply	April 1, 1904		2,113 20	528 30
1902. Aug. 5	Chas. A. Harrens and another, trustees of Tompkins Lodge, No. 471, F. & A. M.	Masonic Hall, Stapleton, S. I., first and second floors.	Municipal Departments	May 1, 1905		3,250 00	3,250 00
1903. July 6	Wm. T. Van Vredenburg..	Richmond terrace and York avenue. All of the building except the drug store. If renewed, estimated.	Municipal Departments	May 1, 1904		3,000 00	1,500 00
1902. Dec. 3	Christopher Hackett.....	Southwest corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.	Municipal Departments	Dec. 1, 1906		7,000 00	7,000 00
July 3	Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank	No. 51 Chambers street, rooms 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Taxes and Assessments	May 1, 1904		3,435 00	1,717 50
Mar. 27	Central Syndicate Building Company	No. 320 Broadway, rooms 1401, 1406, 1419 and 1420. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Taxes and Assessments	May 1, 1904		4,000 00	2,000 00
1903. April 15	New York Staats Zeitung....	Tryon row, second, third and part of fourth floors. If renewed, estimated.	Law Department	May 1, 1904		16,000 00	8,000 00
May 28	Eugene Kelly and others, executors	Temple court, rooms 900 to 903, and 930 to 934. If renewed, estimated.	Law Department	May 1, 1904		2,800 00	1,400 00
Feb. 2	Franklin Trust Company....	Southwest corner Clinton and Montague streets, rooms 81, 82, 83, 84, 85 and 87 (Brooklyn).	Law Department			2,500 00	2,500 00
Feb. 25	Franklin Trust Company....	Room 92, same building.	Law Department	Feb. 1, 1906		550 00	550 00
May 21	Rogers, Peet & Co.....	No. 258 Broadway, rooms 401, 402, 403 and 414.	Law Department	May 1, 1906		2,350 00	2,350 00
July 14	Jeanette Crabtree.....	Crabtree Building, Jay street, St. George, S. I. If renewed, estimated.	Law Department	May 1, 1904		420 00	140 00
1901. Nov. 21	Frederick Gerken.....	Chambers street and West Broadway, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth floors.	Law Department	Oct. 1, 1906		12,000 00	12,000 00
1902. Nov. 19	Long Island City Savings Bank	No. 21 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.	Law Department	Sept. 15, 1905		600 00	600 00
1903. May 28	Eugene Kelly and others, executors	Temple court, rooms 1025 to 1030.	Public Administrator	May 1, 1905		2,000 00	2,000 00
1900. Jan. 19	Henry Burrows.....	No. 29 Richmond terrace, Port Richmond, S. I. If renewed, estimated.	Public Administrator	May 1, 1904		300 00	150 00
Sept. 28	James Slater.....	No. 148 East Twentieth street.	Department of Correction	April 1, 1906		2,000 00	2,000 00
1899. May 6	Catherine F. Wetmore, executrix	No. 1237 Franklin avenue, Bronx. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health	May 1, 1904		1,200 00	600 00
1900. Nov. 7	Edwin Packard.....	Nos. 38 and 40 Clinton street, Brooklyn. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health	Jan. 1, 1904		4,000 00	4,000 00
1899. May 25	Henry J. Braker.....	Southwest corner Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.	Department of Health and other Departments	May 1, 1909		16,000 00	16,000 00
1901. Oct. 18	Eliabeth Bernhard.....	Nos. 372 and 374 Fulton street, Jamaica. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health	July 1, 1904		1,000 00	500 00
1902. May 22	Theodore R. Chapman.....	South side Fulton street, near Hamilton street. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health	May 4, 1904		100 00	50 00
Oct. 18	Julia Ganss, executrix, etc..	No. 277 Avenue C, Manhattan.	Department of Health	Oct. 2, 1905		2,000 00	2,000 00
1902. Nov. 11	H. E. Kemper.....	No. 690 Warren street. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health	Nov. 13, 1903		144 00	144 00
Nov. 22	Chas. Braun.....	Nos. 54 and 56 Water street, Stapleton, S. I. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health	Nov. 1, 1903		1,300 00	1,300 00
1903. June 26	Christian Schneider.....	No. 341 Pleasant avenue, Manhattan.	Department of Health	June 26, 1906		600 00	600 00
June 26	Henry J. Braker.....	Sixth avenue, Manhattan.	Department of Health			4,735 00	4,735 00
June 26	Chemists' Club.....	No. 108 West Fifty-fifth street, Manhattan. If renewed, estimated.	Department of Health			400 00	400 00
June 26	J. H. C. Johansmeyer.....	Nos. 1032-38 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Bronx.	Department of Health	Jan. 1, 1906		900 00	900 00
1902. Aug. 13	John U. Brookman.....	No. 516 East Twentieth street.	Department of Correction	April 1, 1906		1,200 00	1,200 00
1901. Dec. 30	Nathaniel W. Keane.....	Northwest corner Second avenue and First street.	Fourth District Municipal Court	May 1, 1907		4,000 00	4,000 00
1902. May 19	Demilt Dispensary	Northwest corner Second avenue and Twenty-third street.	Sixth District Municipal Court	May 1, 1905		1,700 00	1,700 00
1899. Mar. 24	Geo. J. Gould and others...	Eight avenue and Twenty-third street. If renewed, estimated.	Eighth District Municipal Court	May 1, 1904		3,362 00	1,831 00

Date.	Lessors.	Premises Leased.	For What Purpose.	Lease Expires.	Annual Rental.	Amount to be Provided for.
1897. Dec. 30	Max Denzinger, assignee....	Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street...	Second District Municipal Court.....	May 1, 1906	2,600 00	2,600 00
1903. Sept. 12	Church of St. Joseph of the Holy Family.....	Southwest corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street..... If renewed, estimated.....	Eleventh District Municipal Court.....	June 6, 1904	2,800 00	1,400 00 1,400 00
Jan. 3	East Brooklyn Co-operative Building Association.....	No. 14 Howard avenue, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	Fourth District Municipal Court.....	Feb. 15, 1904	2,500 00	625 00 1,875 00
1902. Nov. 12	Mamie Stehlin and others...	Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	Fifth District Municipal Court.....	June 20, 1904	1,000 00	500 00 500 00
1901. Oct. 23	First National Bank of Staten Island.....	Jay street, St. George, S. I..... If renewed, estimated.....	§Surrogate's Court.....	Jan. 1, 1904	1,000 00	..... 1,000 00
1902. Jan. 4	Jos. D. Willis.....	Nos. 108 and 110 Court street, Brooklyn.....	First District Municipal Court.....	Feb. 1, 1907	2,500 00	2,500 00
1901. Jan. 3	Jas. R. Townsend and Henry E. Coe, executors.....	Southeast corner Court and Butler streets, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	Second District Magistrate's Court.....	Jan. 1, 1904	1,644 00	..... 1,644 00
1902. Dec. 10	John Auer.....	No. 249 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.....	Fifth District Magistrate's Court.....	May 18, 1907	1,350 00	1,350 00
July 14	James Stanley Conner.....	Nos. 1217 to 1221 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	Second District Municipal Court.....	Nov. 1, 1903	1,800 00	..... 1,800 00
1899. April 25	James Trainor and Catherine Trainor.....	Nos. 854 and 856 Gates avenue, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	Sixth District Municipal Court.....	Jan. 1, 1904	1,350 00	..... 1,350 00
1903. Jan. 14	Mary L. Dennler.....	No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City..... If renewed, estimated.....	First District Municipal Court.....	Oct. 15, 1903	600 00	..... 600 00
Aug. 26	Brooklyn Athenaeum and Reading Room.....	Corner Clinton street and Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	Court of Special Sessions.....	Sept. 1, 1904	4,600 00	3,066 67 1,533 33
1903. June 25	Jos. D. Willis.....	Nos. 102 and 104 Court street, Brooklyn.....	Children's Court.....	July 1, 1906	1,800 00	1,800 00
1903. July 28	Emma Fitch.....	Nos. 2628 and 2630 Broadway, Manhattan.....	Twelfth District Municipal Court.....	June 11, 1906	2,000 00	2,000 00
Aug. 6	John Malbin.....	No. 200 East Broadway, Manhattan..... If renewed, estimated.....	Thirteenth District Municipal Court.....	May 1, 1904	1,600 00	533 34 1,066 66
1903. Oct. 1	Frank Gass et al., trustees..	Main street, Westchester, Bronx.....	Eighth District Court.....	1905	1,000 00	1,000 00
1902. Dec. 5	Metropolitan Life Insurance..	No. 1 Madison avenue, rooms 516 and 517..... If renewed, estimated.....	Board of Examiners.....	Jan. 1, 1904	1,400 00	..... 1,400 00
July 29	David G. Leggett.....	Nos. 38 to 44 Court street, rooms 500 to 504, 510, 600, 601, 606, 607, 611 and 615 to 618, inclusive..... If renewed, estimated.....	Commissioner of Records, Kings County.....	Feb. 16, 1904	8,411 25	1,401 88 7,009 37
July 29	John P. Freidhoff.....	Northeast corner Tremont and Third avenues, second floor. If renewed, estimated.....	Coroner's Office.....	May 1, 1904	1,500 00	750 00
July 29	Morse Iron Works and Dry Dock Company.....	Foot of Fifty-sixth street. (Resolution of C. S. F., March 12, 1902.) If renewed, estimated.....	†Armory Board, Naval Brigade.....	Monthly	2,000 00	..... 2,000 00
1902. June 29	Seigfried Heinmann and another.....	Nos. 926 to 934 Seventh avenue..... If renewed, estimated.....	*Armory Board, First Signal Corps.....	May 1, 1904	2,100 00	1,050 00 1,050 00
1903. April 7	John D. Crimmins.....	Lenox Lyceum, Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street..... If renewed, estimated.....	*Armory Board.....	April 8, 1904	16,000 00	8,000 00 8,000 00
June 26	Peter Farrell.....	Bathgate avenue, near Tremont avenue.....	*Armory Board, Second Battery, N. G., N. Y.....	Oct. 18, 1905	3,750 00	3,750 00
Aug. 27	James H. Lane.....	No. 255 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn..... If renewed, estimated.....	†Armory Board, Second Battalion, Naval Militia.....	May 1, 1904	1,110 00	370 00 740 00
Sept. 11	Horace Russell and another, executors, etc.....	No. 280 Broadway, room L..... If renewed, estimated.....	*Armory Board.....	May 1, 1904	900 00	450 00 450 00
May 5	First National Bank of Staten Island.....	Jay street, St. George, S. I..... If renewed, estimated.....	President Borough of Richmond.....	Jan. 1, 1904	1,200 00	..... 1,200 00
Sept. 21	Conrad V. Dykeman.....	No. 85 Borden avenue, Long Island City..... If renewed, estimated.....	President Borough of Queens.....	June 20, 1904	360 00	180 00 180 00
1901. Aug. 1	Daniel F. Mahoney.....	Nos. 1009 and 1011 Amsterdam avenue..... If renewed, estimated.....	Board of Public Improvements.....	Sept. 26, 1904	2,500 00	1,875 00 625 00
1902. Sept. 30	New York Life Insurance Company.....	Southeast corner Elm and Leonard streets.....	Civil Service Commission.....	Nov. 1, 1907	9,000 00	9,000 00
1903. July 7	Elizabeth W. Aldrich.....	No. 149 Church street, rooms 14, 15, 16..... If renewed, estimated.....	Board of Examining Plumbers.....	May 1, 1904	960 00	480 00 480 00
For additional rents, including leases to be authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in 1904.....						25,000 00
Total.....						\$441,246 86

* County of New York. ‡ County of Richmond. † County of Kings.

RECAPITULATION.

City of New York.....	\$373,286 86	County of Kings.....	2,000 00
County of New York.....	38,550 00	Contingent Rentals.....	25,000 00
County of Richmond.....	1,300 00		
County of Kings.....	3,110 00		\$397,285 07
For Contingent Rentals.....	25,000 00	Additional rentals as per list.....	64,051 79
Total.....	\$441,246 86		461,336 86
Appropriation for 1903.		Deductions for premises given up and otherwise accounted for as per list	20,090 00
City of New York.....	\$327,095 07	Amount required for 1904.....	\$441,246 86
County of New York.....	41,530 00		
County of Richmond.....	1,660 00		

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

Increase for Additional Rentals.

Date.	Lessors.	Premises Leased.	For What Purpose.	Annual Rental.	Amount to be Provided for.
1903. July 2	Horace Russell and another..	Room 103, No. 280 Broadway..... Room 51, No. 280 Broadway..... Rooms 157-159, No. 280 Broadway..... Rooms 173-5-7-9 and 81, No. 280 Broadway..... Rooms 183-85-86-87-89, No. 280 Broadway.....	Finance Department..... Finance Department..... Finance Department..... Finance Department..... Finance Department.....	1,300 00 1,300 00 2,000 00 6,000 00 5,150 00	\$1,300 00 1,300 00 2,000 00 6,000 00 5,150 00
Feb. 28	Park Row Construction Co..	Rooms 2023 to 2027..... Rooms 2101 to 2107..... Rooms 2108 to 2114.....	Municipal Department..... Municipal Department..... Municipal Department.....	1,800 00 2,530 00 2,113 20	1,800 00 2,530 00 2,113 20
1902. Aug. 5	Chas. A. Harrens and another.....	Masonic Hall, Stapleton, S. I., first and second floors....	Municipal Departments.....	958 34	958 34
1903. Feb. 2	Franklin Trust Co.....	Nos. 81-2-3-4-5-7 Clinton and Montague streets, room 92...	Law Department.....	2,500 00 550 00	2,500 00 550 00
May 21	Rogers, Peet & Co.....	No. 258 Broadway, room 414.....	Law Department.....	350 00	350 00
1902. Oct. 18	Julia Ganss.....	No. 277 Avenue C.....	Health Department.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Nov. 11	H. E. Kemper.....	No. 690 Warren street.....	Department of Health.....	144 00	144 00
Nov. 22	Chas. Braun.....	Nos. 54 and 56 Water street, Stapleton, S. I.....	Department of Health.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
June 26	Christian Schneider.....	No. 341 Pleasant avenue.....	Department of Health.....	600 00	600 00
June 26	Henry J. Braker.....	Sixth avenue, Manhattan.....	Department of Health.....	4,735 00	4,735 00
June 26	Chemists' Club.....	No. 108 West Fifty-fifth street.....	Department of Health.....	400 00	400 00
June 26	J. H. C. Jolansmeyer.....	Nos. 1032-38 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Bronx.....	Department of Health.....	900 00	900 00
Aug. 26	Brooklyn Athenaeum and Reading Room.....	Corner Clinton and Atlantic avenues.....	Court of Special Sessions.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
June 25	Jos. D. Willis.....	Nos. 102 and 104 Court street, Brooklyn.....	Children's Court.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
July 28	Emma Fitch.....	No. 2628 Broadway, Manhattan.....	Twelfth District Municipal Court.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Aug. 6	John Malbin.....	No. 200 East Broadway, Manhattan.....	Thirteenth District Municipal Court.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Oct. 1	Frank Gass et al.....	Main street, Westchester, Bronx.....	Eighth District Municipal Court.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
July 29	David G. Leggett.....	Nos. 38 to 44 Court street, rooms 500 to 504, 510, 600, 601, 606, 607, 611, and 615 to 618, inclusive.....	Commissioner of Records.....	8,411 25	8,411 25
1903. Aug. 27	James H. Lane.....	No. 255 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.....	†Armory Board.....	1,110 00	1,110 00
Sept. 11	Horace Russell and another..	Room L, No. 280 Broadway.....	*Armory Board.....	900 00	900 00
1902. Sept. 30	New York Life Insurance Co.	Southeast corner Elm and Leonard streets.....	Civil Service Commission.....	9,000 00	9,000 00
Total.....					\$64,051 79

* County of New York. † County of Kings.

Deductions from Rentals for Appropriations for the Year 1903.

Date.	Lessors.	Premises Leased.	For What Purpose.	Deduct.	Remarks.
1902. July 31	Horace Russell and another, executors	Room 56.	Department of Finance...	\$650 00	Given up. Room 51, leased instead.
1901. Nov. 4.	Mrs. S. T. Brower.	Southeast corner Richmond terrace and York street.	Department of Finance...	500 00	Given up. Expiration of lease.
1902. Jan. 6	Elizabeth Schaefer.	No. 174 Bay street, Stapleton, S. I.	*Coroner's Office.	360 00	Omitted from list. Rent paid by Coroner.
Mar. 26	Horace Russell and another, executors	No. 280 Broadway, room 161.	*Headquarters Major-Gen- eral N. G., N. Y.	1,600 00	Given up. State of New York to pay.
1900. Aug. 16	New York Life Insurance Company	No. 280 Broadway, room T.	*Armory Board	780 00	Given up. Room L leased in place.
1902. May 22	Robert C. Wood.	No. 346 Broadway, rooms 524 to 541.	Civil Service Commission.	12,000 00	Given up. New lease for premises southeast corner elm and Leonard streets.
Mar. 1	Mott Haven Company.	Southeast corner Wendover and Third avenues.	President Borough of The Bronx	1,000 00	Chargeable to department account.
1897. June 16	John Auer	Northeast corner One Hundred and Forty-third street and College avenue	Department of Highways..	2,200 00	Chargeable to department account.
1902. June 27	Wm. T. VanVredenburg.	No. 249 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.	Fifth District Magistrates' Court	250 00	Reduction in amount of annual rent.
1901. Oct. 10	Horace Russell and another, executors	Richmond terrace and York avenue.	Municipal Departments...	250 00	Reduction in amount of annual rent.
		No. 280 Broadway, room 159.	Department of Finance...	500 00	Given up May 1, 1903, and new lease for rooms 157 and 159.
Total.....				\$20,090 00	

* County of New York. † County of Richmond.

STATE OF NEW YORK, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
ALBANY, September 17, 1903.

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

DEAR SIR—The State Board of Equalization of Taxes, in pursuance of chapter 908, Laws of 1896, have fixed the aggregate valuation of property in the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond at the sum of \$3,892,352,126, upon which a State tax of \$506,005.77 must be levied for the fiscal year commencing October 1, 1903, as provided in said act, being 13-100 of a mill on the dollar for the Canal Debt Sinking Fund, per chapter 641, Laws of 1903.

	Aggregate Valuation.	Amount of Tax.
New York	\$2,980,231,340 00	\$387,430 07
Kings	767,687,941 00	99,799 43
Queens	101,354,295 00	13,176 06
Richmond	43,078,550 00	5,600 21
Total	\$3,892,352,126 00	\$506,005 77

Respectfully yours,
NATHAN L. MILLER, Comptroller.STATE OF NEW YORK, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
ALBANY, September 16, 1903.

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

DEAR SIR—In addition to the State tax of 13-100 mills, directed to be levied against the County of Kings, as per circular from this office dated September 15, amounting to \$99,799.43, the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, acting for and in lieu of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kings, as provided by chapter 466, Laws of 1901, are hereby required to raise the sum of \$25,900.79, as follows:

For compensation of the Deputy Clerk and attendants of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in the Second Judicial Department, to September 30, 1904, as authorized by chapter 99, Laws of 1896; chapter 223, Laws of 1897; chapter 450, Laws of 1900, and chapter 597, Laws of 1902.....	\$8,249 03
For compensation of Justices of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division of the Second Department from any District other than the Second Judicial District, to December 31, 1903, as authorized by chapter 309, Laws of 1898, and chapter 597, Laws of 1901.....	11,883 21
For compensation of Confidential Clerks to the Justices of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division of the Second Department, pursuant to chapter 251, Laws of 1900.....	5,768 55
Total.....	\$25,900 79

Respectfully yours,
NATHAN L. MILLER, Comptroller.STATE OF NEW YORK, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
ALBANY, September 16, 1903.

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

DEAR SIR—In addition to the State tax of 13-100 mills, directed to be levied against the County of Queens, as per circular from this office dated September 15, amounting to \$13,176.06, the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, acting for and in lieu of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Queens, as provided by chapter 466, Laws of 1901, are hereby required to raise the sum of \$17,681.82, as follows:

For additional compensation of the Justices of the Supreme Court in the Second Judicial District, in pursuance of chapter 765, Laws of 1868; chapter 126, Laws of 1883; chapter 114, Laws of 1894; chapter 34, Laws of 1895; chapter 131, Laws of 1898; chapter 598, Laws of 1903; and chapter 599, Laws of 1903, and for the Stenographers under said first named act, as amended by chapter 114, Laws of 1894, to the 30th of September, 1904, as provided by chapter 598, Laws of 1903.....	\$11,749 14
For compensation of the Deputy Clerk and Attendants of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the Second Judicial Department, to September 30, 1904, as authorized by chapter 99, Laws of 1896; chapter 223, Laws of 1897; chapter 450, Laws of 1900; and chapter 597, Laws of 1902.....	1,282 12
For compensation of Confidential Clerks to Justices of the Supreme Court in the Second Judicial District, pursuant to chapter 892, Laws of 1896.....	1,906 99
For compensation of Justices of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division of the Second Department, from any district other than the Second Judicial District, to December 31, 1903, as authorized by chapter 309, Laws of 1898, and chapter 597, Laws of 1901.....	1,846 98
For compensation of Confidential Clerks to the Justices of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division of the Second Department, pursuant to chapter 251, Laws of 1900.....	896 59
Total.....	\$17,681 82

Respectfully yours,
NATHAN L. MILLER, Comptroller.STATE OF NEW YORK, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
ALBANY, September 16, 1903.

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

DEAR SIR—In addition to the State tax of 13-100 mills, directed to be levied against the County of Richmond, as per circular from this office dated September 15, amounting to \$5,600.21, the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, acting for and in lieu of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Richmond, as provided by chapter 466, Laws of 1901, are hereby required to raise the sum of \$6,953.65, as follows:

For additional compensation of the Justices of the Supreme Court in the Second Judicial District, in pursuance of chapter 765, Laws of 1868; chapter 126, Laws of 1883; chapter 114, Laws of 1894; chapter 34, Laws of 1895; chapter 131, Laws of 1898; chapter 598, Laws of 1903; and chapter 599, Laws of 1903, and for the Stenographers under said first named act, as amended by chapter 114, Laws of 1894, to the 30th of September, 1904, as provided by chapter 598, Laws of 1903..	\$4,620 53
For compensation of the Deputy Clerk and Attendants of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in the Second Judicial Department, to September 30, 1904, as authorized by chapter 99, Laws of 1896; chapter 223, Laws of 1897; chapter 450, Laws of 1900; and chapter 597, Laws of 1902.....	504 22
For compensation of Confidential Clerks to Justices of the Supreme Court, in the Second Judicial District, pursuant to chapter 892, Laws of 1896.....	749 95
For compensation of Justices of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division of the Second Department, from any district other than the Second Judicial District, to December 31, 1903, as authorized by chapter 309, Laws of 1898, and chapter 597, Laws of 1901.....	726 35
For compensation of Confidential Clerks to the Justices of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division of the Second Department, pursuant to chapter 251, Laws of 1900.....	352 60
Total.....	\$6,953 65

Respectfully yours,
NATHAN L. MILLER, Comptroller.

The Secretary presented the following report of the Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance, relative to the selection of a site for an interior public bath located on the southerly side of Sixtieth street, about 350 feet east of West End avenue:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 13, 1903.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Hon. Jacob A. Cantor, in a communication under date of September 9, requests the purchase of a piece of property for a public bath site located on the southerly side of Sixtieth street, 400 feet west of Amsterdam avenue, being 50 feet in width front and rear by a depth of 100 feet 5 inches on each side. The lots are assessed at \$5,000 each in the name of A. T. Meyer.

This property, the Borough President says, is offered to the City at \$7,500 each, which would make a total of \$15,000. After negotiating with the owner the price he has named upon the same is \$12,750. This price is full value, but under the circumstances, the Borough President desiring the site, and there being nothing in the vicinity at the price named, I would respectfully recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that they adopt a resolution authorizing the purchase of this property as a site for an interior public bath at a price not exceeding \$12,750.

Respectfully submitted for approval,
MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the selection of a site for an interior public bath, located in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of West Sixtieth street distant four hundred (400) feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of West Sixtieth street and Amsterdam avenue; running thence southerly and parallel with Amsterdam avenue one hundred (100) feet five (5) inches; thence westerly parallel with West Sixtieth street fifty (50) feet; thence northerly and again parallel with Amsterdam avenue one hundred (100) feet five (5) inches to the southerly side of West Sixtieth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of West Sixtieth street fifty (50) feet to the point or place of beginning, together with all the right, title and interest of the owners of said premises of, in and to the streets in front thereof to the centre thereof.

—and the Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement for the purchase of the same at a price not exceeding twelve thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$12,750), said contract to be submitted to the Corporation Counsel for his approval.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Corporation Counsel transmitting bill of Charles B. Ihmsen for services rendered as Clerk to the Fort Washington Ridge Road Commission during the month of December, 1901:

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, September 3, 1903.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—I inclose herewith a bill of costs as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court at the sum of \$100 in favor of Charles B. Ihmsen, for services rendered by him as Clerk to the Fort Washington Ridge Road Commission during the month of December, 1901.

Respectfully yours,
G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, and section 181 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is

hereby authorized and directed to issue Assessment Bonds of The City of New York, for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100), to be applied to the payment of the bill of Charles B. Ihmsen, for services rendered by him as Clerk to the Fort Washington Ridge Road Commission during the month of December, 1901.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx requesting the transfer of \$5,200 to "Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—Salaries and Wages":

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,

New York, October 9, 1903.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The transfer of the sum of five thousand two hundred dollars (\$5,200) is respectfully requested from the appropriation entitled "Supplies and Repairs," Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, for the year 1903, the same being in excess of the purposes required, to the appropriation entitled "Salaries and Wages," Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, for the year 1903, the same being insufficient for the requirements thereof.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand two hundred dollars (\$5,200) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made for 1903 to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, entitled "Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—Supplies and Repairs," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said President of the Borough of The Bronx for 1903, entitled "Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—Salaries and Wages," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following resolution transferring \$74,523.21 to "Redemption of The City Debt":

Resolved, That the sum of seventy-four thousand five hundred and twenty-three dollars and twenty-one cents (\$74,523.21) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made for the year 1903, entitled "Interest on Bonds and Stock to be issued in 1902, after September 30, and in 1903," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made for the year 1903, entitled "Redemption of the City Debt," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following resolution transferring the sum of \$2,000 to "County Contingent Fund":

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made for 1902, entitled "Fees and Expenses of Jurors in Kings County," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made for 1902, entitled "County Contingent Fund," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond requesting an appropriation of \$65,000 to "Bureau of Highways—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies," together with a copy of communications from the Commissioner of Public Works and Superintendent of Highways of said borough relative thereto:

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., October 14, 1903.

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

DEAR SIR—I beg respectfully to call the attention of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the special emergency which exists in this borough as the result of the recent extraordinary storms, and I enclose to you herewith, for the information of the Board, two reports of my Commissioner of Public Works, dated September 24, 1903, and October 10, 1903.

I am absolutely without funds to even partially repair the tremendous damage which has been done to our highways. I made application yesterday to the Board of Aldermen for its action, under section 188 of the Charter, in the hope of securing an issue of Revenue Bonds to meet the emergency, but owing to the fact that there were not a sufficient number of Aldermen present to give the necessary three-fourths vote my efforts failed.

I accordingly now make application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the transfer from any other available account of the sum of \$65,000 to the account of "Bureau of Highways—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies, 1903, Borough of Richmond." There are no balances in the other bureaus of my office available for this purpose.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., September 24, 1903.

Hon. GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough, New Brighton, S. I.:

DEAR SIR—Owing to pressure of other matters I was unable until yesterday to make an examination of the chief roads of the borough since my return from vacation, and since the very severe storms which have visited us during these past weeks.

As a result of the great care given to the roads during the past two seasons, their surface was in very fair condition up to the middle of the summer, though many miles of the macadam roads are well nigh worn out and need to be thoroughly redressed, a work which could only be partially done with the appropriations available.

The storms have, however, due to their violence, as well as to the great amount of rain which fell in short lengths of time, not only in very large measure undone the whole season's work, but in many instances have almost completely destroyed finished roads. It would be impossible to make an estimate of the damage done without detailed inspection and careful surveys. The situation is one, however, of very great importance at the present time. Only by the most careful husbanding of our appropriations can the daily repairs and routine work be carried on, and the completion of certain pieces of reconstruction in progress.

There is no money whatever available in the Bureau of Highways for this emergency repair thrust upon us, due to the action of the storms, unforeseen, because almost unprecedented; neither are there sufficient balances in the hand of the other bureaus for transfer. It has only been by the utmost economy that any of the bureaus have been able to do any reasonable measure of work in their care. It is getting so late in the year that only by very sharp action and immediate contracts can we do the work

absolutely necessary in order to save our roads from the winter's frosts and storms, but we have no money available. I would estimate the amount of damage approximately at \$50,000 to \$60,000, and even with this expenditure the restoration could scarcely be to the condition prior to the storms. It would be difficult, however, for us, with the contractors available and laborers subject to call, to spend properly that sum of money between now and frost. We could expend probably \$25,000 to \$30,000 to great advantage, should there be made available such a sum. I do not know the present status of the revenue bond issue of the city, but should suppose that if there is a balance, that fund could be drawn upon by suitable resolutions of the Boards of Estimate and Apportionment and Aldermen.

Our sewers have been taxed to their utmost, but, thanks to very great care, no serious damage has occurred, though maintenance moneys have been more largely drawn upon than they could well stand for the cleaning out of basins, filled with detritus, washed in by the storms.

I feel that it is absolutely necessary to call the whole subject to your attention, and urge that the proper boards grant funds for the work needed.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., October 10, 1903.

Hon. GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough:

DEAR SIR—A short time ago I wrote you a report calling attention to the serious damage done to the roads in this borough by the very heavy rain storms of the past season, and urging that there be additional funds appropriated to enable us in a small measure to repair the damage.

I now have to come to you, at the apparent close of a storm which has been unprecedented for the past forty years in this vicinity, not simply to call attention to the need for general repairs, but to the replacing of bridges, of culverts, of sidewalks, of roads completely destroyed, which will take hundreds of men and tens of thousands of dollars to restore to safe condition.

Three storms of the past four months have been noteworthy in the annals of the Weather Bureau, the last one the heaviest rainfall in the locality, 9.88 inches in thirty-six hours, as recorded on our borough gauge.

During the height of the storm yesterday morning, and at its close this morning, I drove over a number of miles of our thoroughfares, points where danger was most likely to occur, so I can report the facts from personal observation and not merely hearsay.

I also enclose to you copy of report received from the Superintendent of Highways, and as soon as they can be printed, shall file copies of photographs taken yesterday afternoon and this morning.

I stated in my former letter that we needed at the very least twenty-five or thirty thousand dollars, or more than the current appropriations, to try to restore a partial degree the roads in their condition prior to the storm. The emergency work now in sight, roughly estimated, will take forty thousand dollars for immediate orders and contracts for materials and labor, and twenty-five thousand dollars more to do the work referred to in my former letter.

The work is imperative, and our funds for this purpose practically exhausted, having been used to make necessary repairs following the other storms.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., October 10, 1903.

LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Esq., Commissioner of Public Works:

DEAR SIR—I would most respectfully submit the following report as to the condition that exists this morning in this borough:

There are miles of macadam roads that are very badly secured, 25 per cent. of them badly torn up. The causeway between the First and Third Ward crossing, what is known as the Old Mill creek, and the sidewalk and retaining walls are all down, for, I should say, about 200 feet. The large arch culvert at Jewett and Post avenues has washed away for about thirty feet, and the sidewalk and the roads are all undermined. There are about thirty bridges that have retaining walls, two-thirds of which are down to-day. There are a number of plank bridges, from 20 to 100 feet in length, that are either washed away or destroyed. These roads will have to be filled and rolled, using 1½-inch and screenings in some places.

Leaving you to judge as to the required amount of money to replace the roads in the same condition as they were before the last two storms, I remain,

Yours very truly,

(Signed) H. E. BUEL, Superintendent of Highways.

Which were ordered on file.

The Board adjourned to meet Monday, October 19, 1903, at 11 a. m. for a public hearing of the taxpayers of The City of New York in regard to the Budget for the year 1904.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD HELD IN No. 320 BROADWAY, ON THURSDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER, 1903.

There were present—Alexander E. Orr, President, presiding; John H. Starin, Vice-President; Mayor Seth Low, Deputy Comptroller J. W. Stevenson, representing the Comptroller, and Commissioners Woodbury Langdon, Charles Stewart Smith and Morris K. Jesup. Commissioner John Claffin sent word that he was compelled to be absent on account of a cold.

Edward M. Shepard and Albert B. Boardman, Counsel; Wm. Barclay Parsons, Chief Engineer, and George S. Rice, Deputy Chief Engineer, also were present.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, that of 29th October, were read, and it was moved that they be approved:

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Requisition No. 39 of the Contractor, with certificate No. 39 of the Chief Engineer, for work and material in October, was presented as follows:

RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTOR, Nos. 13-21 PARK ROW,

NEW YORK, November 11, 1903.

Requisition No. 39.

For work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York to the 31st day of October, 1903, as follows:

Total to date.....\$29,512,000 00
Less previous requisitions.....28,986,000 00

Balance due.....\$526,000 00

(Signed) JOHN B. McDONALD, Contractor.

Certificate No. 39.

I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, for which Requisition No. 39, of date of November 11, 1903, is made by John B. McDonald, the contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of \$526,000 (five hundred and twenty-six thousand dollars); that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value

of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS,
Chief Engineer of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, John B. McDonald, the contractor, has made requisition on this Board, dated 11th November, 1903, and numbered Requisition No. 39, for work done and materials furnished under contract dated 21st February, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, to the 31st day of October, 1903, and amounting to the sum of five hundred and twenty-six thousand dollars (\$526,000); and

Whereas, William Barclay Parsons, Chief Engineer, has certified that the work done and materials furnished has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the said contract; that such value has been ascertained relatively to the actual contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and material;

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves the said requisition and directs that a voucher be drawn in due form on the Comptroller for the said amount.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Requisition No. 25 of the contractor for extra work in October, with Certificate No. 25 of the Chief Engineer, was presented as follows:

RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTOR, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW,

NEW YORK, November 11, 1903.

Requisition No. 25 (Extra Work).

For work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, to 31st day of October, 1903, as follows:

Total to date \$1,634,213 00
Less previous requisitions 1,529,024 50

Balance due \$105,188 50

(Signed) JOHN B. McDONALD, Contractor.

Certificate No. 25 (Extra Work).

I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, for which requisition No. 25, of date November 11, 1903, is made by John B. McDonald, the contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of \$105,188.50 (one hundred and five thousand one hundred and eighty-eight and fifty one-hundredths dollars); that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS,

Chief Engineer of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, John B. McDonald, the contractor, has made requisition on this Board, dated 11th November, 1903, and numbered Requisition No. 25, Extra Work, for extra work and materials done and furnished in the month of October, 1903, and amounting to the sum of one hundred and five thousand one hundred and eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents (\$105,188.50), in accordance with the terms of the contract with John B. McDonald, dated February 21, 1900, and in accordance with resolutions of this Board adopted July 12, 1900, and May 2, 1901, providing for the construction of a third track from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and for the lengthening of certain station platforms, etc.; and

Whereas, William Barclay Parsons, Chief Engineer, has certified that the extra work done and materials furnished has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the said contract and resolutions; that the value of the same has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials;

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves the said requisition and directs that a voucher be drawn in due form on the Comptroller for the said amount.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following correspondence on the matter of the work in Joralemon street was read:

30th October, 1903.

AUGUST BELMONT, Esq., President, Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, No. 23 Nassau Street, City:

DEAR SIR—I inclose to you herewith an extract from a personal letter from Mr. Theodore F. Miller, dated October 29, 1903, to our counsel, Edward M. Shepard, and by him unofficially forwarded to me.

I have sent a copy of this extract to our Chief Engineer, Mr. Parsons, with a request that he will investigate and report upon it, and I will esteem it a favor if you and your engineer will give me the facts as they now exist with reference to the statements contained in Mr. Miller's letter as to the settlements and crackings in the buildings adjacent to your tunnel work.

I shall be glad to have you give this your immediate attention, and do everything necessary to assure absolute safety. This is the requirement of your contract.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) A. E. ORR, President.

(Extract from Letter of Theodore F. Miller to Edward M. Shepard October 29, 1903.)

The developments attending the laying of the tunnel tube in Joralemon street, so far as it has already proceeded, are so alarming that the Rapid Transit Board should call an immediate halt in the work to secure the best and most deliberate consideration of the engineering questions involved in the problem, lest there be a repetition of the Park avenue disaster.

The cracking of the Russell house, the pulling away of the Otis house nearly an inch from the adjacent house in Henry street, the pulling away of the stoops of the four sandstone houses on the northerly side of Joralemon street in the immediate vicinity of the places where the tunnel has already been laid, point necessarily to the conclusion that the present engineering plan is a failure, and that if carried on to the end the Joralemon street buildings will be wrecks.

I have not resisted unduly the engineering methods adopted in the completion of the great public work involved in running a tunnel through Joralemon street, although I felt that it was wholly unnecessary to open shafts as the contractor was permitted to do.

Even when this permission was granted I felt that the work could be carried through with nothing more than the expense, trouble and annoyance involved in giving up our houses for a year or eighteen months; but I was not, and am not, prepared to consider the cracking and sinking of our houses.

I feel that the character of the neighborhood is almost irreparably injured by the removal of such a tenant as my next door neighbor, Mrs. Donaldson, who maintained a handsome garden in the opening adjoining her house, and who will not return; but the present situation is worse than anyone contemplated. The sidewalks have been opened in a vain effort to check the caving in.

I suggest, if you personally make an examination or if your engineers make one, they will find the facts justify the statement I make that the condition is alarming.

My neighbors, including Mr. Packard, are alarmed, and are now in arms, and I therefore suggest an immediate halt in the work to the end that safe plans may be adopted.

I write this without prejudice to my rights, but I shall insist upon being reimbursed by the City for such damages as I may actually suffer. I have taken a house in the country for my sick wife, but I do not feel like abandoning Joralemon street permanently.

30th October, 1903.

ANDREW ONDERDONK, Esq., Battery Park, City:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the President of the Rapid Transit Board to hand you herewith a copy of a letter forwarded by him to-day to the President of the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, regarding your work in Joralemon street.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

November 4, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter regarding the settlements and crackings in the buildings adjacent to the tunnel work along Joralemon street. I took the subject in hand immediately, and am hourly expecting a report from Mr. McDonald and our engineer, who have in the meanwhile assured me verbally that the matter is under control and in good shape. As soon as I receive their report I will communicate with you further regarding the same.

I remain,

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) AUGUST BELMONT, President.

November 10, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—Since writing you under date of November 4 concerning the settlements and crackings in the buildings adjacent to the tunnel work along Joralemon street, I have received additional reports bearing on the subject. I quote from letter of Mr. Andrew Onderdonk, sub-contractor, as follows:

"I am pleased to say that, with the exception of the settlement of the stoops of several of the houses, no practical damage has resulted. The slight movement in one or two instances is not of a serious character, and I am confirmed in this, not only by all the engineers connected with the work, including our own chief engineer, Mr. Aims, but also by the Building Inspector, who was deputized by the City to look after this matter and who has kept a constant inspection of the work during construction.

"The settlement of the stoops we can easily remedy at very slight expense. This settlement is due to the construction of a ditch along the top of the tunnel as a precautionary measure to prevent any serious settlement of buildings, should any cavity be found existed above the tunnel. We consider this ditch necessary, as the smooth asphalt pavement would give no indication of such a cavity.

"As you know, the work is very difficult, and we believe that we have used every precaution and spared no expense to make the work as safe as it is possible to have it made.

"Out of all the buildings that we have passed, from the shaft to within a short distance of Clinton street on one side, and from the shaft to a point considerably east of Henry street on the other, the tunnel is completed, with the exception of the beton lining, and all danger seems to have been averted.

"I am ready at any time, in the case of the stoops, to reset the same at my own expense whenever you consider it a proper time to do so."

In this connection I desire to state that we are using the cast-iron lining recommended by the Board of Experts in their report on Mr. Parson's plan for this portion of the tunnel where the contract drawing calls for steel shell and concrete lining. We are using extraordinary care in grouting back of the cast-iron lining as fast as it is practicable after cast-iron plates are set.

A later report, under date of November 9, shows that there has been no further settlements or disturbances since the reports above referred to were made.

I remain,

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) AUGUST BELMONT, President.

1st November, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the return of the \$5,500 check deposited with the Board by the contractor under the agreement of 19th March, 1903, we have to point out that that contract referred to the construction and maintenance of the two shafts and the special damage (if any) to abutting owners by reason of such construction and maintenance of such shafts. The agreement did not refer to damage done by their construction, by the use of the street for storage purposes or the results of settlement by reason of the underground excavation. The contract referred only to the use of the shafts and of the hoisting apparatus.

The Board reserved to itself to determine whether or not to make settlements with property owners. If settlements were made, then the \$5,500 was to be applicable, so far as it would go, to pay the amount of the settlement. If settlements were not made and the abutting property owners were to become entitled to the payment of damages, that is to say, the payment of damages for such construction and maintenance of the two shafts, then the contractor was to contribute the \$5,500 to the payment of such damages and the City was to pay the remainder.

At the time the contract was made, the claim of the contractor was that he was absolutely entitled to the permit to construct and maintain the shafts in order that its work might proceed with reasonable expedition and without unnecessary danger to the lives of its employees.

Yours truly,

(Signed) EDWARD M. SHEPARD,
BOARDMAN, PLATT & SOLEY.

October 31, 1903.

ALEXANDER E. ORR, Esq.:

MY DEAR SIR—Your favor of yesterday with inclosures was duly received. I have conferred with those of my neighbors whom I could reach, and while all appreciate your interest in the matter, I do not find among those I have seen an agreement that is desirable for us to nominate an engineer as suggested.

Two reasons were given:

1st. That Mr. Parsons is thought to be the ablest man in his line, and

2d. That some did not wish to seem to share in the responsibility for the plan followed.

My own interest in the matter is less than it would be if the work had not been steadily progressed since I first saw you. At that time it had just reached the corner. It is now well up to Mr. Fish's house, so that any damage that may come to me is already assumed.

Mr. Morse, the architect of my house and Mr. Fish's, thinks it impossible that damage can be avoided, in view of what shows below Henry street. I am hoping that at least a portion of that may be due to the shaft. Thanking you for the interest you have shown, which, as I have said, all your neighbors appreciate, I am

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) EDWIN PACKARD.

The following letters of Mr. Belmont, and report of the Chief Engineer, as to the leakage of oil from the Metropolitan Street Railroad Company's tracks, were read:

November 2, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—Our engineers advise us that the Metropolitan Street Railway Company has recently commenced excavation for the construction of two new slot cross-overs on the Boulevard line just south of Seventy-first street. The excavation for the cross-over on the east side of the subway has already cut away the concrete protection over the waterproofing and will undoubtedly destroy the waterproofing before the pit is put in. The finished bottom of the pit will be 3½ inches, which is just about the amount of cover on top of the tunnel waterproofing, including the protecting concrete. On the west side there is a little more depth, but the excavation will be made down to the protecting concrete. This work is being carried out by the Construction Department of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, under the direction of its chief engineer, under permit granted by the Department of Highways. The removal of the concrete covering over the waterproofing of the subway destroys

the waterproofing, and while on the west side it will not be necessary to remove the concrete covering over the waterproofing, yet the oil from this pit will, our engineers advise us, surely destroy the waterproofing. This work comes directly over the Seventy-second street station, and, unless some means are taken to properly protect the tunnel, will result in leakage and damage to the clothing of passengers from the dripping of oil and water mixed with asphalt.

I have, therefore, to request that your Board will take appropriate action to protect the subway from the injury resulting from this invasion, and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) AUGUST BELMONT, President.

November 2, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the accompanying letter concerning the work done by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company over the Seventy-second street tunnel, I beg to say that I am advised by our engineers that it has been found that oil from the slots and subsurface construction of the surface railways permeates and destroys the waterproofing of the subway. During the progress of the work of construction of the tunnel various precautions have been taken outside of the contract requirements to protect the tunnel from the action of oil from the street railway structures, particularly at the stations; and at those places and at other points where the danger seemed most imminent, we have interposed lead sheeting or vitrified tiling at a considerable additional expense to that required by the contract plans and specifications, for which we shall in due time ask for proper allowance as an extra under the contract.

A somewhat different question, however, arises where, as in the instance brought to your attention by the accompanying letter, the surface railroads after the completion of the subway put in new construction by way of cross-overs, switches, etc. The case presented to you by the accompanying letter is one typical of a number which, I am informed, will arise all over the City, and therefore the larger question is presented of what means should be taken to protect the subway from the damaging influences of the oil which undoubtedly will find its way from these cross-overs, switches, etc., on to the tunnel roofing, permeating the same and destroying its waterproof character.

I therefore beg that your Board will give this matter careful consideration and take whatever action may be necessary in the premises.

I remain,

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) AUGUST BELMONT, President.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS, CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 6, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of two copies of letters from Mr. Belmont in regard to the damage to the water-proofing through leakage of oil from the conduit of the surface railway at junction and switch points where they found it necessary to oil the switch connections.

The facts as stated by Mr. Belmont in his letters are correct. The oil at these points finds a way through the concrete covering and when it reaches the water-proof it entirely destroys it. At the Columbus Circle station a large area of water-proofing was completely destroyed, causing very serious leaks in the station. It became necessary to re-excavate the street, put down new waterproofing and place a metal pan beneath the switch of the surface railway. This work was done at the expense of the contractor, as under the general provisions of the contract it was necessary for him to take care of all subsurface structures. The point that Mr. Belmont raises now is that the street railway company is putting in a new structure, which, if allowed to go in without a metal pan or other protection, will surely damage the roof of the subway and cause leaks within the limits of a very important station.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

Counsel explained the legal aspect of the case, and the Mayor moved the following resolution:

Resolved, That it be referred to the Chief Engineer and Counsel to write a suitable communication to the President of the Borough of Manhattan, requesting him to give orders for such notice to the Rapid Transit Board as may be called for whenever any such work is to be done likely to affect the subway.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following correspondence as to the re-erection of the building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street was read:

NEW YORK, November 2, 1903.

Rapid Transit Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I deplore exceedingly my inability to return to my corner at Forty-second street and Broadway at the time agreed to by your body, namely: the 1st of November. Each day's delay in this, reduces the value of my lease, and adds to me another burden.

I feel that I have already made a loss greater than any man should be expected to incur for the public good. Indeed, I at no time aimed to secure any large compensation for my vacating so valuable a corner, but did wish to retain the equity in my lease, and now I am being defeated in that.

I wrote to the Degnon Construction Company several weeks ago in relation to your contract with me and protesting at the seeming delay in restoring the building. They have not made a reply to my letter, consequently I am to infer that I have no rights that they respect. This is on par with their consideration of me prior to my vacating the corner.

Now, gentlemen, I must protest, and must know of my standing and prospects as you view them. I have suffered enough.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) WILLIAM WILSON,

November 12, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—I return you herewith the communication of Mr. William Wilson, one of the tenants in the building at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway. Mr. Wilson's letter is dated November 2. At that time arrangements were being made for the re-erection of the building, about which, of course, he was not advised. Since then the work has been begun, and to-day the second-story floor beams are in place. Mr. Wilson now appreciates that the building will be erected, and unless some extraordinary accident occurs will be completed and ready for his occupancy on or before December 31. Mr. Wilson has been watching the progress of the work, and so far as I am aware is satisfied with the results being obtained.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

The following report of the Chief Engineer as to the re-erection of the building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street, with other letters on the subject, was presented as follows:

November 12, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—In accordance with your instructions I have taken up the matter of the reconstruction of the building at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, in order that the same might be put in shape for occupancy on or before December 31 of this year, in accordance with the contract with the previous tenants.

The various strikes during the spring and summer have so retarded the work at this point that the subway itself is not completed. It is practically impossible, therefore, to put in another contractor to erect the building. Under your authority I have therefore arranged with the Degnon Contracting Company, the contractors for this portion of the subway, to erect the building for the sum of \$19,500, as shown by the accompanying proposition, provided, however, that should the Degnon Contracting

Company fail to get the building completed by December 31, that the price is to be reduced to \$15,000. As it was important to proceed with the work, in accordance with your instructions, I have permitted the Degnon Company to proceed with the work, which they have done without waiting for the ratification of their contract.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

THE DEGNON CONTRACTING COMPANY—OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING, NEW YORK, November 2, 1903.

Mr. WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer, Rapid Transit Railroad Commission, No. 320 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—We hereby agree to furnish all labor and materials required for the re-construction and addition to the building at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, according to plans and specifications drawn by A. S. Macgregor, architect, for the sum of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500).

In consideration of the above amount, we agree to have the building ready for occupancy on December 31, 1903, unless delayed by strikes, fire or injunction. If the building be not ready for occupancy on that date, we agree to accept a reduction of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) from the above amount.

It is further agreed that if any alterations are made in the plans, or if it should become necessary to prosecute the work at night in order to hasten the work, that you will pay us the additional cost of such alterations or night work.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) H. C. SANFORD, Engineer.

NEW YORK, November 2, 1903.

H. C. SANFORD, Esq., The Degnon Contracting Company, Park Row Building:

MY DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of your proposition of even date, by which you propose to erect the building at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway for the sum of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500), but under a penalty of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) if the building is not completed by December 31. This proposition, with the conditions named in your letter, is hereby accepted.

I have retained Mr. A. S. Macgregor as architect to look after the erection, and have instructed him to confer with you in regard to the use of the old material. It is of the utmost importance that this building should be completed as much before December 31 as possible, and if you find that during the progress of the work any steps can be taken that would advance the construction I wish you would confer with me at once.

Very truly yours,

WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer, under instructions of the President, as outlined in the above communications, in contracting for the re-erection of the building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street for the sum of \$19,500, with a reduction in price in case the same be not completed by December 31, 1903, of \$4,500, be and the same hereby is approved.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following report of the Chief Engineer as to the employment of an architect for the re-erection of the building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street was read:

November 12, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—In order that the work of reconstructing the building at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway should proceed as rapidly as possible, I arranged with Mr. A. S. Macgregor, an architect, to superintend the erection of the building. Mr. Macgregor also superintended the taking down of the building, at that time taking all measurements of the building, so that the new building might be reconstructed according to the plans of the old building. For his services in thus taking measurements originally Mr. Macgregor received no compensation from the Rapid Transit Commission. I hand you herewith copy of a letter which Mr. Macgregor has written, pointing out that the regular architect's charge for this work would be 10 per cent. on the total cost of the work. I have arranged with Mr. Macgregor to accept in lieu of percentage fees a monthly salary of \$500, to date from October 15 to December 31, subject to approval by the Board. Mr. Macgregor is giving his full time to the work, has provided plans for the reconstruction of the building and has seen to the passing of the plans by the Department of Buildings.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

No. 335 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK, November 10, 1903.

WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Esq., Chief Engineer Rapid Transit Commission, New York:

DEAR SIR—In the matter of the reconstruction of the building at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, the customary fee is 10 per cent. for such work, viz., overhauling old material and re-using such as is good and can be worked in to advantage, taking measurements of old work to meet new, preparing plans, details and specifications and attending to their approval by the Building Department, and personally superintending the work constantly, with extra compensation for overtime and night work.

However, in lieu of such compensation, I will agree to accept a salary of \$500 per month from the 15th day of October to the 31st day of December, 1903, giving the work my constant attention both day, overtime and night work, and including all plans, specifications, etc., as above, and pushing the work to early completion.

Respectfully,

(Signed) A. S. MACGREGOR, Architect.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in arranging with A. S. Macgregor, architect, for his services in connection with the re-erection of the building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street, as outlined in the above communications, be and the same hereby is approved, it being understood that Mr. Macgregor is to accept the sum of \$1,250 in lieu of architectural fees for the period from 15th October to 31st December, 1903.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following report of the Chief Engineer and letter of the Secretary of Committee of Property Owners on Broadway, from Maiden lane to Wall street, were read:

November 12, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—In building the subway on Contract No. 2, south of the Post Office, the Consolidated Gas Company has absolutely refused to permit the work to continue without being absolved from all liability, unless the gas mains of that company were placed above the surface of the street, owing to the danger of an explosion from leaking gas beneath a tight roadway. During the construction of the subway in Boston, a leak occurred there which resulted in a terrific explosion, killing fifteen people and doing a very large amount of property damage. After consultation with the gas company and the contractors it was decided to temporarily cut out two of the gas mains in Broadway and lay the other two mains next to and on top of the east curb along such sections of the work as were in progress. Afterwards, as soon as the work on that section was completed, the gas mains were to be restored to their original position. In pursuance of this plan, the contractors have laid two gas mains south from the point opposite St. Paul's Church to the north side of John street. Mr. Charles J. Bates, the Engineer who has been retained by some of the large property owners along Broadway, has been in consultation with me in regard to the treatment of the gas mains along the route, between Wall street and Maiden lane, in which his clients are more particularly interested. As a result of these interviews, Mr.

Bates has handed me a letter, copy of which is herewith attached, from the Secretary of the Committee of Property Owners, asking that the pipes between Maiden lane and Wall street be placed on a trestle above the sidewalk. If the property owners prefer this method of treatment, I can see no objection, especially as it is the one preferred by the Consolidated Gas Company. I therefore ask for the instructions of the Board.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE COMMITTEE REPRESENTING PROPERTY OWNERS ON BROADWAY, FROM MAIDEN LANE TO WALL STREET, NO. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY,
November 4, 1903.

WILLIAM BARCLAY PARSONS, Esq.:

DEAR SIR—My attention has been called by Mr. Charles J. Bates to two plans proposed for carrying the temporary 12 and 15-inch gas mains above the ground on the east side of Broadway below Fulton street.

Of the two plans, the majority of the property owners on Broadway from Maiden lane to Wall street, represented by this Committee, seem to favor the one which contemplates carrying the pipes on a trestle of proper height.

Yours truly,
(Signed) GERALD R. BROWN, Secretary of Committee.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the matter of the treatment of the gas pipes on lower Broadway, referred to in above communications, be and the same is hereby referred to the Chief Engineer, with power to act.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following letter of Messrs. Schmidt & Gallatin was read, with report of Counsel to the Chief Engineer on the subject of moving platform or continuous train:

November 12, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President of Board of Rapid Transit Commission, No. 320 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the conversation this morning of Mr. Max E. Schmidt, in regard to the installation of moving platforms on the route from the Williamsburg Bridge to the Battery, we infer from the advice given to us by our counsel that some further action by the Board is proper in order to submit such questions as may arise to the Counsels of the Board and the Chief Engineer for solution and for the preparation of such details as may be customary.

If our inference is correct, we trust that such action as may be necessary will be taken by your Board, and that we may be advised when the matter is formally submitted to your counsels.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) SCHMIDT & GALLATIN.

November 12, 1903.

WILLIAM BARCLAY PARSONS, Esq., Chief Engineer, No. 320 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—We have your letter of the 29th, and have conferred with Messrs. Curtis, Mallet-Provost and Colt, the counsel of the promoters of this route.

They advise us that they do not seek a franchise under section 32 and that they have organized no railroad within the provisions of that section. They desire that the City shall construct at its own expense under section 34.

We have pointed out to them that this of course involves, first, the adoption by the Rapid Transit Board of routes and the general plan (including the device of the moving platform), and then the submission of the routes and general plan for the approval of the municipal authorities and abutting property owners (or the Appellate Division), and then for the preparation of a contract including details and specifications and its submission to open competition.

We have also pointed out to them that we should not deem it legally permissible to include any description of a patented device as a necessity of the plan of construction, for that would be an elimination of the competition. To this they have answered that a moving platform could be described in general terms which could be satisfied by many devices, patented and unpatented, although, in their opinion, the Board would conclude that their device was the best.

We also found that in their mind the route was to include the Williamsburg Bridge. But we are, to say the least, in grave doubt whether the Rapid Transit Act authorizes the Rapid Transit Board to lay out a route over a bridge. The counsel for the promoters intend submitting an argument on the latter question.

We have also suggested that before the Counsel and the Chief Engineer actually approve the routes and general plan there ought to be a resolution of the Board directing that they prepare it, and stating in general its principal features.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) BOARDMAN, PLATT & SOLEY.
EDWARD M. SHEPARD.

Alderman Peter Holler addressed the Board in the interest of the continuous train project. The Mayor suggested that application be made by Messrs. Schmidt & Gallatin to the Bridge Commissioners for permission to install their continuous train on the Williamsburg Bridge. It was understood that the counsel of Messrs. Schmidt & Gallatin would confer further with the Counsel of the Board.

Opinion of Counsel as to execution of contracts with William Wilson and Meyer Manufacturing Company, in connection with their reoccupation of the building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street, was read as follows:

12th November, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—We have hesitated somewhat over these contracts, and for the reason that in form they make the Board itself a party. This we regret. But they accord with the procedure of the Corporation Counsel, and it seems that Mrs. Lurch has, pursuant to the provisions of the condemnation proceeding, executed and delivered an assignment running to the Board, and that assignment is now in the possession of the Board. This created rather an anomalous situation for the Board, being a tenant of the Astor estate, apparently under obligation to pay, having property not needed for rapid transit purposes.

It is our opinion that the Board should make all leases and agreements and accept all assignments in the name of The City of New York, acting by the Board, and not make agreements in its own name. But in view of the embarrassments which would arise if we should undertake to vary the form of the procedure, as it has been thus far followed, and as we understand that all of these arrangements have had the assent of the Comptroller, and as they relate chiefly to the pecuniary obligations of the City, we have concluded that as a practical matter it may be well for the Board to authorize the execution of the papers as they are proposed, but this should be so done as not to create a precedent.

Faithfully yours,
(Signed) EDWARD M. SHEPARD.
BOARDMAN, PLATT AND SOLEY.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the officers of the Board be and they hereby are authorized, in the name and under the seal of the Board, to execute the contract as submitted by the Corporation Counsel between the Board and William Wilson, one of the sub-tenants of the premises at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, under which the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Road is now being constructed, providing for the restoration of the building upon the said premises and for the arrangement of damages to be paid the said Wilson in accordance with the order of the Commissioners of Appraisal.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the officers of the Board be and they hereby are authorized, in the name and under the seal of the Board, to execute the contract as submitted by

the Corporation Counsel between the Board and the Meyer Manufacturing Company, one of the sub-tenants of the premises at the northeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, under which the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Road is now being constructed, providing for the restoration of the building upon the said premises and for the arrangement of damages to be paid the said Meyer Manufacturing Company in accordance with the order of the Commissioners of Appraisal.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Letter of President of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company was read, as follows, and the Secretary directed to inform Mr. McAdoo that a meeting of Committee would be held as soon as possible:

November 10, 1903.

Hon. ALEXANDER E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, New York City:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the application of this company for a franchise, I shall be very much obliged if the Special Committee appointed by the Board will give us a hearing upon the last amendments which were proposed to this franchise.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) W. G. McADOO, President.

Resolution of the North Side Board of Trade favoring extensions of the Rapid Transit Railroad in The Bronx Borough, one, up Westchester avenue to Westchester, and another, up White Plains avenue to the City line, was read, and the Secretary was instructed to notify the North Side Board of Trade that a hearing would be granted them if desired.

The Mayor at this point withdrew from the meeting.

The following letter of the Chief Engineer was presented:

November 10, 1903.

BION L. BURROWS, Esq., Secretary, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—The Consolidated Gas Company requests that the Board approve the location of their gas main under the sidewalk on the south side of Forty-second street, from the southeast corner of Madison avenue and Forty-second street to 101 feet east of the southeast corner of Madison avenue.

Will you please see that the proper resolution is passed by the Board.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves the relocation of the 20-inch gas main of the Consolidated Gas Company under the sidewalk on the south side of Forty-second street, from the southeast corner of Madison avenue and Forty-second street to 101 feet east of the southeast corner of Madison avenue.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the President be and he hereby is authorized to execute contract for telephone service at No. 13 Astor place for 1,500 local messages; also for telephone service at No. 8 Garden place, Brooklyn.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That this Board hereby accepts the following resignation, and makes the following appointments, promotion and transfers of titles on the staff of its Chief Engineer:

Name.	Title.	Salary.	To Take Effect.
Resignation.			
Godfrey Brantfuhr, Jr. Rodman.....			Oct. 1
Appointments.			
Samuel D. Bleich.....	Assistant Engineer.....	\$1,200.....	Nov. 12
James L. Davis.....	Inspector Steel.....	\$1,620.....	Nov. 12
(Reinstatement).			
Promotion.			
Wm. E. Daiton.....	Clerk (second grade).....	\$200.....	Nov. 1
Transfers of Titles.			
Louis C. Thompson....	Former title—	Former salary—	
	Axeman.....	\$720.....	Dec. 1
	Future title—	Future salary—	
	Rodman.....	\$960.....	Dec. 5
Harry L. Coyne.....	Same as Thompson.....		
John P. Lonergan.....	Same as Thompson.....		Dec. 1
James Pearce, Jr.....	Same as Thompson.....		Dec. 1
Cornelius Mulcahey....	Former title—	Former salary—	
	Rodman.....	\$960.....	Nov. 1
	Future title—	Future salary—	
	Topographical Draughtsman.....	\$1,200.....	

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following report of the Chief Engineer, with permit of Lincoln Safe Deposit Company, was presented:

NEW YORK, November 2, 1903.

BION L. BURROWS, Esq., Secretary, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—I hand you herewith for the files of the Commission a permit given by Mr. Thomas L. James, President of the Lincoln Safe Deposit Company, for the placing of the stairway entrance to the New York Central Station next to the building line of the Lincoln Safe Deposit Company, also a permit to attach to the front wall of said building certain beams entering into the construction of our station.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

LINCOLN SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY, Nos. 32 to 42 EAST FORTY-SECOND STREET, AND NOS. 45 TO 55 EAST FORTY-FIRST STREET,

NEW YORK, October 30, 1903.

WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Esq., Chief Engineer, Rapid Transit Commission, No. 320 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—Referring to interviews which have taken place between representatives of your office and Mr. John R. Van Wormer, general manager of this company, and Mr. Wm. B. Tubby, its architect, in respect to continuing the width of sidewalk on the Forty-second street front of our building, which existed prior to the commencement of the subway work, and to the understanding reached as to locating the stairs leading to the underground station in the area next our building, east of the main entrance, thus lessening the width of the sidewalk and increasing that of the roadway, we desire to say that we fully appreciate the spirit in which you have met our requests. Prior to laying the original sidewalk blocks it appeared that advantage would accrue to us and to the public if the width of the sidewalk was cut down eight feet, and the roadway increased that much. This was before car tracks were laid. Since then the eight feet of extra roadway has been of great benefit to us and to the public. Inasmuch as you have arranged to continue the sidewalk at the width indicated, we are entirely willing to have the stairway to the underground station in the area and against the northerly wall of our building, east of the main

entrance on Forty-second street, and that we hereby consent that you shall have the privilege of inserting into our said wall, below the sidewalk level, certain iron beams indicated in the plans submitted to us.

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) THE LINCOLN SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY,
By THOS. L. JAMES, President.
JOHN R. VAN WORMER, Secretary and General Manager.

Report of the Chief Engineer as to additional manhole necessary to be constructed at northeast corner of Post Office Building, was presented as follows:
November 11, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—In the construction of the subway on Park row, next to and partially under the vaults of the New York Post Office, permission for which construction has heretofore been granted by the Treasury Department, it has been found necessary to construct a manhole, as shown by the enclosed duplicate plans in red and in cross section E. F., on drawing marked 1237, 9-B, approved by me.

An application was made to the Treasury Department by the Rapid Transit Board for permission to construct this manhole in accordance with accompanying plan.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the President be and he hereby is authorized to address to the Secretary of the Treasury a communication requesting his approval of the plans for the manhole as shown on drawing submitted by the Chief Engineer with his report as above.

Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Report of the Chief Engineer was presented, as follows, as to Elm street, from Howard to White street and from Duane to Chambers street, and the Secretary was instructed so to inform the Commissioner of Public Works:

November 12, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—On Elm street, at Canal street, there is but one water connection to be made. As soon as this is finished the balance of the street will be backfilled, and it will then be turned over to the Highway Department. This should be accomplished within the next two weeks. I would suggest therefore that the Department of Highways be notified that on and after November 26 the Highway Department can take possession of Elm street, from Howard to White street and from Duane to Chambers street for paving.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.

The following letter to Commissioner Langdon on proposed station at One Hundred and Ninety-third street and Broadway was presented and ordered referred to the contractor:

DAVID STEWART, Real Estate, No. 203 Broadway,
New York, November 11, 1903.

Hon. WOODBURY LANGDON, care of Messrs. Joy, Langdon & Co., Worth Street, City:

DEAR SIR—Last July Mr. John H. Deane and I presented a petition to the Rapid Transit Commissioners, through their Secretary, signed by a large number of prominent men and the property owners, setting forth the great demand for a station on the Rapid Transit Road at or near the junction of Eleventh, Fort George and Audubon avenues, at about One Hundred and Ninety-third street. In addition I presented letters from President of the Borough and Board of Aldermen indorsing same, and further secured the indorsement of Comptroller, Grout, who stated that he would approve same when it was brought before the Commissioners' meeting. Since then we have heard nothing from the matter, not even an acknowledgment from the Commission that such a petition had been received. This is certainly unfair to the property owners and residents who pay rent, assessments and taxes.

I called upon Contractor McDonald, and he is in favor of building the station. People want it and are not satisfied with electric carriages; they want a station, even though they have to pay part of cost of construction. If we can get your Commission to instruct Mr. Parsons to prepare a plan at once locating the station at or near One Hundred and Ninety-third street we will get it. Some of the parties I understand will call on Mr. Belmont this week in relation to the matter. Mr. Parsons seems to be the only one against putting a station there.

Will you kindly aid us in whatever way you can to bring this matter to a head, and very much oblige.

Yours truly,
(Signed) DAVID STEWART.

The Chief Engineer submitted the following statement and list of estimated prices, showing method of computing requisitions for payments for work and materials under the Brooklyn-Manhattan contract, and he was authorized to proceed as therein suggested:

November 17, 1903.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Rapid Transit Board:

MY DEAR SIR—The contract price for the construction of Contract No. 2 is \$2,000,000. The actual estimated cost of this work is about \$10,000,000; this fact is well known to the Board. In order to make estimates for the requisitions for money on this contract, I have taken the estimated quantities and have applied to such quantities unit prices, in conformity with our experience on Contract No. 1. These unit prices, with the estimated quantities, show a total cost of \$9,333,428.25, which you will see is substantially five times the contract price. The Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the contractor for Contract No. 2, is willing to have the estimates made on the basis of such unit prices, taking one-fifth of the monthly estimate as the amount of each requisition. The aggregate of such requisitions will not aggregate \$2,000,000. This difference, however, can be adjusted either as the work proceeds or in a final requisition at the close of the work. I hand you herewith for your information a list of the estimated prices, together with the arbitrary net prices as explained.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Chief Engineer.
BROOKLYN EXTENSION RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD, CONTRACT NO. 2.

Unit Prices for Monthly Estimates.

Earth excavation, 414,500 cubic yards, at \$5.....	\$2,072,500 00
Rock excavation, 27,000 cubic yards, at \$11.....	297,000 00
Tunnel excavation, 118,000 cubic yards, at \$18.....	2,124,000 00
Street surface restored, 42,420 square yards, at \$3.....	127,260 00
Park surface restored, 8,160 square yards, at \$2.....	16,320 00
Concrete, 107,500 cubic yards, at \$10.....	1,075,000 00
Concrete above waterproofing, 5,810 cubic yards, at \$8.....	46,480 00
Hollow brick, 23,120 square yards, at \$3.....	69,360 00
Brick set in asphalt, 12,340 square yards, at \$6.....	73,040 00
Ducts, 4-way, 229,985 linear feet, at 45 cents.....	103,493 25
Enameled brick or tile, 17,060 square yards, at \$3.50.....	59,710 00
Waterproofing, per ply, 150,680 square yards, at 60 cents.....	90,408 00
Vault lights, 3,230 square yards, at \$20.....	64,600 00
Steel beams, 1,700 tons, at \$70.....	119,000 00
Steel beams erected, 1,700 tons, at \$20.....	34,000 00
Riveted steel, 2,254 tons, at \$70.....	157,780 00
Riveted steel erected, 2,254 tons, at \$20.....	45,080 00
Steel rods, 2,809 tons, at \$65.....	182,585 00
Steel rods erected, 2,809 tons, at \$20.....	56,180 00
Cast iron, 26,637 tons, at \$40.....	1,065,480 00
Cast iron erected, 26,637 tons, at \$15.....	399,555 00
Beton concrete, 5,750 cubic yards, at \$12.....	69,000 00
Grouting, 4,400 cubic yards, at \$15.....	66,000 00
Sump and pumps, 4 at \$2,500.....	10,000 00

Stations, 8.....	500,000 00
Track (single), 42,810 linear feet, at \$5.....	214,050 00

Sewers and Pipes.

3 feet by 2 feet 4 inch concrete, 320 linear feet, at \$26.....	8,320 00
3 feet 6 inch by 2 feet 4 inch brick, 1,764 linear feet, at \$30.....	52,920 00
4 feet by 3 feet brick, 90 linear feet, at \$15.....	1,350 00
4 feet circular, 110 linear feet, at \$15.....	1,650 00
12-inch vitrified pipe, 4,048 linear feet, at \$3.50.....	14,168 00
15-inch vitrified pipe, 717 linear feet, at \$4.....	2,868 00
18-inch vitrified pipe, 3,412 linear feet, at \$5.....	17,060 00
14-inch cast-iron pipe, 160 linear feet, at \$5.....	800 00
18-inch cast iron pipe, 467 linear feet, at \$8.....	3,736 00
36-inch cast-iron pipe, 420 linear feet, at \$25.....	10,500 00
42-inch cast-iron pipe, 56 linear feet, at \$30.....	1,680 00
60-inch cast-iron pipe, 12 linear feet, at \$50.....	600 00
4 feet 6 inch by 3 feet brick, 2,336 linear feet, at \$20.....	46,720 00
6 feet by 4 feet brick, 255 linear feet, at \$25.....	6,375 00
6 feet circular, 1,072 linear feet, at \$25.....	26,800 00

Total.....\$9,333,428 25

Dated November 10, 1903.

The Board then adjourned.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude 40 degrees 45 minutes 58 seconds N.
Longitude 73 degrees 57 minutes 58 seconds W. Height of Instruments above Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending
November 7, 1903.

BAROMETER.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
NOVEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 1.....	30.076	30.060	30.064	30.047	30.100	29.994
Monday, 2.....	30.070	30.000	30.020	30.030	30.100	29.900
Tuesday, 3.....	30.016	29.964	29.982	29.987	30.020	29.956
Wednesday, 4.....	29.950	29.830	29.776	29.855	29.976	29.720
Thursday, 5.....	29.572	29.330	29.558	29.500	29.720	29.390
Friday, 6.....	29.762	29.800	29.834	29.790	29.970	29.630
Saturday, 7.....	30.030	30.016	30.080	30.042	30.100	29.970

Mean for the week.....29.899 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., Nov. 1st.....30.100 "
Minimum " at 2 P. M., Nov. 3th.....29.390 "
Range.....710 "

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
NOVEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 1.....	52	47	57	56	58-3	50-3	68
Monday, 2.....	49	46	63	57	49-3	49-0	64
Tuesday, 3.....	50	44	67	56	51-3	51-3	68
Wednesday, 4.....	54	51	70	59	61-6	55-0	70
Thursday, 5.....	59	55	66	58	59-6	50-6	66
Friday, 6.....	64	54	69	61	67-3	51-3	63
Saturday, 7.....	73	59	60	64	70-0	50-0	61

Mean for the week.....52.4 degrees
Maximum " at 3 P. M., 4th.....70 "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 7th.....37 "
Range.....33 "

WIND.

DATE		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
NOVEMBER		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	9 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the day	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday.	1.	SW	WNW	WNW	42	44	46	132	0	$\frac{3}{4}$	0	1	11.30 A.M.
Monday.	2.	WNW	NW	WNW	39	20	23	82	4	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	2.30 A.M.
Tuesday.	3.	WNW	WNW	W	15	47	17	79	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	12 M.
Wednesday.	4.	W	WNW	WSW	42	53	40	145	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	1	1.15 A.M.
Thursday.	5.	SW	W	NNW	54	73	85	212	0	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{4}{8}$	4.50 P.M.
Friday.	6.	NNW	N	NW	103	75	75	253	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{4}{8}$	0.10 P.M.
Saturday.	7.	WNW	WNW	WNW	95	116	88	290	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	9	9.20 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week.....1,193 miles.
Maximum force.....9 pounds.

DATE. — NOVEMBER.	HYGROMETER.								CLOUDS.			RAIN AND SNOW. OZONE.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday, 1	257	333	204	264	66	50	45	53	0	0	0						0
Monday, 2	271	243	242	252	78	42	54	57	2 Cir.	0	0						0
Tuesday, 3	269	303	345	279	58	46	60	54	0	0	0						0
Wednesday, 4	335	354	354	347	80	48	60	64	0	0	0						0
Thursday, 5	380	376	160	305	76	59	53	62	10	10	10	4 A. M.	9.30 A. M.	5.30	.41		6
Friday, 6	0.0	0.0	109	0.6	38	38	53	43	8 Cu.	9 Cir.	0						
Saturday, 7	114	071	109	094	60	28	53	47	6 Cu.	2 Cir.	0						3

Total amount of water for the week.....42 inch.
Duration for the week.....6 h. 30 m.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, Nov. 1.....	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.....
Monday, " 2.....	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.....
Tuesday, " 3.....	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.....
Wednesday, " 4.....	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.....
Thursday, " 5.....	Mild, raining.....	Mild, overcast.....
Friday, " 6.....	Raw, cloudy.....	Raw, cloudy.....
Saturday, " 7.....	Cold, cloudy.....	Cool, pleasant.....

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I transmit herewith the following report of the transactions of the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens, for the week ending September 30, 1903.

JOSEPH BERMELE,

Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring pavement over street openings	\$16 00	For repairs to sewer connections	56 00
For shed permits, General Account	41 75	Total	\$213 75
For sewer connections	100 00		

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller.

Bureau of Highways	\$18,814 43	Bureau of Topographical Surveys	372 00
Bureau of Sewers	16,277 04	Total	\$41,813 07
Bureau of Street Cleaning	2,827 53		
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices	3,522 07		

Permits Issued.

To open streets to tap water pipes..	19	To cross sidewalks	3
To open streets to repair water connections	1	For subways, steam mains and various connections	16
To open streets to make sewer connections	15	To repair sidewalks	13
To open streets to repair sewer connections	1	For sewer connections	10
To place building material on streets	4	For sewer repairs	14
Special permits	26	Total	122

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Report for the Week Ending September 26, 1903.

Paved Streets—		Miscellaneous—	
Square yards of granite	984	Loads of stone hauled from dock (broken)	327
Square yards of brick	4	Linear feet of curb reset	90
Square yards of cobble	182	Square feet of flagstones relaid	650
Loads of sand used	406	Linear feet of crosswalks relaid	24
Loads of stone hauled	72	Paving blocks hauled to Long Island Railroad Freight Yard, loads, 117; blocks	5,900
Square yards of brick pavement cleaned	7,250	Square yards weeds removed	1,150
Macadamized Streets—		Trees cut down	10
Square yards of road repaired	13,523	Trees trimmed	9
Loads of screenings	492	Loads of limbs removed	137
Loads of broken stone	33	Stumps removed	8
Loads of worn out material hauled away	738	Cubic yards of trench dug	1,053
Square yards of road cleaned	48,005	loads	195
Square yards of dirt wings honed	41,845	Loads of dirt used in washouts	220
Loads of sand used	111	Viaducts and Bridges—	
Square yards of roads sanded	12,879	Yards of stone pointed up	25½
Unpaved Streets—		Yards of stone reset	5
Loads of dirt hauled away	1,336	New planking put down, feet	720
Square yards of roads graded	11,981	New joists put down, feet	85
Square yards of sidewalk filled	828		
Loads of dirt put on	3,215		
Gutters—			
Linear feet of gutters cleaned	35,222		

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Linear feet of sewer cleaned	1,010	Number of manholes cleaned	72
Number of basins cleaned	118	Open drains cleaned, feet	3,940
Linear feet of sewer examined	3,726	Box and pipe drains cleaned and relined, feet	245
Linear feet of sewer flushed	6,450	Loads removed from sewers, basins and drains	205
Number of basins examined	135	Loads of stone used	50
Number of basins repaired	5	Loads of earth used	30
Number of basins relieved	12	Loads of sand used	3
Linear feet of sewer repaired	1,200		
Number of basin heads set	13		

Street Sweepings, Garbage, etc., Collected and Disposed of.

Ashes, loads	538½	Rubbish, loads	76¾
Sweepings, loads	489¾	Miles of street swept	49.88
Garbage, loads	201		

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—Carpenter work, plumbing, painting, plastering, repairs to buildings and cleaning.

Bureau of Topographical Surveys—Grade map of Ravenswood section, plotting elevations on topographical sheets, Second Ward. Field work, plane table survey of Winfield and Newtown. Leveling at Glendale, locating streets at Woodside and Winfield.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed Week Ending September 26, 1903.

Bureau of Highways—153 Mechanics, 184 Laborers, 51 Teams, 146 horses and carts.

Bureau of Sewers—55 Mechanics, 45 Laborers, 14 horses and carts.

Bureau of Street Cleaning—45 Mechanics, 35 Laborers, 23 teams, 34 horses and carts.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—44 Mechanics.

Bureau of Topographical Surveys—8 Assistant Engineers, 10 Draughtsmen, 5 Transitmen, 2 Chainmen, 2 Foremen, 2 Assistants, 3 Drivers, 18 Laborers.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The following contracts were entered into by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, during the week ending November 21, 1903:

Paving with granite block Tremont avenue, from Webster avenue to New York and Harlem Railroad.

Contractor: John C. Rodgers, No. 324 Lenox avenue.

Surety: The Aetna Indemnity Company.

Regulating, etc., Suburban place, Boston road to Crotona Park East.

Contractor: Frank Del Balso, No. 1481 Hoe avenue.

Surety: The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

Regulating, etc., Concord avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-first street to Kelly street.

Contractor: P. J. Kane, No. 62 West One Hundred and Forty-second street.

Surety: The Empire State Surety Company.

Receiving basins on Prospect avenue, southeast corner of Kelly street, etc., etc.

Contractors: Briggs & McLaughlin, No. 19 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

Surety: The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.

Paving Webster avenue, Mosholu parkway to Gun Hill road.

Contractors: The John J. Hart Company, No. 54 Broad street.

Surety: The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

Regulating, etc., Norwood (Decatur) avenue, Hull avenue and Perry avenue, from Mosholu parkway north to Woodlawn road.

Contractor: Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, No. 1 Broadway.

Surety: The Empire State Surety Company.

Regulating, etc., Spofford avenue, Hunt's Point road to Longwood avenue.

Contractor: D. W. Moran, No. 563 Buckhout street.

Surety: The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.

Forage to Bureau of Sewers.

Contractor: Michael Gleason, No. 1893 Washington avenue.

Surety: The American Surety Company of New York.

Forage to Bureau of Highways.

Contractor: Michael Gleason.

Surety: The American Surety Company of New York.

WM. KEARNEY, Contract Clerk.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

December 4—Resigned: Estelle H. Louderback, No. 235 Quincy street, Brooklyn, Stenographer to Second Deputy Commissioner; salary, \$1,350 per annum; this resignation to take effect at the close of the day December 1, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Borough of The Bronx.

November 28—John Hunken, One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and Decatur avenue, Teamster with Team, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 a day.

Peter Plunkitt, Grant avenue, Throggs Neck, Teamster with Team, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 a day.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone 1929 Cortlandt.
SETH LOW, Mayor.
JAMES B. REYNOLDS, Secretary.
WILLIAM J. MORAN, Assistant Secretary.
JOHN GRUENBERG, Chief Clerk.

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone 706 Cortlandt.

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

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

Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I.: WILLIAM R. WOELFLE, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City: CHARLES H. SMITH, Financial Clerk, Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books

Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone 1505 and 1506 Cortlandt. Supply Room, No. 2, City Hall.

CHARLES S. HERVEY, Supervisor; HENRY MILLER, Deputy Supervisor.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

City Hall, Rooms 11-12, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone 5365 Cortlandt.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, First Deputy City Clerk.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Chief Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

JOSEPH V. SCULLY, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Brooklyn.

THOMAS J. MCCABE, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of The Bronx.

WILLIAM R. ZIMMERMAN, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Queens.

MICHAEL J. COLLINS, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 11, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone 39 Cortlandt.

CHARLES V. FORNES, President.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 noon.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS and JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptrollers.

HUBERT L. SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

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JAMES M. FITZSIMMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, SAMUEL SEABURY, JUSTICES. THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.
COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 A. M.
Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. McKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, JULIUS M. MAYER, WILLIAM H. OLMSTEAD, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH E. JONES, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, ROBERT J. WILKIN, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

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

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BREEN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMMEN.
PHILLIP BLOCK, Secretary.
Second District—Criminal Court Building.
Third District—Jefferson Market.
Fourth District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fifth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Seventh District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Eighth 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'RILEY, HENRY J. FURLONG.
President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.
Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.
Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**Borough of Manhattan.**

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

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, Courtroom, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Courtroom, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirtieth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street. Courtroom, No. 154 Clinton street.
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Courtroom, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings to return causes called 9.30 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.
HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

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

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

Eleventh District—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which

lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river; north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Courtroom, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9.45 A. M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.
Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Courtroom, No. 2636 Broadway.
WILLIAM STILES BENNETT, Justice. FREDERICK E. WOOD, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catherine street, east side of Catherine street to East river. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. TULIUS G. KREMER, Justice. Courtroom, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Courtroom, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.
WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, losing at 12 M.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Courthouse, northwest corner State and Court streets.
JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Calendar called at 10 A. M.
Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Courtroom located at No. 1217 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fourth District—Includes the Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Courtroom, No. 14 Howard avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sixth District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five wards). Courtroom, No. 26 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Courtroom, in Courthouse of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.
WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—James F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice. GEORGE W. DAWSON, Clerk.
Courthouse, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 A. M.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Courtroom, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
JOHN J. KENNY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Courtroom, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an addition to the public place or plaza adjacent to the Manhattan anchorage of the Manhattan Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock

a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 1st day of December, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an addition to the public place or plaza adjacent to the Manhattan anchorage of the Manhattan Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of property lying on the north side of Cherry street in the Seventh Ward of Manhattan: Beginning at a point on the north side of Cherry street distant easterly from the northeast corner of Market and Cherry streets two hundred and forty-three and thirty-three hundredths feet (243.33'), and running thence partly through a party wall north five degrees thirty-seven minutes forty-six seconds west (N. 5° 37' 46" W.) two hundred and six and twenty-nine hundredths feet (206.29'); thence north eighty-three degrees forty-five minutes forty-six seconds east (N. 83° 45' 46" E.) one and fifty-three hundredths feet (1.53') to the line of property, title vested September 15, 1903; thence along said line south twenty-three degrees east (S. 23° 00' 00" E.) forty-two and eighty-eight hundredths feet (42.88'); thence westerly along a curve of sixty-nine and eighty-three hundredths feet (69.83') radius forty-eight and two hundredths feet (48.02'); thence south twenty-three degrees east (S. 23° 00' 00" E.) fifty-nine and fifty-seven hundredths feet (59.57'); thence south seventy-eight degrees thirty-one minutes forty-one seconds west (S. 78° 31' 41" W.) twenty-three and forty-six hundredths feet (23.46') to place of beginning.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of Riverside Drive Extension and the abutting streets between West One Hundred and Fifty-second and West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 1st day of December, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Section No. 2, as amended, showing the adjustment of the line and grades, and the lines and grades of the connecting streets, from end of curve north of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street to Boulevard Lafayette, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Beginning at a point in the first curve north of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street distant 120.53 feet as measured along said curve, the location of said point being 90.734 feet north of northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street and 636.368 feet westerly from Broadway;

1st. Thence northerly and still curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose centre is 104.647 feet southerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street and 874.384 feet westerly from Broadway, radius 371.61 feet, distance 72.495 feet;

2d. Thence in a reversed curve to the right radius 300 feet distance 146.639 feet to the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-third street, distant 802.976 feet westerly from Broadway; thence still continuing in the same curve distance 88.980 feet (the total length of curve being 235.619 feet);

3d. Thence northerly and tangent to last curve distance 377.08 feet;

4th. Thence in a curved line to the right radius 115.011 feet distance 101.908 feet to the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street at a point distant 930.874 feet westerly from Broadway; thence still continuing in the same curve distance 111.566 feet (the total length of curve being 213.474 feet) to a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 836.00 feet westerly from Broadway;

5th. Thence easterly along the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street distance 136.00 feet;

6th. Thence northerly and at right angle to West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street distance 49.677 feet to a point in the reversed curve north of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

7th. Thence northerly and curving to the left and in continuation of the reversed curve from the last curve south of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street whose terminus is a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 836 feet westerly from Broadway, radius of said reversed curve is 211 feet, distance 183.646 feet;

8th. Thence northerly and tangent to the last curve distance 18.833 feet to centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence still continuing on said tangent, distance 101.167 feet; total tangent being 150 feet;

9th. Thence in a curved line to the right radius 53.576 feet, distance 45.312 feet;
10th. Thence easterly and tangent to the last curve distance 408.351 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard Lafayette;
11th. Thence northerly along said westerly line distance 63.575 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street to a point distant 343.48 feet westerly from Broadway.

Said streets and grades are found in Section 7, Blocks 2099, 2100 and 2134 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
Note.—All elevations above City datum.

Riverside Drive Extension.

Beginning at a point in the first curve north of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street distant 120.53 feet, as measured along the easterly line of said curve, elevation 63.76 feet;
1st. Thence from the easterly line on the radial line to centre of Drive, distance 50 feet, elevation 63.76 feet;
2d. Thence northerly along the centre line of Drive to a point in the continuation of the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-third street, distance 265.80 feet, elevation 60.00 feet;
3d. Thence northerly along the centre line of the Drive to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 623.25 feet, elevation 60.00 feet;
4th. Thence northerly and easterly along the centre line to the easterly line of Boulevard Lafayette, distance 1,030.45 feet, elevation 83.00 feet.

West One Hundred and Fifty-third Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-third street distant 656.04 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 61.68 feet;
1st. Thence westerly along said centre line distance 146.93 feet to the easterly line of Riverside Drive, elevation 60.45 feet.

West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard Lafayette and the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, elevation 104.38 feet; thence westerly along said centre line distance 622.64 feet to the easterly line of Riverside Drive Extension, elevation 68.69 feet.

West One Hundred and Fifty-seventh Street.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard Lafayette and the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, elevation 93.22 feet; thence westerly along the centre line distance 307.176 feet to the easterly line of Riverside Drive Extension, elevation 76.866 feet.
Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the Riverside Drive Extension and the abutting streets between West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 1st day of December, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Section 2, as amended, showing the adjustment of the line and grades of the Drive and the lines and grades of the connection streets, from West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to end of curve north of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street distant 630.00 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; thence in a northerly direction distance 471.51 feet to a point in the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street distant 525 feet westerly from Broadway; thence northerly and in a curved line to the left radius 534.90 feet, distance 186.68 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve distance 506.65 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the right radius 1,218.97 feet, distance 151.66 feet to a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fortieth street distant 588.00 feet west from Broadway; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve distance 259.83 feet to a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street distant 588.00 feet westerly from Broadway; thence northerly and curving to the right radius 297.89 feet, distance 216.43 feet to point of reversed curve distant 512.78 feet from Broadway and parallel to West One Hundred and Forty-second street and distant 1.95 feet southerly therefrom; thence northerly and in a reversed curve to the left radius 484.44 feet, distance 2.61 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street distant 511.05 feet westerly from Broadway; thence still northerly and in the same reversed curve to the left distance 328.28 feet, making the total length of curve 330.89 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve distance 481.17 feet to a point in the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street distant 370.00 feet westerly from Broadway; thence northeasterly and curving to the right radius 729.71 feet, distance 210.87 feet; thence northerly and in a reversed curve to the left radius 470.00 feet, distance 156.25 feet, to a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street distant 305.00 feet westerly from Broad-

way; thence northerly and tangent to last curve and parallel to Broadway distant 459.66 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence northerly and curving to the left radius 1,834.10 feet, distance 503.10 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve distance 528.88 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the left radius 371.61 feet, distance 223.46 feet.

Note.—All elevations are above City datum.

Riverside Drive Extension.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Riverside Drive Extension and the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, elevation 75.00 feet;
1st. Thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive to the centre line of West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street distance 763.334 feet, elevation 57.00 feet;
2d. Thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive to the centre line of West One Hundred and Fortieth street distance 523.156 feet, elevation 49.00 feet;
3d. Thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive to the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street distance 547.50 feet, elevation 55.00 feet;
4th. Thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive to the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street distance 820.978 feet, elevation 80.00 feet;
5th. Thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive to the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-first street distance 1,604.559 feet, elevation 73.00 feet;
6th. Thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive to the end of the curve distant 120.53 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street distance 426.923 feet, elevation 63.76 feet.

West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and the westerly line of Broadway, elevation 88.81 feet; thence westerly along the centre line of West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to the easterly line of Riverside Drive distance 577.50 feet, elevation 69.44 feet.

Note.—The grade of West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street was fixed and established by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 10th day of July, 1902.

West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and the westerly line of Broadway, elevation 92.41 feet; thence westerly along the centre line of West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the easterly line of Riverside Drive Extension distance 519.04 feet, elevation 63.16 feet.

West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.

The grade of West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Broadway to Twelfth avenue, to be as filed by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park on the 6th day of March, 1868.

Note.—The Drive crosses by a bridge at an elevation of 57 feet above City datum.

West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth Street.

West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street does not connect with the Drive.

West One Hundred and Fortieth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Fortieth street distant 375.00 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 70 feet; thence westerly along the said centre line, for new grade, distance 212.63 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 49.00 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-first Street.

West One Hundred and Forty-first street does not connect with the Drive.

West One Hundred and Forty-second Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street distant 392.12 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 55.78 feet; thence westerly along the said centre line, for new grade, distance 94.61 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 55.00 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-third Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-third street distant 330.97 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 64.06 feet; thence westerly along the said centre line for the new grade distance 60.42 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 63.55 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street distant 271.44 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 72.37 feet; thence westerly along the said centre line for the new grade distance 108.56 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 71.47 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-fifth Street.

The centre line grade for West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Broadway to Twelfth avenue, to be as filed by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park on the 6th day of March, 1868. The Drive crosses by a bridge at an elevation of 80.00 feet above City datum. The approaches from West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to the Drive on the north and south sides of the street to be as follows:

Beginning at points on the northerly and southerly sides of the street distant 209.14 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 81.31 feet; thence westerly to the easterly line of the Drive. For the northerly line of the street distance 149.56 feet, elevation 79.78 feet. For southerly line of the street distance 160.86 feet, elevation 78.47 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-sixth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street distant 234.08 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 79.35 feet; thence westerly along the said centre line, for the new grade, distance 71.87 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 78.75 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-seventh Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-seventh street distant 252.92 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 78.05 feet; thence westerly along said centre line, for new grade, distance 52.08 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 77.61 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-eighth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-eighth street distant 225.70 feet from Broadway, elevation 77.14 feet; thence westerly along said centre line, for new grade, distance 79.55 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 76.48 feet.

West One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street distant 270.02 feet westerly from Broadway; elevation 75.82 feet; thence westerly along said centre line, for new grade, distance 58.03 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 75.34 feet.

West One Hundred and Fiftieth Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Fiftieth street distant

275.49 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 75.11 feet; thence westerly along said centre line, for new grade, distance 112.95 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 74.18 feet.

West One Hundred and Fifty-first Street.

The grade of West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Broadway to Twelfth avenue, to be as filed by the Board of Commissioners of Central Park on the 6th day of March, 1868.

Note.—The Drive crosses by a bridge at an elevation of 73.00 feet above City datum.

West One Hundred and Fifty-second Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street distant 527.64 feet westerly from Broadway, elevation 67.22 feet; thence westerly along said centre line, for new grade, distance 13.60 feet to the easterly line of the Drive, elevation 67.11 feet.

The said streets and their grades are found in Section 7, Blocks 2002, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098 and 2099 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.
d5,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades in Longfellow street, from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Bancroft street and in portions of Whittier street, Whitlock avenue and Aldus street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 1st day of December, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing grades in Longfellow street, from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Bancroft street, in portions of Whittier street, Whitlock avenue and Aldus street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Technical description of the change of grades in Longfellow street, from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Bancroft street; Whittier street, from New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Whitlock avenue; Whitlock avenue, from Bryant street to Bancroft street, and of Aldus street, from Bryant street to Whitlock avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

"A."—Longfellow Street.

1. The grade at the intersection of Longfellow street with the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to be 39.9 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with Whitlock avenue to be 41.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with Aldus street to be 45.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

4. The grade distant 350 feet southerly from the southwest corner of Bancroft street to be 48.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

5. The grade at the intersection with Bancroft street to be 45.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

"B."—Whittier Street.

1. The grade at the intersection of Whittier street with the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to be 38.2 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with Whitlock avenue to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

"C."—Whitlock Avenue.

1. The grade at the intersection of Whitlock avenue with Bryant street to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with Longfellow street to be 41.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with Whittier street to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

4. The grade at the intersection with Bancroft street to be 29.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

"D."—Aldus Street.

1. The grade at the intersection of Aldus street with Bryant street to be 53.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with Longfellow street to be 45.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with Whitlock avenue to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.
d5,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Seelye street, between Eighteenth street and Sherman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the fol-

Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.
d5,16

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 and establish a park bounded by the bulkhead line of the East river, Ditmars avenue, Barclay street and Hoyt avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolution, adopted by the Board on the 1st day of December, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and establishing a park bounded by the bulkhead line of the East river, Ditmars avenue, Barclay street and Hoyt avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Ditmars avenue with the westerly line of Barclay street, as the same is laid down on the Long Island City Commissioners' Map, and running thence southerly along the westerly line of Barclay street 2,873.89 feet to the northerly line of Hoyt avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Hoyt avenue 1,013.5 feet to the United States bulkhead or pierhead line established February 15, 1903; thence northerly along the bulkhead line 3,012.16 feet to the southerly line of Ditmars avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Ditmars avenue 765.52 feet to the westerly line of Barclay street, the place of beginning.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.
d5,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close Bowne street, between Richards street and Columbia street, Twelfth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 1st day of December, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Richards street with northern line of Bowne street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City:

1. Thence southerly along the easterly line of Richards street 60 feet.

2. Thence easterly along the southern line of Bowne street 286.58 feet to a point in the westerly line of Columbia street distant 215.14 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of Seabring street with the westerly line of Columbia street, as the same are laid down on the aforesaid map;

3. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Columbia street 64.53 feet;

4. Thence westerly 262.83 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.
d5,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Seelye street, between Eighteenth street and Sherman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the fol-

lowing resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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

1. Beginning at the intersection of Eighteenth street and Seelye street, the elevation to be 104.00 feet, as heretofore;

2. Thence easterly along Seelye street to the westerly end of the bridge over Prospect avenue distant 262.17 feet from the easterly line of Eighteenth street, the elevation to be 106.00 feet;

3. Thence easterly 72.25 feet to the centre line of said bridge, the elevation to be 106.75 feet;

4. Thence easterly 72.25 feet to the easterly end of said bridge, the elevation to be 106.00 feet;

5. Thence easterly 124 feet, more or less, to a point opposite the westerly line of Lot No. 21, Block 66, Ward 29, the elevation to be 99.80 feet;

6. Thence easterly to the intersection of Sherman street, the elevation to be 95.00 feet;

7. Thence easterly to the intersection of Coney Island avenue and Seelye street, the elevation to be 88.50 feet, as heretofore;

8. All elevations refer to the mean high-water datum established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary n28,d9

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an addition to Highbridge Park, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an addition to Highbridge Park, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Edgemont road where it intersects the land of the Croton Aqueduct, near the southerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, produced easterly; thence northerly and along the easterly line of Edgemont road to a point opposite the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence easterly to the westerly line of the land of the Highbridge Park; thence southerly along said line until it meets the land of the Croton Aqueduct at the centre line of Old West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southerly along the westerly line of the land of the Croton Aqueduct to the point or place of beginning, the easterly line of Edgemont road, near West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of December, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary n28,d9

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 bounded by Avenue D, Bedford avenue, Newkirk avenue and Flatbush avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park bounded by Avenue D, Bedford avenue, Newkirk avenue and Flatbush avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection formed by the easterly line of East Twenty-third street with the southerly line of Avenue D;

1. Thence easterly along the southerly line of Avenue D 200.00 feet, more or less, to its intersection with the westerly line of Bedford avenue;

2. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Bedford avenue 275.00 feet, more or less, to its intersection with the northerly line of Newkirk avenue;

3. Thence westerly along the northerly line of Newkirk avenue 80.00 feet, more or less, to its intersection with the northeasterly line of Flatbush avenue;

4. Thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of Flatbush avenue 243.00 feet, more or less, to its intersection with the easterly line of East Twenty-third street;

5. Thence northerly along the easterly line of East Twenty-third street 100.83 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of December, 1903.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to lay out the avenues, streets, roads, public parks and places in that part of the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, bounded by West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Broadway, Dyckman street and Boulevard Lafayette; also the existing streets and the new streets with their grades as now laid out, fixed and established, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed lay out will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Manhattan has prepared, completed and submitted to this Board, for its concurrence and approval, a map or plan, with profile, of the final maps and profiles of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, showing the avenues, streets, roads, public parks and places in that part of the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, bounded by West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Broadway, Dyckman street and Boulevard Lafayette; also showing the existing streets and the new streets with their grades as now laid out, fixed and established, in the said Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, located and laid out by the said President of the Borough of Manhattan in pursuance of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter.

Resolved, That a hearing in the above matter will be held at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 11, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to lay out an extension of Forty-seventh street, from West street to Gravesend avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out an extension of Forty-seventh street, from West street to Gravesend avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

It is proposed to lay out a new street of a uniform width of fifty (50) feet from the easterly side of West street to the westerly side of Gravesend avenue, in the Thirtieth (30th) Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn; the northeasterly side of said street to be eight and one-half (8½) feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly side of the present Bergen lane, and the southwesterly side of the said new street to be eight and one-half (8½) feet southwesterly from and parallel with the present southwesterly side of Bergen lane, the said Bergen lane being of a uniform width of thirty-three (33) feet.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of December, 1903.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the grade of portions of New Lots road, Dumont avenue, Atkins avenue, Milford street and Montauk avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of portions of New Lots road, Dumont avenue, Atkins avenue, Milford street and Montauk avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

New Lots Road, from Berriman to Logan Street.
Beginning at the intersection of Berriman street and New Lots road, the elevation to be 18.25 feet, as heretofore; thence easterly to the intersection of Atkins avenue and New Lots road, the elevation to be 19.0 feet; thence easterly to the intersection of Montauk avenue and New Lots road, the elevation to be 18.0 feet; thence easterly to the intersection of Milford street and New Lots road, the elevation to be 16.70 feet; thence easterly to the intersection of Logan street and New Lots road, the elevation to be 15.41 feet, as heretofore.

Dumont Avenue, from Berriman Street to New Lots Road.

Beginning at the intersection of Dumont avenue and Berriman street, the elevation to be 19.54 feet, as heretofore; thence easterly to the intersection of Dumont avenue and Atkins avenue, the elevation to be 18.52 feet, as heretofore; thence easterly to the intersection of New Lots road and Dumont avenue, the elevation to be 18.0 feet.

Atkins Avenue, from Dumont Avenue to Hegeman Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Atkins avenue and Dumont avenue, the elevation to be 18.52 feet, as heretofore; thence southerly to the intersection of Atkins avenue and New Lots road, the elevation to be 19.0 feet; thence southerly to the intersection of Atkins avenue and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 14.50 feet, as heretofore.

Milford Street, from Blake Avenue to Hegeman Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Blake avenue and Milford street, the elevation to be 13.30 feet, as heretofore; thence southerly to the intersection of Milford street and New Lots road, the elevation to be 16.70 feet; thence southerly to a point distant from the south building line of New Lots road 140.0 feet, the elevation to be 17.50 feet; thence southerly to the intersection of Milford street and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 14.50 feet, as heretofore.

Montauk Avenue, from Sutter Avenue to Hegeman Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Montauk avenue and Sutter avenue, the elevation to be 15.30 feet, as heretofore; thence southerly to a point distant from the south building line of Sutter avenue 220.0 feet, the elevation to be 16.50 feet; thence southerly to the intersection of Blake avenue and Montauk avenue, the elevation to be 15.0 feet; thence southerly to the intersection of Montauk avenue and New Lots road, the elevation to be 18.0 feet; thence southerly to the intersection of Hegeman avenue and Montauk avenue, the elevation to be 13.00 feet, as heretofore.

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

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of December, 1903.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the grade of Jerome street, between Atlantic avenue and Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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1. Beginning at the intersection of Jerome street and Fulton street, the elevation to be 36.00 feet, as heretofore;

2. Thence southerly to a summit distant 282.5 feet from the intersection of the southerly line of Fulton street with the centre line of Jerome street, the elevation to be 39.00 feet;

3. Thence southerly to the intersection of Atlantic avenue, the elevation to be 36.93 feet, as heretofore.

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

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the grade of Barbey street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Beginning at the intersection of Fulton and Barbey streets, the elevation to be 40.30 feet, as heretofore; thence southerly to a point distant 200 feet from the southern building line of Fulton street, the elevation to be 42.12 feet; thence southerly to the intersection of Atlantic avenue and Barbey street the elevation to be 38.94 feet, as heretofore.

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

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to widen Eighty-fourth street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues, and lay out an extension of the said street, from Seventeenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of November, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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The southern line of Eighty-fourth street to begin at a point in the eastern line of Sixteenth avenue, distant 224.14 feet northerly of the intersection of the eastern line of Sixteenth street with the northern line of Eighty-fifth street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City.

1. Thence in extension easterly in a straight line to a point in the western line of Eighteenth avenue, distant 333.58 feet northerly of the intersection of the northern line of Eighty-fifth street with the western line of Eighteenth avenue.

The northern line of Eighty-fourth street to be distant 100 feet northerly and parallel to the southern line of Eighty-fourth street.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH MEATS, FRESH FISH, POULTRY, FLUID AND CONDENSED MILK.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

The bidder will state the price per pound, per quart, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 3, 1903.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PROVIDING AND SETTING UP LAUNDRY MACHINERY IN THE CENTRAL POWER HOUSE AND LAUNDRY BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The security required will be five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

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.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

Dated December 5, 1903.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

The bidder will state the price per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the General Drug Department, Bellevue Hospital Grounds, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 2, 1903.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1903.

FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND BURIAL OF PAUPER DEAD IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

The amount of security required is seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750).

The bidder will state the price for the burial of each body, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and award made to the lowest bidder.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 30, 1903.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE WORK, LABOR, SERVICES AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE EXTERMINATION OF RATS AND MICE, AND FOR THE EXTERMINATION OF ROACHES AND WATER BUGS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

The amount of security required will be one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) on each item or line.

The bidder will state the price for each item or line by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or line, as stated in the specifications.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 30, 1903.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

No. 1. REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, WENDOVER AVENUE, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO CROTONA PARK, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY; ALSO FORMING PLOTS IN THE CENTRE OF SAID AVENUE 20 FEET IN WIDTH, FOR ORNAMENTAL TREATMENT.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

1,720 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

300 cubic yards of concrete.

120 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone (20 inches deep) furnished and set.

560 linear feet of old curbstone rejointed and reset.

590 linear feet new bluestone curbstone (14 inches deep) furnished and set.

The amount of security required for the performance of the whole work will be \$2,500.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 40 working days.

No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES, PLACING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY AND BUILDING DRAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN WESTCHESTER AVENUE, FROM BRONX RIVER TO MAIN STREET, WESTCHESTER.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

44,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.

8,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

215,000 cubic yards of filling.

A lump sum bid for all material sinking below the surface of the marsh, as indicated on the plan.

24,550 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

88,650 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

18,500 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks furnished and laid.

1,500 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

100 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

10 cubic yards of brick masonry.

500 cubic yards of concrete.

52 catch basins, complete.

27 manholes, complete.

2,400 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

6,200 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 18 inches in diameter.

20,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

9,600 linear feet of piles.

20,000 pounds of steel rods.

3,000 pounds of cast-iron in inlet frames and covers.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be 500 working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the work will be \$100,000.

No. 3. REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS A SPACE FOUR FEET WIDE (EXCEPTING THE EASTERLY SIDEWALK FROM CROTONA PARKWAY AT THE ENTRANCE TO CROTONA PARK NEAR ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET TO BRONX PARK AT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET), LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, FROM BOSTON ROAD AT OR ABOUT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET TO THE PROLONGATION OF THE NORTHERLY LINE OF ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE PROPERTY EASTWARDLY AND CROSSING SOUTHERN BOULEVARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

4,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.

5,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

49,700 cubic yards of filling.

16,000 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstone rejointed and reset.

50,500 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

200 square feet of old flagging rejointed and relaid.

11,500 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks furnished and laid.

500 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

20 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 18 inches in diameter.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 250 working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the work will be \$25,000.

No. 4. REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, FROM JEROME AVENUE TO AQUEDUCT AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

9,750 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,820 cubic yards of rock excavation.

5,350 cubic yards of filling.

2,175 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

8,250 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

1,625 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks furnished and laid.

150 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

The amount of security required for the performance of the work will be \$4,500.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 125 working days.

No. 5. REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN CROTONA PARK, EAST, FROM CROTONA PARK, SOUTH, TO THE SOUTHERN BOULEVARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

11,700 cubic yards of earth excavation.

9,750 cubic yards of rock excavation.

18,000 cubic yards of filling.

6,425 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

25,650 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

1,700 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks furnished and laid.

450 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

The amount of security required for the performance of the work will be \$12,000.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 300 working days.

No. 6. REGULATING AND PAVING THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, FROM BROOK AVENUE TO ST. ANN'S AVENUE, WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON CONCRETE; ALSO SETTING NEW CURB, RESETTING AND REJOINTING OLD CURB AND LAYING CROSSWALKS WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate of the work will be as follows:

1,775 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

310 cubic yards of concrete.

300 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone furnished and set.

250 linear feet of old curbstone rejointed and reset.

The amount of security required for the completion of the whole work will be \$2,000.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 30 working days.

No. 7. REGULATING AND PAVING THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, FROM CYPRESS TO LOCUST AVENUE, WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT; ALSO SETTING NEW CURB, RESETTING AND REJOINTING OLD CURB AND LAYING CROSSWALKS WHERE NECESSARY.

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

500 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

200 square feet of new bridgestone furnished and laid.

10,200 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a sand foundation, laid with sand joints.

The amount of security required for the performance of the work will be \$10,000.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 100 consecutive working days.

No. 8. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BATHGATE AVENUE FROM PELHAM AVENUE TO ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET, AND IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET, FROM BATHGATE AVENUE TO HOFFMAN STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

600 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

95 spurs for house connections over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

8 manholes, complete.

2 receiving basins, complete.

25 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

3 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

3 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

3 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber furnished and laid.

15 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe furnished and laid.

The amount of security required for the performance of the whole work is \$1,200.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 50 working days.

No. 9. REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF TINTON AVENUE, FROM WESTCHESTER AVENUE TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET.

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

8,100 square yards of wood block pavement, and keeping the same in repairs for five years from date of acceptance.

1,325 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

700 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set in concrete.

4,070 linear feet of old curbstone rejointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The amount of security required will be \$10,000.

The time allowed, 75 days.

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 4, 1903.

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. SECTION 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DOUBLE AND TRIPLE NOZZLE STANDARD NEW YORK HYDRANTS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred and fifty (250) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

No. 1½. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST-IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN THOMSON, BETTS AND WOODSIDE AVENUES; IN HOFFMAN BOULEVARD AND IN UNION TURNPIKE.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred and fifty (250) working days.

The amount of security required will be twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

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

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of

the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.

Dated December 4, 1903.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING WATER METER TESTING APPARATUS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security will be fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500).

The bidder will state a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST IRON PIPE AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.
Dated November 21, 1903. n27,d9

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

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE New York and Long Island Traction Company the right of franchise to construct and operate a street surface railway in, upon and along certain streets and highways and bridges in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen of The City of New York hereby grants to the New York and Long Island Traction Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the franchise, right and privilege to construct and operate a double-track street surface railway, with all connections, turnouts, switches, crossovers and suitable stands necessary for the accommodation and operation of said railway, by the overhead system of electricity, or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same, in, upon and along the following named streets and highways and bridges, all situated in the boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn, City and State of New York, set forth in the following descriptions of routes:

First—Beginning at a point on Fulton street (otherwise known as the Hempstead and Jamaica turnpike), at the easterly line of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, running thence northerly on and along said Fulton street to the intersection of said Fulton street and the Jericho turnpike at or near Queens, in the Borough of Queens.

Second—Beginning at the intersection of said Fulton street and the Jericho turnpike at or near Queens, in the Borough of Queens; running thence southwesterly on and along said Springfield road to a road known as Old Country road; thence generally westerly on and along said Old Country road past the intersection of said Old Country road and South street to a point on said Old Country road about opposite Bryan avenue, in Hollis Park; thence generally westerly on and along private property to Bryan avenue, in Hollis Park, at its intersection with Farmer avenue; thence westerly on and along said Bryan avenue to its intersection with South street; thence westerly on and along South street to Puntine street, in Jamaica; thence northwesterly on and along Puntine street to Linden street; thence westerly on and along Linden street to New York avenue; thence northerly on and along New York avenue to a point on New York avenue about opposite to Centre street; thence westerly on and over private property crossing Union Hall street at a point nearly opposite Centre street; thence westerly on and along Centre street to Washington street, crossing Washington street and private property to Prospect street; thence northerly on and along Prospect street to and across the bridge over the tracks of the Long Island Railroad to Fleet street; thence running easterly on and along Fleet street to Washington street; thence westerly on and along Fleet street to Twombly place; thence westerly on and along Twombly place to Division street; thence northerly on and along Division street to Fulton street, in Jamaica. Also, from the intersection of Twombly place and Church street; running thence northerly on and along Church street to Fulton street.

Third—Beginning at a point at the boundary line between The City of New York and the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, on private property contiguous to and lying north of the conduit of the Brooklyn City Water Works in the Borough of Queens; running thence westerly on and along private property contiguous to and adjoining the property of the Brooklyn City Water Works on the northerly side thereof; crossing Ocean avenue (otherwise known as the road to Wright's Mill), Rosedale avenue, Foster's Meadow road, the property of the Brooklyn City Water Works, known as Conduit Branch, Springfield road, Farmer's avenue and New York avenue to the Rockaway turnpike; running thence northerly on and along said Rockaway turnpike to the junction of said Rockaway turnpike and the Rockaway road (formerly known as the Rockaway Plank road); running thence north westerly on and along said Rockaway road (formerly known as the Rockaway Plank road) to Broadway; running thence westerly on and along Broadway to Liberty avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with a branch line from the intersection of said Rockaway road (formerly known as the Rockaway Plank road) and Water street; running thence westerly on and along Water street to and across Spruce street; also with a branch line from the intersection of said Rockaway road (formerly known as the Rockaway Plank road) and the Rockaway turnpike; running thence northerly on and along said Rockaway turnpike to Fulton street, in Jamaica.

Fourth—Beginning at a point on the Jericho turnpike at the extreme easterly boundary line of The City of New York and the Town of North Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, and running thence northerly on and along said Jericho turnpike to a point at the intersection of said Jericho turnpike and the Hempstead and Jamaica turnpike (otherwise known as Fulton street), all in the Borough of Queens.

And with the right or franchise to cross such other streets and highways and bridges (named and unnamed) as may be encountered in said routes.

Section 2. The grant of this franchise is subject to the following conditions:

First—The consent, in writing, of the owners of half in value of the property bounded or said streets and highways and bridges to the construction and operation of said railway shall be obtained by the grantee, or in the event that such consent cannot be obtained, the grantee shall obtain the favorable determination, confirmed by the Court, of three Commissioners, appointed by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in the manner provided by the Railroad Law, before said railway is built or operated.

Second—The said right, privilege and franchise to construct and operate said railway shall be held and enjoyed by said railway company, its lessee or successors, for the term of twenty-five years from the date when this ordinance is signed by the Mayor, with the privilege of renewal of said grant for a further period of twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation of said right, privilege and franchise, but such renewal shall not provide for any further renewal. Such revaluation shall be of the right, privilege and franchise to maintain and operate said railway by itself, and shall not include any valuation derived from the ownership, operation or control of any other railroad by the grantee, its successors or assigns. It shall be made in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the railway company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder; and the three so chosen shall act as

appraisers and shall make the revaluations aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of the grant, and their report shall be filed with the Comptroller, or his successor in authority within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience, and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine the books of the railway company. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but shall not in any event be less than the minimum amount fixed as the sum to be paid annually for the last five years of the original franchise.

Third—Upon the termination of the said franchise, right or privilege, whether original or renewal, if the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, or its successors in authority, shall so desire, there shall be a fair valuation of the plant and property of the grantee necessary for traction purposes upon the said streets and highways and bridges, and of the land in private ownership upon which the said railway shall be operated or the easements of right-of-way or other necessary easements in such lands, as the case may be, including power-house, equipment, tracks and appurtenances, which plant and property shall be and become the property of The City of New York at the option of the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, on the termination of this grant and the payment to the grantee of such valuation. The valuation shall be based upon a fair appraisal of the property, excluding any value derived from the franchise, and such value shall be determined by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, provided that in the valuation of the land in private ownership, on which said railway is constructed, or the easements affecting such land, as the case may be, their value shall not be fixed at an amount in excess of the original cost thereof, to the grantee of said franchise, its successors or assigns. A sworn statement of such cost executed by such grantee and verified by the affidavit of one of its officers, shall be filed with the Comptroller of The City of New York before any act is done by the grantee, or its successors or assigns, in the construction or operation of the railway upon any route hereinbefore mentioned, which includes private property.

Fourth—The New York and Long Island Traction Company, its successors or assigns, shall pay for this franchise to The City of New York the following sums of money: During the first term of five years an annual sum which shall be less than \$1,000, and which shall be equal to three per cent. of its gross annual receipts derived from passenger and freight traffic, within the limits of The City of New York, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of \$1,000; during the remaining twenty years of the term, an annual sum which shall not be less than \$2,000, and which shall be equal to five per cent. of its gross annual receipts as above, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of \$2,000.

In computing the amount of the gross receipts derived from passenger traffic and above referred to, the routes hereinbefore mentioned shall be considered, and the persons who are upon the cars of the company at any point upon such routes shall be deemed to have paid the fare provided by the ordinance granting the franchise aforesaid, whether they enter or leave the car upon such route or upon any other route upon which the grantee, or its successors or assigns, operates its cars.

Such sums shall be paid into the Treasury of The City of New York on November 1 in each year; provided, however, that the first payment shall only be for that proportion of the above sums as the time from the signing of this ordinance by the Mayor to September 30 next preceding, shall bear to the whole of one year. The fiscal year shall end on September 30 next preceding said date of payment, and the provisions of the Railroad Law as it existed at the time of the adoption of this ordinance relating to the manner of payments and statements of percentages of gross receipts of street railway companies shall, as to said railway, be strictly followed. The intention of this paragraph is to fix an annual charge to be paid by the grantee, its successors or assigns, to The City of New York for the rights and franchise hereby granted, and it shall not be construed as providing for the payment by the grantee, its successors or assigns, for said franchise, of a percentage of gross receipts within the meaning of any general or special statute.

Fifth—The said annual charge or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the franchise hereby granted, whether original or renewal, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railway company providing for payments for street railway rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or franchises hereby granted, whether original or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant that the same is subject to all the conditions of this grant, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said condition as to payments, anything in any statute or the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives, so far as this franchise is concerned, any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof, or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this grant.

Sixth—The rights and franchises granted hereby shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the New York and Long Island Traction Company, its successors or assigns, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Seventh—The said railway may be operated by overhead electrical power, substantially similar to the system of overhead electrical traction now in use by the New York and North Shore Railway Company, or by the underground electric system now in use by the Interurban Street Railway Company in the Borough of Manhattan, and by any other motive power, except locomotive steam power or horse-power, which may be approved by the Board of Railroad Commissioners, and consented to by the owners of property, in accordance with the provisions of the Railroad Law.

Provided that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, upon giving to the grantee, its successors or assigns, one year's notice, in writing, may require it or them to operate its railway upon the whole or upon any portion of its route by underground electrical power substantially according to the system now in use on the railways in the Borough of Manhattan above referred to, and thereupon to

discontinue the use of the overhead trolley system, and to remove its poles, wires and other structures used by it for that purpose from the streets and highways and bridges of The City of New York.

Eighth—The said railway shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of The City of New York, who have jurisdiction in such matters under the Charter of the City.

Ninth—Said railway shall be constructed and operated in the latest improved manner of street railway construction and operation, and the railway and property of said company shall be maintained in good condition throughout the term of this grant.

Tenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said railway shall not exceed five cents within the limits of The City of New York; the said company shall not charge any passenger more than said sum for one continuous ride from any point on said railway, or a line or branch operated in connection therewith to any point thereof, or of any connecting line or branch thereof within the limits of The City of New York. The rates for the carrying of property upon the cars of the grantee shall in all cases be reasonable in amount, and shall be subject to the control of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, and may be fixed by such Board after notice and hearing to the grantee, and when so fixed such rate shall be binding upon said grantee, its successors or assigns, and no greater sums shall be charged for such services than provided for by it.

Eleventh—The cars on the said lines as proposed shall run at intervals of not more than one hour, both day and night, and as much oftener as the reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be directed by the City ordinances; provided, however, that said railway company during the first five years of this franchise shall not be required to operate its cars on any of its lines within The City of New York between the hours of twelve o'clock midnight and five o'clock a. m. each day, unless the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City shall determine after a hearing had thereon that public convenience requires the operation of its cars during said hours.

Twelfth—The said railway company shall apply to each car run over said railway a proper fender and wheelguard in conformity to such laws and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Thirteenth—All cars on said railway shall be heated through the cold weather in conformity to such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and each car shall be well lighted either by the Pintsch gas system or by electricity, or by some system of lighting equally efficient.

Fourteenth—The said company shall at all times keep the street between its tracks, and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails upon either side of said streets, free and clear from ice and snow.

Fifteenth—The said railway company, as long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon said streets and highways and bridges, shall have and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of said streets and highways and bridges between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks, under the supervision of the proper local authorities, and whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And The City of New York shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any street and highway and bridge, and in that event the grantee, its successors or assigns, shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper city officer at its own expense, and the provision as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewed or altered pavement.

Sixteenth—The said railway company, its successors and assigns, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and highways and bridges hereby granted, shall cause the entire roadway of each of the same to be watered at least three times in every twenty-four hours when the thermometer is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit, except that when the width of any roadway between curb lines shall exceed 60 feet, then a roadway of but 60 feet shall be watered as above.

Seventeenth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained this grant may be forfeited and avoided by The City of New York, by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel on notice of ten days to the said railway company.

Eighteenth—If any of the streets and highways and bridges above referred to, or described, shall not now be open or in use as public highways, no right or franchise therein shall vest in the grantee by virtue of this ordinance until after such streets and highways and bridges shall be legally opened as a public highway, and such right or franchise shall expire at the end of the term created by this ordinance as above set forth. Nothing in this ordinance contained shall be construed as an obligation on The City of New York, in respect to the opening of such streets and highways and bridges, nor as in any manner granting property or rights of any kind in or upon its lands now owned or occupied by it under any title except the public streets and highways and bridges in the usual acceptance of such terms, which are specifically referred to above.

Section 3. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of Article 4 of the Railroad Law, as it existed at the time of the adoption of this ordinance applicable thereto, and all laws or ordinances now in force or which may be adopted hereafter affecting the surface railways operating in The City of New York shall be strictly complied with.

Section 4. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that at any time after five years from the commencement of the operation of any portion of the railway hereby granted, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, if it deems it necessary in the public interest so to do, may require the grantee, its successors or assigns, in case the railway upon any portion of the routes above described shall consist of a single track, to construct and operate a second track upon any or all of the routes hereby granted, whether on streets, highways and bridges or upon any private property or right-of-way included in any of such routes so as to make a double-track railway.

Section 5. Said grantee shall commence construction within three months from the date when it has obtained complete legal authority to begin construction, including necessary permits from the city officials and departments and shall complete the construction of at least six miles of single track railway on or before January 1, 1905, otherwise this grant shall be thereupon forthwith and immediately forfeited, without judicial or other proceedings. If upon any of the routes above described, or upon any portion thereof, there shall not be constructed and in actual operation by July 1, 1906, a railway properly equipped and operated as provided by this ordinance, the said route or portion thereof shall be conclusively taken to have been abandoned by the company, and so much of the rights and franchises hereby granted as pertain to such routes, or parts of routes, not then constructed from and after July 1, 1906, shall be thereupon forthwith and immediately forfeited, without judicial or other proceedings. Provided that such time may be extended upon the same conditions as to forfeiture under and for causes specified in section 99 of the Railroad Law, as it now exists, and by a properly

executed instrument in writing; and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may similarly extend such time for a period or periods not exceeding one year, if, in their discretion, it seems best so to do, and that the city officials or departments who or which shall at the time of such construction have authority over the said streets and highways and bridges, may similarly extend, by properly executed instrument in writing, such time for a period or periods not exceeding one year further, if reasonable, in their judgment, by reason of requirements as to the manner of construction imposed by the city officials.

Section 6. If for any reason the right or franchise of the grantee in any of the streets, highways and bridges above described shall cease, or if for a period of six successive months the railway tracks upon any of such streets, highways and bridges shall not be operated as provided for in this ordinance, the Comptroller of The City of New York may require the grantee, its successors or assigns, to remove its tracks and other structures upon such streets, highways and bridges within thirty days after notice, and in default of their removal pursuant to such notice, the proper local authorities having jurisdiction may cause them to be removed and The City of New York may recover the cost and expenses of such removal, either by deducting them from the fund deposited as required in Section 7 hereof, or by action; and the rights and franchises of the grantee, its successors or assigns, in such portions of the streets, highways and bridges, in case any such exist, shall forthwith and immediately cease upon the removal of such tracks or structures and without judicial or other proceedings.

Section 7. This grant is upon the express condition that the New York and Long Island Traction Company, within thirty days after the said company has been duly authorized to operate its railway and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of three thousand dollars, either in money or in securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by such company of the terms and conditions of this grant, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charge for the franchise, the repairs of the street pavement and the removal of snow and ice, and the quality of construction of the railway and, in case of default in the performance by said company of such terms and conditions, The City of New York shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings, or after default in the payment of the annual charges shall collect the same with interest from such fund after ten days' notice in writing to the said company. Or in case of failure to keep the said terms and conditions of this grant relating to the headways of cars, fenders and wheel guards and the heating of the cars and the watering of the streets, the said company shall pay a penalty of \$50 a day for each day of violation, and the further sum of \$10 a day for each car which shall not properly be heated or supplied with fenders and wheel guards in case of the violation of the provisions relating to those matters. In case of any drafts so made upon this security fund, the said company shall, upon thirty days' notice, in writing, pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a sum of money sufficient to restore the said fund to the original amount of three thousand dollars, and in default thereof the grant hereby made may be cancelled and annulled at the option of the Comptroller of The City of New York, acting on behalf of said City. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this section shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

Section 8. This grant shall not become operative until said railway company shall duly execute, under its corporate seal, an instrument in writing wherein said company shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this ordinance fixed and contained, and file the same in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York within ten days after the adoption of this ordinance.

Section 9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, New York, November 24, 1903.

The foregoing proposed ordinance and grant of franchise was approved by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted November 20, 1903. It was received by the Board of Aldermen November 24, 1903, and on that day a resolution was adopted by the Board of Aldermen appointing Tuesday, the 8th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the consideration of the subject matter of such ordinance.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A BUILDING FOR ENGINE COMPANY NO. 131, ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF WATKINS STREET, 250 FEET SOUTH OF GLENMORE AVENUE, BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 150 days. The amount of security required is \$20,000.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.
Dated December 4, 1903. d4,17

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION AND COMPLETION OF THE HEATING AND POWER PLANT FOR NEW REPAIR SHOPS AT THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF TWELFTH AVENUE AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days. The amount of security required is \$3,000. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY NO. 118, LOCATED AT NO. 650 HART STREET, BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 45 days. The amount of security required is \$2,500. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner specified. Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 158 East Fifty-seventh street, Manhattan.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.
Dated December 4, 1903. d4,17

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A joint meeting of the Local Boards of the Bay Ridge and Flatbush Districts will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn on Monday, December 21, 1903, at 2 p. m., at which the following matters will be presented:

No. 1. Thirty-seventh street—Rescinding proceedings for opening Thirty-seventh street, between Fifth and Fort Hamilton avenues.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President,
Borough of Brooklyn.
JUSTIN MCCARTHY, JR., Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN adjourned meeting of the Heights Local Board of Public Improvements will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn on Wednesday, December 23, 1903, at 11 a. m., at which meeting the following matters will be submitted:

No. 1. Terrace Park Esplanade—Altering the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park or esplanade the property in the rear of Columbia Heights, extending from Midway to Joralemon street.

No. 2. Livingston street—Acquiring title to Livingston street, as widened, between Court street and Flatbush avenue.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President,
Borough of Brooklyn.
JUSTIN MCCARTHY, JR., Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN accordance with section 437 of the Charter of The City of New York, petitions signed by owners of property and residents of the Flatbush District for Local Improvements are on file in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and are ready for inspection, and that a meeting of the Flatbush Board of Local Improvements will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, December 17, 1903, at 2 p. m., at which meeting the following petitions will be submitted to the Local Boards:

A. To change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out as a public park the property bounded by Newkirk, Bedford, Foster and Ocean avenues.

No. 1. Lawrence avenue—Locating and laying out Lawrence avenue, from Ocean Boulevard to Coney Island avenue, and Newkirk avenue, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue, to a width of 60, 70 or 80 feet.

No. 2. Newkirk avenue—Locating and laying out an extension to Newkirk avenue, between East Thirty-fifth street and Albany avenue to a width of 60, 70 or 80 feet.

No. 3. East Twenty-fifth street—Acquiring title to East Twenty-fifth street (Bedford avenue), from Foster avenue to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, as previously laid out.

No. 4. Church avenue—Locating and laying out Church avenue, from East Eleventh street to Ocean Parkway, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

No. 5. Malbone street—Opening of Malbone street its entire length where not already done.

No. 6. Prospect street—Closing and discontinuing Prospect street, between Church avenue and Erasmus street.

No. 7. Clove road—Closing and discontinuing Clove road, between Clarkson street and Malbone street.

No. 8. Clarendon road—Regulating, grading and paving with asphalt and cement the sidewalks and curbs on Clarendon road, between Flatbush avenue and East Thirty-seventh street.

No. 9. Sherman street—Regulating, grading and paving and laying cement sidewalks and curbs on Sherman street, between Reeve place and Ocean Parkway.

No. 10. Sherman street—Constructing sewer in Sherman street, between Reeve place and Greenwood avenue and sewer basin on the northwest corner of Sherman street and Ocean Parkway.

No. 11. Avenue N—Regulating, grading and paving Avenue N, between Coney Island and Flatbush avenues.

No. 12. Rockaway avenue—Change of grade on Rockaway avenue, from Blake to Newport avenues and the street west of Rockaway avenue, and between said avenues as far west as Amboy street.

No. 13. East Thirty-fourth street—Regulating, grading and paving with asphalt East Thirty-fourth street, between Avenue F and Glenwood road.

No. 14. Rockaway avenue—Change in sewer plan affecting operations on the area covered in the change of grade as above.

No. 15. Cortelyou road—Constructing sewer basin on the southwest corner of Cortelyou road and East Thirtieth street.

No. 16. Prospect place—Construction of sewer in Prospect place, between Hopkinson avenue and East 30th street.

No. 17. Avenue D—Opening Avenue D, from East Thirty-seventh street to Ralph avenue.

No. 18. Ralph avenue—Opening Ralph avenue, from Avenue F to Paerdegat avenue.

No. 19. Avenue F—Opening Avenue F, from Paerdegat to Ralph avenue.

No. 20. Paerdegat avenue—Opening Paerdegat avenue, from Albany avenue to Avenue F, and from Ralph avenue to Flatlands avenue.

No. 21. Albany avenue—Opening Albany avenue, from Ditmas to Paerdegat avenue.

No. 22. Ditmas avenue—Opening Ditmas avenue, from East Thirty-seventh street to Albany avenue.

No. 23. Malbone street—Construction of sewer in Malbone street, between New York and Brooklyn avenues.

No. 24. East Thirty-seventh street—Constructing sewer in East Thirty-seventh street, between Avenue C and Avenue E, and outlet sewers as follows: Avenue D, between East Thirty-seventh street and Ralph avenue.

Ditmas avenue, between East Thirty-seventh street and Albany avenue.

Albany avenue, between Ditmas and Paerdegat avenues, northerly side.

Paerdegat avenue, northerly side, between Albany avenue and Avenue F.

Avenue F, between Paerdegat avenue, northerly side, and Ralph avenue.

Ralph avenue, between Avenue F and Paerdegat avenue, northerly side.

Paerdegat avenue, northerly side, between Ralph avenue and Flatlands avenue.

No. 25. Rockaway avenue—Flagging sidewalks on the east side of Rockaway avenue, between Sumpter and McDougal streets, and on the east side of Sumpter street, between Rockaway and Stone avenues, known as Lots Nos. 10 and 12, Block 1528, Twenty-fifth Ward Map, with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement.

No. 26. St. Mark's avenue—Flagging sidewalks on the north side of St. Mark's avenue, between Rockaway and Hopkinson avenues, known as Lots Nos. 52, 53, 54, 56 and 58, Block 1454, Twenty-sixth Ward Map.

No. 27. St. Mark's avenue—Flagging sidewalks on the north side of St. Mark's avenue, between Rockaway and Hopkinson avenues, known as Lots Nos. 52, 53, 54, 56 and 58, Block 1454, Twenty-sixth Ward Map.

No. 28. Howard avenue—Flagging sidewalks on the west side of Howard avenue between Bainbridge and Decatur streets, and on the north side of Bainbridge street, between Howard and Ralph avenues, known as Lots Nos. 42 and 48, Block 1504, Twenty-fifth Ward Map.

No. 29. Dean street—Flagging sidewalks on south side of Dean street, between Ralph and Buffalo avenues, known as Lots Nos. 20, 23, 33, 37, 43, Block 1351, Twenty-fourth Ward Map, with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement.

No. 30. Bergen street—Fencing lot on south side of Bergen street, between Buffalo and Ralph avenues, known as lot No. 22, Block 1357, Twenty-fourth Ward Map.

No. 31. Madison street—Fencing lots on the south side of Madison street, between Stuyvesant and Lewis avenues, and on the west side of Stuyvesant avenue, between Madison and Putnam, known as lots Nos. 35, 36 and 37, Block 1645, Twenty-third Ward Map.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President,
Borough of Brooklyn.
JUSTIN MCCARTHY, JR., Secretary.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN QUAY STREET, FROM EAST RIVER TO WEST STREET; WEST STREET, FROM QUAY STREET TO NORTH FIFTEENTH STREET; NORTH FIFTEENTH STREET, FROM WEST STREET TO ENGLAND AVENUE; ENGLAND AVENUE, FROM NORTH FIFTEENTH STREET TO HUMBOLDT STREET; ENGLAND AVENUE, FROM RUSSELL STREET TO NORTH HENRY STREET; WYTHE AVENUE, FROM NORMAN AVENUE TO NORTH FIFTEENTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,315 linear feet 66-inch brick sewer.

605 linear feet 60-inch brick sewer.

665 linear feet 54-inch brick sewer.

866 linear feet 48-inch brick sewer.

715 linear feet 36-inch brick sewer.

340 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

540 linear feet 24-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

660 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

405 linear feet 15-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

30 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

47 manholes.

1 receiving basin.

240,000 feet (B. M.) foundation planking and pile capping.

250,000 feet (B. M.) sheet piling and bracing.

28,000 linear feet piles.

1 receiving basin reconnected.

5 cubic yards concrete, other than shown in the sewer sections.

5 cubic yards brick masonry, other than shown in the sewer sections.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 200 working days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, per Board Measure, 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, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.
Dated November 30, 1903. d2,16

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

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1903, AT 9.30 a. m., the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, will sell at public auction the buildings, or parts of buildings within the lines of President street, between Troy avenue and Kingston avenue; Crown street, between Troy avenue and Kingston avenue, and

Montgomery street, between Troy avenue and Kingston avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

The sale will take place at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, at which office a plan and descriptions of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., may be examined.

Also on Tuesday, December 8, 1903, at 11.30 a. m., the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, will sell at public auction the buildings, or parts of building, etc., within the lines of Utica avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Overbaugh lane, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The sale will take place on the ground, and plan and description of the buildings, etc., may be examined at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of buildings, parts of buildings, etc., from the street by the purchaser or purchasers within twenty (20) days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail, to effect the removal within that time he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc.

OTTO KEMPNER, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn. n30,d8

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, Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

10,644 square feet.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is eighty (80) working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,000.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

15,804 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$900.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

17,922 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

14,898 square feet.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required is \$800.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

17,262 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

8,532 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

10,208 square feet.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

22,000 square feet.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 9. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

12,000 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 10. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

14,000 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 11. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of cement walk to be constructed is as follows:

13,500 square feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 12. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of fence to be erected is 1,294 linear feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$200.

No. 13. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of fence to be erected is 2,800 linear feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 14. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of fence to be erected is 1,482 linear feet.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is \$300.

No. 15. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of fence to be erected is 1,200 linear feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$200.

No. 16. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of fence to be erected is 1,400 linear feet.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is \$300.

No. 17. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of fence to be erected is 2,000 linear feet.

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

The amount of security required is \$300.

No. 18. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

600 square feet of bluestone flagging furnished and laid.

100 square feet of old flagstone to be relaid.

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

The amount of security required is \$300.

No. 19. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

600 square feet of bluestone flagging furnished and laid.

200 square feet of old flagstone to be relaid.

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

The amount of security required is \$300.

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J. EDW. SWANSTROM, President.
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No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HENDRIX STREET, FROM PITKIN AVENUE TO DUMONT AVENUE.

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

5,630 square yards of asphalt pavement.

780 cubic yards of concrete.

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

The amount of security required is \$15,000.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, FROM SEVENTH AVENUE TO THIRTEENTH AVENUE.

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

1,578 square yards of brick gutters, including concrete foundation.

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

1,846 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

4,735 linear feet of concrete curb.

3,310 square feet of concrete sidewalks.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is \$3,500.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FORTY-EVENTH STREET, FROM SIXTH AVENUE TO A POINT 220 FEET SOUTHEAST.

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

433 linear feet of new bluestone curb, including concrete foundation.

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

2,336 square feet of new flagstone.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is \$400.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING SIXTH AVENUE, FROM SIXTY-FIFTH STREET TO FORT HAMILTON AVENUE.

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

8,559 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

14,308 cubic yards of earth excavation.

13,504 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy (70) working days.

The amount of security required is \$10,000.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING MONTAUK AVENUE, FROM PITKIN AVENUE TO NEW LOTS ROAD.

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

14,765 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,500.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING MILFORD STREET, FROM PITKIN AVENUE TO NEW LOTS ROAD.

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

20,163 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is eighty (80) working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,000.

No. 10. FOR REMOVING EARTH ABOVE GRADE FROM PORTIONS OF PROSPECT AVENUE, SOUTH OF ELEVENTH AVENUE.

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

3,580 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is \$600.

No. 11. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THIRTY-NINTH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTH AVENUE, KNOWN AS LOT NO. 32, BLOCK 913, EIGHTH WARD MAP.

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

916 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 12. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF BUTLER PLACE AND STERLING PLACE, KNOWN AS LOT NO. 45, BLOCK 1,171, NINTH WARD MAP.

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

1,040 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 13. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN SIXTH AND SEVENTH AVENUES, KNOWN AS LOT NO. 62, BLOCK 767, EIGHTH WARD MAP.

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

5,130 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or class of work contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot or square yard or 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.

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n27,d16 J. EDW. SWANSTROM, President.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING THE GAS, AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING AND CLEANING THE 324 ILLUMINATED SIGN BOXES ON THE DIFFERENT STREETS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing the work will be from January 1, 1904, to January 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is \$1,500.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules

herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

n27,d16

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A PERGOLA ENTRANCE TO PROSPECT PARK.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 90 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is ten thousand dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS AROUND SARATOGA PARK AND SUNSET PARK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be thirty working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,

JOHN E. EUSTIS,

RICHARD YOUNG,

Commissioners.

Dated December 1, 1903. d3,17

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS, ALTERATIONS, NEW PLUMBING, TILING AND ROOFING WORK ON PUBLIC COMFORT STATION LOCATED IN CENTRAL PARK, NEAR CENTRE DRIVE, NORTH OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET TRANSVERSE ROAD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be forty-five consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is \$500.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,

JOHN E. EUSTIS,

RICHARD YOUNG,

Commissioners.

Dated December 2, 1903. d3,17

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1903.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND ALL MATERIAL FOR CONSTRUCTING THREE MUSIC PAVILIONS IN PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ENGINEERING INSTRUMENTS AND SUPPLIES AT CLAREMONT PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the full completion of the contract is as required before January 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is three hundred dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,

JOHN E. EUSTIS,

RICHARD YOUNG,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated November 27, 1903. n30,d10

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A MEN'S TOILET, WOMEN'S TOILET AND TOOL HOUSE IN THE NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN, IN BRONX PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is four thousand five hundred dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,

JOHN E. EUSTIS,

RICHARD YOUNG,

Commissioners.

Dated November 23, 1903. n25,d10

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE, S. I.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President at the above office until 3 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1903.

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF THE RICHMOND BOROUGH HALL, SITUATE AT JAY STREET AND SOUTH STREET AND STUYVESANT PLACE, ST. GEORGE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen calendar months.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I.; also at the office of Carrere & Hastings, architects, No. 28 East Forty-first street, New York.

A representative of the architects will be in attendance at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, New Brighton, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday between 9 a. m. and 12 m., to give bidders any required information.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Dated December 1, 1903. d3,23

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 4, 1903.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1903.

No. 1. FOR THE ERECTION OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING AT NOS. 232 AND 234 WEST SIXTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Time allowed for erecting and completing the building will be 300 days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

Bidders will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price for additional rock excavation, and a price for furnishing and setting engines, dynamos and dynamo switchboard complete.

The plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of contract and specifications obtained at the office of the architects, Messrs. Werner & Windolph, No. 27 West Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR THE ERECTION OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING ON EAST SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET AND JOHN JAY PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Time allowed for erecting and completing the building will be 300 days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

Bidders will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price for additional rock excavation.

The plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of contract and specifications may be obtained at the office of the architect, Arnold W. Brunner, No. 33 Union Square, Borough of Manhattan.

No. 3. FOR THE ERECTION OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING AT NOS. 538 AND 540 EAST ELEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Time allowed for erecting and completing the building will be 300 days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

Bidders will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also deductions or additions to be made for certain omissions and changes designated, and also a unit price for additional rock excavation.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of contract and specifications may be obtained at the office of the architect, Arnold W. Brunner, No. 33 Union Square, Borough of Manhattan.

Each of the above contracts must be bid for separately, as each contract is separate and for a distinct job.

JACOB A. CANTOR, Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 4, 1903. d4,15

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

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN—OFFICES COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES, ROOM 1739, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, DECEMBER 2, 1903.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1903, THE President of the Borough of Manhattan will sell, through Bryan L. Kennelly, auctioneer, at public auction, at 10 a. m., the following unclaimed articles, namely:

Stands, booths, signs, abandoned household furniture, office furniture, safe, brick, planks, timber, barrels of cement and lime, packing boxes, push-carts, iron beams, hoot-black stands, barrels, flagstones, painter's fixtures, scenery, iron pipe, store fixtures, butchers' fixtures, bales, rags, carts, trucks, etc. Also about twenty tons of scrap iron to be sold by the ton for the Bureau of Sewers.

The sale to commence at the corporation yard foot of Rivington street; thence to West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues; thence to No. 409 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

JACOB A. CANTOR, Borough President.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 25, 1903.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET, BETWEEN AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND MORNINGSIDE AVENUE, WEST.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

389 linear feet of salt glazed vitrified stoneware pipe sewer of 15-inch interior diameter.

25 linear feet of salt glazed vitrified stoneware pipe culvert of 12-inch interior diameter.

2 receiving basins of the circular pattern, with new style grate bars and old heads.

1,100 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

2,000 feet (B. M.) of timber and planking for foundation.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and twenty (120) working days.

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

The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13-21 Park row, Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan.

JACOB A. CANTOR, Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 25, 1903. n21,d8

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LAW BOOKS TO THE TWELFTH AND THIRTEENTH DISTRICTS MUNICIPAL COURTS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the contract is 30 days.

The amount of security

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE REMOVAL OF NIGHT SOIL, OFFAL AND DEAD ANIMALS FROM THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is during the year 1903, with optional renewals for four years.

The amount of security required is fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated November 28, 1903. n28,d10

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE FOUNDATIONS OF A FIREPROOF ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AT THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty consecutive working days.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated November 27, 1903. n27,d9

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO COMPLETE CERTAIN ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE BUILDINGS ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, AT THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty consecutive working days.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated November 27, 1903. n27,d9

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

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Trustees of the College of the City of New York, at the office of the Board, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1903.

No. 1. FOR MASON, STEEL, IRON, ROOFING, CARPENTER AND ELECTRIC WORK FOR THE BUILDINGS FOR THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO BE ERECTED ON THE PLOTS OF GROUND LOCATED ON ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and thirty (230) calendar days, beginning from February 15, 1904, and thirty-one additional calendar days for completing the tower of the main building from the ridge line of the roof of the assembly hall to the top.

The amount of security required will be not less than twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

No. 2. FOR HEATING AND VENTILATING WORK FOR THE BUILDING FOR THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO BE ERECTED ON THE PLOTS OF GROUND LOCATED ON ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and thirty (230) calendar days, beginning from February 15, 1904.

The amount of security required will be not less than twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

No. 3. FOR PLUMBING WORK FOR THE BUILDINGS FOR THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO BE ERECTED ON THE PLOTS OF GROUND LOCATED ON ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, AMSTERDAM AVENUE

AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and thirty (230) calendar days, beginning from February 15, 1904.

The amount of security required will be not less than twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

Bidders for this work must be engaged in and known to be well prepared to execute and carry out the same, in accordance with the plans and specifications, and must produce proof satisfactory to the Committee that they possess the necessary plant, tools, materials, etc., which will be required in the manufacture, construction and completion of the work.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality, and of the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared for the purpose, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon written application therefor at the office of the Architect, George B. Post, No. 33 East Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

The plans and drawings which are made a part of the specifications can be seen at Nos. 28 and 30 West Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if they deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

EDWARD LAUTERBACH, Chairman.

CHARLES PUTZEL, Secretary.

EDWARD M. SHEPARD,

I. F. MULQUEEN,

F. P. BELLAMY,

F. E. MILLER,

J. W. HYDE,

JAMES BYRNE,

HENRY M. TAFT,

HENRY A. ROGERS,

Board of Trustees and Committee on Buildings.
Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 25, 1903.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1903.**Borough of Manhattan.**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT A RUBBISH INCINERATOR AT THE FOOT OF STANTON STREET.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is six calendar months.

The amount of security required is fifteen thousand dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder.

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

F. M. GIBSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated November 30, 1903. d1,15

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1903.**Borough of Brooklyn.**

Contract No. 1.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOEING THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the full performance of the contract is the year 1904.

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Contract No. 2.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOEING THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

The time for the full performance of the contract is the year 1904.

The amount of security required is five thousand dollars.

The number of horses in the stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Brooklyn is estimated, for the purpose of testing and comparing the bids for the contract, at 650 draught horses and 28 driving horses.

The number of horses in the stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx is estimated, for the purpose of testing and comparing the bids for the contract, at 950 draught horses and 45 driving horses.

The prices are to be at agreed rate per month for draught horses and for driving horses, respectively, and these prices must be written out and must be given also in figures in the bids.

The bids will be compared and contracts awarded to the lowest bidder for each contract, for the entire year 1904, at the rate per month bid for the number of draught horses and driving horses as estimated above.

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

JOHN Mc G. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated November 23, 1903. n25,d10

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1903.**Borough of Manhattan.**

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT A THREE-COURSE PLASTIC SLATE ROOFING ON STABLE "A" OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

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

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. n21,d3

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

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN Mc GAW WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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.

CHAS. D. BLATCHFORD, 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. 16 Smith 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.

EDWARD E. DOONAN, Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Twenty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 658, Lots Nos. 1, 46 and 66.

TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Twenty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 661, Lot No. 22.

SEVENTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING, AND SETTING AND RESETTING CURB, between Forty-first street and Forty-third street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventh avenue, from Forty-first to Forty-third street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

NINTH WARD, SECTION 4.

DEAN STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the south side, between Flatbush and Sixth avenues, and on the east side of Flatbush avenue, between Dean street and Bergen street. Area of assessment: South corner of Dean street and Flatbush avenue, on Block 1135, Lot No. 11.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

SIXTH STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Sixth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Block 1084, Lots Nos. 44, 56, 59, 64 and 74.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 6.

MARCY AVENUE—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the east side, between Quincy street and Lexington avenue. Area of assessment: Northeast corner of Quincy street and Marcy avenue, on Block 1804, Lot No. 70.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

BERGEN STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the south side, between Troy and Schenectady avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Bergen street, between Troy and Schenectady avenues, on Block 1353, Lots Nos. 5, 7, 9, 10 and 11.

PROSPECT PLACE—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the north side, between Franklin and Bedford avenues. Area of assessment: Northeast corner of Franklin avenue and Prospect place, on Block 1224, Lot No. 1.

TROY AVENUE—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the east side, between St. Mark's avenue and Prospect place, and on the west side of SCHENECTADY AVENUE, between St. Mark's avenue and Prospect place. Area of assessment: East side of Troy avenue, extending about 153 feet south of St. Mark's avenue, and west side of Schenectady avenue, extending about 236 feet south of St. Mark's avenue.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

HERKIMER STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the north side, between Utica and Rochester avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Herkimer street, between Utica and Rochester avenues, on Block 1702, Lots Nos. 39, 61, 64 and 65.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

AVENUE C (CORTELYOU ROAD)—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the south side, between East Fourteenth and East Fifteenth streets. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of Avenue C (Cortelyou road) and East Fourteenth street, on Block 257, Lot No. 1.

AVENUE C (CORTELYOU ROAD)—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the north side, between East Thirteenth and East Fourteenth streets. Area of assessment: South side of Avenue C (Cortelyou road), between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street, on Block 250, Lot No. 9.

tween East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street, on Block 252, Lots Nos. 2 and 3.

AVENUE C (CORTELYOU ROAD)—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the south side, between Coney Island avenue and East Eleventh street. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of Avenue C (Cortelyou road) and East Eleventh street, on Block 250, Lot No. 9.

THIRTIETH WARD.

NEW UTRECHT AVENUE—LAYING SIDEWALKS on the east side, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets. Area of assessment: East side of New Utrecht avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, on Block 225, Lots Nos. 19 to 25, inclusive, and 36.

That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 3, 1903, and entered on December 4, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 2, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 4, 1903. d5,18

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

HOFFMAN STREET—OPENING, from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street. Confirmed March 27, 1903; entered December 1, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the southwest-erly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Lorillard place and Bathgate avenue, with the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; running thence northeasterly along said prolongation and middle line and its northeasterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and distant 150 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hughes avenue; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and middle line to the northerly line of Crescent avenue; thence westerly along said line of Crescent avenue and its westerly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly line of Arthur avenue and distant 150 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly and northwesterly along said line and a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly line of Belmont place and distant 150 feet southwesterly therefrom to the southeasterly line of Third avenue; thence northwesterly to the intersection of the northwesterly line of Third avenue with the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence northwesterly along said northeasterly line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the dates hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 30, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 1, 1903. d3,16

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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 Friday, January 8, 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 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 24, 1896, and recorded in the Kings County Register's Office on December 29, 1896, in Section 21, Liber 3 of Conveyances, page 249, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as and by the number 93 upon the assessment roll for the opening of Neptune avenue, between West Sixth street and Ocean parkway, in the late Town of Gravesend, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which was sold to the Town of Gravesend at a sale for unpaid assessments held on the 24th day of December, 1896, for the sum of \$6.66, and which said lot is therefore 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 ten dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$10.37); the purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fees and 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 sale, together with the further sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) for expenses of examination, advertising, conveyance, etc. The quit-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 a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held November 18, 1903.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1903.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the EIGHTH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 365 of the Laws of 1889, and the act amendatory thereof, and chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 amendatory thereof, to wit:

FORTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second avenue to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-first street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-THIRD STREET—GRADING. from Fifth avenue to the old City line (excepting from Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue). Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on Seventh and Eighth avenues.

FORTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, Lots Nos. 23 to 33, inclusive, of Block 225.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING. from Fifth avenue to old City line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-eighth street, between Fifth avenue and the old City line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues; also, Lots Nos. 9 to 12, inclusive, of Block 229; also, Lot No. 39, of Block 249.

FIFTIETH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fiftieth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SECOND STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, Lots Nos. 104 and 111 of Block 222.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

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FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between First avenue and Second avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between First and Second avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING. from Thirty-ninth street to Forty-first street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-first streets, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets.

SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING. from Thirty-ninth street to old City line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old City line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the following-named intersecting streets, viz.: Fortieth, Forty-first, Forty-fourth to Forty-eighth, inclusive, Fiftieth to Fifty-ninth, inclusive.

SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING. from Forty-fourth street to old City line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Forty-fourth street to old City line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting streets, excepting Forty-ninth street.

SEVENTH AVENUE—GRADING. from Thirty-ninth street to old City line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventh avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old City line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting streets west of Seventh avenue; also, to the same extent on the intersecting streets between Thirty-ninth and Fifty-second streets east of Seventh avenue; also, on the intersecting streets from Fifty-second to Fifty-sixth street, between Seventh avenue and the City line.

—that the same were confirmed by the Supreme Court, Kings County, on November 9, 1900, and that the Board of Assessors of The City of New York thereafter levied and assessed the "Fourth Installment" thereon, and transmitted the same to the Comptroller on November 16, 1903, for entry and collection.

That said "Fourth Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and unless the amount thereof assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after December 1, 1903, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from December 1, 1903, to the date of payment.

The owner of any parcel of land assessed for any of the foregoing assessments may, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 365, Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 452, Laws of 1890; chapter 520, Laws of 1895, and chapter 736, Laws of 1896, at any time after the first installment becomes due and payable, pay all the installments not levied of said assessments, and the same will be thereupon canceled.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 30, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1903.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment bills for the "Seventh Installment" in the following-named matters have been completed and are due and payable December 1, 1903. The authority for the collection of the various assessments mentioned therein has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office, Rooms 1 and 3, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

EIGHTH WARD.

Opening and Grading the Following-named Streets:

Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Eighty avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old City line.

Also for Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-eighth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to the old City line.

Fiftieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fiftieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-third street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Also for Opening, Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-third street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fourth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Opening:

Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old City line.

Fiftieth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Grading:

Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to the old City line.

Also for Grading, Paving and Street Busins:

Fifth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old City line.

EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, as amended by chapter 888, Laws of 1895, and section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and section 937, chapter 466, Laws of 1901.

On all * * * assessments which shall be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum for the unexpired portion thereof. On all * * * assessments * * * paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable there shall be added to and collected as part of every such * * * assessment * * * interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable to the date of said payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1903.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue and streets in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 13.

PITKIN AVENUE—OPENING. from Stone avenue to the line between the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Confirmed November 6, 1903; entered November 27, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Stone avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Pitkin avenue and Glenmore avenue; running thence easterly and parallel with Pitkin avenue to the line dividing the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens; running thence southerly along the line dividing the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens to a point distant 205 feet, more or less, southerly from the southerly line of Pitkin avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with Pitkin avenue to the easterly side of Stone avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Stone avenue to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

NINETY-SEVENTH STREET—OPENING. from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue. Confirmed November 12, 1903; entered November 27, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue distant 178 feet and 1 inch northerly from the northerly side of Ninety-seventh street; running thence westerly and parallel with Ninety-seventh street to the easterly side of Fourth avenue; thence across Fourth avenue to the southwest corner of Fourth avenue and Ninety-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of Ninety-sixth street 100 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Fourth avenue to the middle line of the block between Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets; thence westerly along the middle line of the block between Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets to the middle line of the block between Third and Fourth avenues; thence southerly and along the middle line of the block between Third and Fourth avenues to the middle line of the block between Ninety-seventh street and Marine avenue; thence easterly and along the middle line of the block between Ninety-seventh street and

Marine avenue to the westerly side of Fourth avenue; thence across Fourth avenue to a point on the easterly side of Fourth avenue distant 150 feet southerly from the southerly side of Ninety-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with Ninety-seventh street to the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue, and thence northerly along the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 21.

EAST EIGHTH STREET—OPENING. from Avenue T to Gravesend Neck road. Confirmed September 30, 1903; entered November 27, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Avenue T where the same intersects the centre line of the block between East Eighth street and East Ninth street; running thence southerly and parallel with East Eighth street to the northerly side of Avenue V; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Avenue V to a point opposite the prolongation of the centre line of the block between East Eighth street and Coney Island avenue; running thence southerly and parallel with Coney Island avenue to the northerly side of Gravesend Neck road; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Gravesend Neck road to the middle line of the block between East Eighth street and East Seventh street; running thence northerly through the centre line of the block between East Seventh street and East Eighth street to the southerly side of Avenue T; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Avenue T to the point or place of beginning.

EAST NINTH STREET—OPENING. from Avenue U to Avenue V. Confirmed September 30, 1903; entered November 27, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Avenue U, where the same intersects the middle line of the block between Coney Island avenue and East Ninth street; running thence southerly and parallel with Coney Island avenue to the northerly side of Avenue V; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Avenue V to the centre line of the block between East Eighth street and East Ninth street; running thence northerly through the centre line of the block between East Eighth street and East Ninth street to the southerly side of Avenue U; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Avenue U to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 22.

EAST SIXTEENTH STREET—OPENING. from Avenue T to Avenue V. Confirmed September 30, 1903; entered November 27, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Avenue T, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between East Sixteenth street and East Seventeenth street; running thence southerly through the centre line of the block between East Sixteenth street and East Seventeenth street to the northerly side of Avenue V; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Avenue V to a point distant 75 feet, more or less, westerly of the westerly side of East Sixteenth street; running thence northerly and parallel with East Sixteenth street to the southerly side of Avenue T; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Avenue T to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the dates hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 26, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 27, 1903.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SECOND AND TWENTY-NINTH WARDS, SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 16.

PROSPECT AVENUE—OPENING. between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place. Confirmed August 31, 1903; entered November 24, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly side of Prospect Park, West (Ninth avenue) with the northeasterly side of Twentieth street; running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly side of Prospect Park, West, to its intersection with the southeasterly side of Fifteenth street; thence southeasterly along the southeasterly side of Fifteenth street to its intersection with the westerly side of Coney Island avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Coney Island avenue to the northerly side of Ocean parkway; thence westerly along the northerly side of Ocean parkway and its prolongation to the westerly side of Prospect avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Prospect avenue to the northerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue; thence westerly along the

northerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue to the easterly side of Gravesend avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Gravesend avenue to the southeasterly corner of Twentieth street and Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the northeasterly side of Twentieth street to the place of beginning.

The above assessment was entered on the date herebefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 23, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 24, 1903.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named streets and avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 10 AND 11.

BRYANT STREET—OPENING. from north line of the L. S. Samuel property to Woodruff street. Confirmed May 28, 1903; entered November 23, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Longfellow street with the northeasterly side of Hunt's Point road; running thence northerly along said northeasterly side of Hunt's Point road to the easterly side of Faile street; thence northerly along said easterly side of Faile street and its prolongation northerly to the northeasterly side of Westchester avenue; thence northerly to the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the southerly prolongation of the easterly side of Vyse street; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and easterly side of Vyse street and its prolongation northerly to the northerly side of Boston road; thence northerly along the northerly prolongation of the radius of the curve forming said northerly side of Boston road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Boston road and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the radius drawn from the intersection of the northeasterly prolongation of the northeasterly side of Longfellow street with the curve forming the northerly side of Boston road; thence southerly along said radius to the aforesaid intersection of the northerly side of Boston road with the northeasterly prolongation of the northeasterly side of Longfellow street; thence southerly and southeasterly along said northeasterly prolongation and westerly side of Longfellow street to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—OPENING. from Jerome avenue to Webster avenue. Confirmed March 26, 1903; entered November 23, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street with the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue, East; running thence northerly along said line of Aqueduct avenue, East, to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Evelyn place; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence easterly and southerly along the line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street as the same is between Webster avenue and Park avenue, West; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation, parallel line and its easterly prolongation to the easterly line of Park avenue, East; thence northerly along said line of Park avenue, East, to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bassford avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, as the same are between Washington avenue and Park avenue, East; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation, middle line, and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the westerly line of Webster avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Webster avenue to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly and southeasterly along said line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation, line of East One Hundred and

Eighty-second street, and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence easterly along last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

CRESCENT AVENUE—OPENING. from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street. Confirmed April 24, 1903; entered November 23, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; running thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Crotona avenue and Prospect avenue; thence southerly to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence westerly to the middle line of the block between Beaumont avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Cambreling avenue and Beaumont avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Hughes avenue and Belmont avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Adams place and Hughes avenue; thence southerly to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southerly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street with the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hughes avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of that portion of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Oak Tree place, lying between Arthur avenue and Lafontaine avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of the block between Lafontaine avenue and Monterey avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Quarry road to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly to the northerly line of Quarry road; thence northerly along said last mentioned parallel line and northerly along a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Belmont place to the southeasterly line of Third avenue; thence still northerly to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Third avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line and its northerly prolongation to the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly to the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of the south-easterly line of Lorillard place with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northerly line of Third avenue; thence southeasterly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lorillard place and Hoffman street; thence northerly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Belmont place and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, lying between Arthur avenue and Hoffman street, said line being parallel with East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly to its intersection with the middle of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hoffman street; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly to the middle line of the blocks between Hughes avenue and Arthur avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; thence easterly to the middle line of the blocks between Cambreling avenue and Belmont avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly to its intersection with the prolongation of the middle line of the block between Cambreling avenue and Beaumont avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence southerly to the point or place of beginning.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 22, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 23, 1903.
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NEW YORK, December 1, 1903.

Under the provisions of section 919 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons or corporations who have omitted to pay their taxes, "TO PAY THE SAME IN THE BOROUGH IN WHICH THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED," as follows:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. corner Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.
BOROUGH OF QUEENS. corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND. corner Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton, Staten Island, N. Y.
—and that under the provisions of section 916 of said Charter, "IF ANY SUCH TAX shall remain unpaid on the first day of December, it shall be the duty of the Receiver of Taxes to charge, receive and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount thereof, and to charge, receive and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the day on which said taxes became due and payable (October 5, 1903), as provided by section nine hundred and fourteen of this act, to the date of payment."

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,
March 26, 1903.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture, with patented articles	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt)	
Not over 2 years	15,000
Over 2 years	5,000
School building repairs	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus	5,000
New buildings—New docks	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water mains—	
Not over 2 years	10,000
Over 2 years	5,000

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Board of Trustees at the above office until 3.30 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1903.

FOR MEDICAL SUPPLIES.

The surety required shall be not less than 50 per cent (50%) of the amount of the bid.

The time for the delivery of the articles and the completion of the work is as required, and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904.

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, gram, dozen, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and award 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 may be obtained at the office of the Board, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN, President of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated November 25, 1903. n27,d8

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"New York Tribune," "New York World."

Evening—"Evening Sun," "Commercial Advertiser."

Weekly—"Freeman's Journal," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"New York Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by Board of City Record, June 30, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRUGS, MEDICINES, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twenty-third street.

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.
Dated December 1, 1903. d1,17

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING POULTRY, SALT, PORK, APPLES, ETC., FOR CHRISTMAS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 5 days.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twenty-third street.

THOS. W. HYNES, Commissioner.
Dated November 23, 1903. n27,d17

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GENERAL APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES FOR THE DEPARTMENTS OF CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS, BIOLOGY, PHOTOGRAPHY AND PHYSIOGRAPHY AND BOTANICAL AND ZOOLOGICAL SUPPLIES TO THE HIGH SCHOOLS, SUPPLIES FOR USE OF NURSES AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES FOR THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904.

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

Bidders must enter their prices under the separate headings, and in estimating the amount of their bid upon which security will be required, said security must be based on the highest price quoted on each item.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose goods are the same or equal to the samples

furnished for inspection or referred to by catalogue number. The said reference is made only as a means of briefly describing the articles called for.

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 Acting Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

PATRICK JONES, Acting Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 4, 1903. d4,15

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

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

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1903.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNITURE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 34, (76), ON AMETHYST AVENUE AND VICTOR STREET, VAN NEST PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 60 working days. The amount of security required is— Item 1, \$500. Item 2, \$500.

Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 28, ON THE WEST SIDE OF SIXTH STREET, BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND AVENUES, COLLEGE POINT, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 90 working days. The amount of security required is \$9,000. The bids will be compared on Contract No. 2 and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder. On Contract No. 1 the bidders must state the price of each or any article of 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 manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Also at Branch Office No. 60 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

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

November 25, 1903. n25,d7

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the "City Record" for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE examination for promotion from Deputy Chief to CHIEF IN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, which was called for November 30, 1903, is canceled.

Applications for the following positions will be received until further notice: Trained Nurse. Nurse.

POLICE SURGEON—Monday, December 7, 1903, at 10 a. m.

Applications for this position will be received until Saturday, December 5, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon. The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge.....	6
Experience	4

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the technical paper. The minimum age is 21.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1903.

Borough of The Bronx.

Contract No. 776.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A RIVER EMBANKMENT ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF RIVER'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and

the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 365 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$110,000.

Borough of The Bronx.

Contract No. 812.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING IN CROMWELL'S CREEK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 60 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$6,400.

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

The work will be required to be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated November 24, 1903. d3,15

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1903.

for a lease of the following described wharf property, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining an ice bridge, tally house and scales thereon, for a term of five years from a date thirty days after said lease shall be approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

The northeastern side of the platform recently built in the rear of the approach to Pier No. 47, North river, said side having a water front length of 102.94 feet.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No bid will be accepted which shall be less than the sum of \$2,340 per annum.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease, on wharf property contiguous to the above-described premises, an ice bridge, tally house and scales. The plans and specifications for said ice bridge, tally house and scales to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids; should a bid, however, be accepted, the said Commissioner will prepare a form of lease and transmit same to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with a recommendation that said lease be approved by said Commissioners. The said form of lease shall contain the usual terms, conditions and covenants at present embodied in leases of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time, during the term of said lease, as may be considered necessary or proper by the Commissioner of Docks, in the basins or slips or water adjacent to the said premises.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Department of Docks and Ferries at the time of the award five per cent. (5%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which five per cent (5%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, and the said successful bidder will be required to agree that he will, upon three days' notice so to do, execute a lease, the form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place; and also to furnish a bond or obligation in the sum of double the annual rent for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the surties on bond to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 27, 1903.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks. n28,d9

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1903.

for a lease of the following described wharf property, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining a dumping board thereon, for a term of five years from a date thirty days after said lease shall be approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Beginning at a point where the southerly line of the pier at the foot of East Twenty-first street intersects the bulkhead wall; thence running easterly along the southerly side of said pier about 123 feet; thence northerly at right angles to the southerly side of said pier about 10 feet; thence westerly and parallel with the southerly side of said pier about 140 feet to a point on the line of the bulkhead wall; thence southeasterly along the line of said bulkhead wall about 25 feet to the point of beginning.

The dumping board to be 30 feet long, longitudinally with the pier, and 10 feet wide inshore from the pier, with an 18-foot over-hang and a ramp 90 feet long.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No bid will be accepted which shall be less than the sum of \$3,000 per annum.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease, on wharf property contiguous to the above-described premises, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dump, and the Commissioner of Docks agrees to set aside such wharf property under his jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dump. The plans and specifications for said dump and runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

There shall be kept posted in at least two conspicuous places on the pier, so that same can be readily seen by passers-by from the street, printed in large type, the prices to be charged by the lessee to the public for the privilege of dumping cellar dirt, which prices are also made a condition of the lease, to be not more than twenty-five cents per cubic yard, and also as follows:

For regular and ordinary dumping carts which contain two cubic yards, not exceeding fifty cents.

For an ordinary cellar digger's cart which contains one and one-half cubic yards, not exceeding thirty-five cents.

For brick trucks containing between two and one-quarter and two and one-half cubic yards, not exceeding sixty cents.

The lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times during said term keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received, the quantity of material dumped thereat, rates charged therefor and names of persons using said dump; said books of account shall at all times during said term be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids; should a bid, however, be accepted, the said Commissioner will prepare a form of lease and transmit same to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with a recommendation that said lease be approved by said Commissioners. The said form of lease shall contain the usual terms, conditions and covenants at present embodied in leases of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time, during the term of said lease, as may be considered necessary or proper by the Commissioner of Docks, in the basins or slips or water adjacent to the said premises.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Department of Docks and Ferries at the time of the award five per cent. (5%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which five per cent (5%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, and the said successful bidder will be required to agree that he will, upon three days' notice so to do, execute a lease, the form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place; and also to furnish a bond or obligation in the sum of double the annual rent for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the surties on bond to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 27, 1903.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks. n28,d9

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

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 782.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STONES FOR BULK HEAD OR RIVER WALL, IN CLASSES, AS FOLLOWS:

Class I. Granite headers and stretchers, about 19,400 cubic feet.

Class II. Granite coping stones, about 7,000 cubic feet.

Class III. Limestone headers and stretchers, about 19,400 cubic feet.

Class IV. Limestone coping stones, about 7,000 cubic feet.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is—for Classes I. and III., one hundred and twenty calendar days, and for Classes II. and IV., sixty calendar days.

The amount of security will be, for— Class I., \$8,000. Class II., \$3,500. Class III., \$5,500. Class IV., \$2,800.

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 and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated November 23, 1903. n25,d7

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

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 819.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO PIER AT STANTON STREET, EAST RIVER, AND PIER AT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of thirty (30) calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$4,000.

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

Repairs 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.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated November 23, 1903. n25,d7

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

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

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 822.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST NINE-TY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of thirty (30) calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$3,000.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be

obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated November 23, 1903. n25,d7

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

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, every Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m., or at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 24, 1903.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1903.

FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE ELECTRIC WIRING, FIXTURES, ETC., FOR THE LIGHTING OF THE WILLIAMSBURG (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE, OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The work must be entirely completed within forty consecutive working days after the contractor receives notice from the Commissioner to begin work.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

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

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges. n27,d9

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

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

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

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

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

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

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

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on TWELFTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, duly selected according to law as a site for school purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Clinton T. Roe, John E. Van Nostrand and Archibald M. Simpson, who were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal by an order dated November 21, 1903, will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of December, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., to be examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceedings, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated New York, December 3, 1903. GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City. d5,16

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the land deemed necessary for the construction of a BRIDGE OVER THE BRONX RIVER, at East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue), in The City of New York, authorized by chapter 657 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 4, 1903.

ROBERT O'BYRNE, PATK. F. FERRIGAN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d4,15

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from the old City line to West street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of January, 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 Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point where the old City line is intersected by the centre line of the block between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets; running thence southeasterly along the centre line of the blocks between Fifty-third street and Fifty-fourth street to the easterly side of Twenty-first avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Twenty-first avenue and its prolongation to the easterly side of West street; running thence northerly along the easterly side of West street 3.21 feet to the northerly side of Fifty-third street, if prolonged to the easterly side of West street; running thence northerly along the northerly side of Fifty-third street to the westerly side of West street; running thence northerly along the westerly side of West street to the centre line of the block between Fifty-third street and Fifty-second street; running thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between Fifty-third street and Fifty-second street to the old City line; running thence southerly along the old City line to the place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 4, 1903.

JOSE E. PIDGEON,

Chairman;

WILLIAM H. GOOD,

FREDERICK I. PEARSALL,

Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d4,21

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Prospect Park, West (Ninth avenue), in the Twenty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of January, 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 Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Seventh avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighth street and Seventh street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighth street and Seventh street to the westerly side of Prospect Park, West (Ninth avenue); running thence southerly along the westerly side of Prospect Park, West (Ninth avenue) to the centre line of the block between Eighth street and Ninth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighth street and Ninth street to the easterly side of Seventh avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Seventh avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 4, 1903.

FREDERICK COBB,

Chairman;

HENRY W. ROZELL,

FRANK J. PRICE,

Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d4,21

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Narrows avenue to Fifth avenue; from Fort Hamilton avenue to Tenth

avenue; from Twelfth avenue to Waters avenue; from Fifteenth avenue to Sixteenth avenue, and from Eighteenth avenue to Stillwell avenue, in the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of January, 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 Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Narrows avenue and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly side of Eighty-fifth street; running thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-fifth street to the westerly side of Fifth avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Fifth avenue to the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street to the easterly side of Narrows avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Narrows avenue to the place of beginning.

Also: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Fort Hamilton avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-fourth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-fourth street to the westerly side of Tenth avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Tenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street to the easterly side of Fort Hamilton avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Fort Hamilton avenue to the point of beginning.

Also: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Twelfth avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighty-fourth street and Eighty-fifth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-fourth street and Eighty-fifth street to the easterly side of Waters avenue; running thence southerly along the easterly side of Waters avenue to the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street to the easterly side of Twelfth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to the place of beginning.

Also: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Fifteenth avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-fourth street; running thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-fifth street to the westerly side of Sixteenth avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Sixteenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street to the easterly side of Fifteenth avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Fifteenth avenue to the place of beginning.

Also: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Eighteenth avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-fourth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-fourth street to the westerly side of Stillwell avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Stillwell avenue to the centre line of the block between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street to the easterly side of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Eighteenth avenue to the place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 4, 1903.

EDWARD C. DOWLING,

Chairman;

JAMES E. ADAMS,

JABEZ M. LYLE,

Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d4,21

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PINE STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so

objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of January, 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 Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Glenmore avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Pine street and Crescent street; running thence southerly along the centre line of the blocks between Pine street and Crescent street to the northerly side of Sutter avenue; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Sutter avenue to the centre line of the block between Pine street and Euclid avenue; running thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between Euclid avenue and Pine street to the southerly side of Glenmore avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Glenmore avenue to the place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 4, 1903.

EDWARD J. KENNY, JR.,

Chairman;

A. C. DE GRAW,

JOSIAH B. BOONE,

Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d4,21

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of December, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of January, 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 Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of East Seventeenth street and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly side of Avenue S; running thence easterly and parallel with Avenue S 80 feet; running thence southerly and parallel with East Seventeenth street to a point intersected by a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of Gravesend Neck road and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Gravesend Neck road; running thence westerly and parallel with Gravesend Neck road to a point intersected by a line drawn parallel with East Seventeenth street and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; running thence northerly and parallel with East Seventeenth street to the intersection of a line drawn parallel with Avenue S and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly side of Avenue S; running thence easterly and parallel with Avenue S to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 4, 1903.

G. F. ELLIOTT,

Chairman;

R. S. CORTELYOU,

HARRY A. TERREL,

Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d4,21

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier, old No. 23, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of October, 1903, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 28th day of October, 1903, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges to be taken herein for the improvement of the water front on the East river,

in the Borough of Manhattan, and which said wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges so to be taken, are described as follows:

All interest in the pier known as Pier, old 23, East river, at the foot of Beekman street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, said interest being an undivided half interest; said pier is situated at the foot of Beekman street, with its easterly side about 15 feet westerly of the easterly side of Beekman street, and is bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead between Beekman street and Peck slip, distant 7 feet westerly from a point in said bulkhead where the southerly extension of the easterly line of Beekman street intersects the same, and running thence southerly along the easterly side of Pier, old 23, a distance of 241 feet;

Thence deflecting to the west and running still southerly along the easterly side of said pier a distance of 61 feet;

Thence deflecting to the west and running still southerly along the easterly side of said pier a distance of 120.6 feet to the outer end of said pier;

Thence westerly along the outer end of said pier 42 feet to the westerly side of Pier, old 23;

Thence northerly along the westerly side of said pier 80 feet;

Thence deflecting to the west and running still northerly along the westerly side of said pier a distance of about 254 feet to the old bulkhead or northerly end of said pier;

Thence easterly along the old bulkhead a distance of 40 feet to the point or place of beginning.

All parties and persons interested in the said wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, 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, Room No. 401, on the fourth floor of the building No. 258 Broadway, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, 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 office, above specified, on the 28th day of December, 1903, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, or at such other or further 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 or allegations as may be then offered by such owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, December 2, 1903.

BENNO LEWINSON,

Chairman;

GRENVILLE B. WINTHROP,

LEONARD J. OBERMEIER,

Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. d2,23

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring the right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, wharf or dock property situated on the southerly side of South street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, commencing on the easterly side of Pier, old No. 23, East river, and extending easterly to the westerly side of Pier, old No. 24, East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of October, 1903, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 28th day of October, 1903, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, wharf or dock property situated on the southerly side of South street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, commencing on the easterly side of Pier, old No. 23, East river, and extending easterly to the westerly side of Pier, old No. 24, East river, to be taken herein for the improvement of the water front on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

All parties and persons interested in the said wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, 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, Room No. 401, on the fourth floor of the building, No. 258 Broadway, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, 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 office, above specified, on the 28th day of December, 1903, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, or at such other or further 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 or allegations as may be then offered by such owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, December 2, 1903.

BENNO LEWINSON,

Chairman;

GRENVILLE B. WINTHROP,

LEONARD J. OBERMEIER,

Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. d2,23

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of HAWKSTONE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1903; the 17th day of July, 1903, and the 27th day of October, 1903, 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 2d day of June, 1903; the 17th day of July, 1903, and the 4th day of November, 1903, 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, Blocks Nos. 2836, 2837 and 2838. 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 2d day of June, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 29th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 1, 1903.
ISAAC N. ROTH,
WM. D. PULIS,
FRANCIS DE R. WISSMANN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d1,23

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Second avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of December, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 31st day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Second avenue and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly side of Seventy-fourth street; running thence easterly and parallel with Seventy-fourth street to the easterly side of Sixth avenue; running thence southerly along the easterly side of Sixth avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-fourth street and Seventy-third street; running thence easterly and parallel with Seventy-third street to the westerly side of Seventh avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Seventh avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-fourth street and Seventy-fifth street; running thence westerly and parallel with Seventy-fourth street to the easterly side of Sixth avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Sixth avenue to where the same intersects the prolongation of a line drawn parallel with Seventy-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of that portion of Seventy-fourth street lying west of Sixth avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with Seventy-fourth street to the easterly side of Second avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Second avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 1, 1903.
FRANK G. MILLER,
THOS. C. WHITLOCK,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d1,17

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth avenue to Stewart avenue, and from Fourth avenue to Shore road,

in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of December, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 31st day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Tenth avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighty-second street and Eighty-third street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-second street and Eighty-third street to the easterly side of Stewart avenue; running thence southerly along the easterly side of Stewart avenue to the centre line of the block between Eighty-third street and Eighty-fourth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-third street and Eighty-fourth street to the westerly side of Tenth avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly side of Tenth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the westerly side of Fourth avenue where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Eighty-second street and Eighty-third street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Eighty-second street and Eighty-third street to the easterly side of Shore road; running thence southerly along the easterly side of Shore road to the centre line of the block between Eighty-third street and Eighty-fourth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block between Eighty-third street and Eighty-fourth street to the westerly side of Fourth avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly side of Fourth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 1, 1903.
JAS. F. QUIGLEY,
Chairman;
CORNELIUS VAN BRUNT,
PETER F. W. RUTHER,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d1,17

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST TWELFTH STREET, from Avenue T to Sheepshead Bay road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 31st day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Avenue T where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Intersect avenue and East Twelfth street; running thence southerly along the centre line of the blocks between Intersect avenue and East Twelfth street to the northerly side of Sheepshead Bay road; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Sheepshead Bay road to the easterly side of East Twelfth street; running thence southerly along the easterly side of East Twelfth street to the southerly side of Sheepshead Bay road; running thence northwesterly and westerly along the southerly side of Sheepshead Bay road to the westerly side of East Twelfth street; running thence northerly along the westerly side of East Twelfth street to the northerly side of Sheepshead Bay road; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Sheepshead Bay road to the centre line of the block between East Twelfth street and Coney Island avenue; running thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between East Twelfth street and Coney Island avenue to the southerly side of Avenue T; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Avenue T to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

York, on the 8th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 1, 1903.

LEVI W. NAYLOR,
Chairman;
EDWIN V. MORRISON,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d1,17

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 ORCHARD STREET, or EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Boscobel avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, in re petition of Louis A. Risse relative to damage caused by the closing and discontinuance of Orchard street (Highbridge street), between Orchard avenue and Marcher avenue.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1903, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 30, 1903.

WILLIAM A. McQUAID,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
DANIEL F. McCANN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n30,d10

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 BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1903, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 30, 1903.

WILBER McBRIDE,
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n30,d10

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 EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Moshulu Parkway, South, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1903, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 30, 1903.

ROBT. E. DEYO,
WILLIAM S. RODIE,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n30,d10

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 CAMBRELENG AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Grote street to St. John's College, 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 18th day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of December, 1903, at 12 o'clock 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 of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly line of Belmont avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly line to its intersection with the southerly line of the lands of St. John's College; thence easterly along said line to its intersection with the westerly line of Crotona avenue; thence southerly along said westerly line to the northerly line of Pelham avenue; thence southerly to the intersection of the northerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, which crosses Crotona avenue, with the westerly line of Beaumont avenue; thence southerly along said westerly line and its southerly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of Garden street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly line of Grote street and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line and its southwesterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly 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 Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 19, 1903.

THEODORE E. SMITH,
Chairman;
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,
MYER J. STEIN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n28,d16

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 purpose of opening and extending TIER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from North street to Main street, City Island, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of December, 1903, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Eastchester Bay with the middle line of the blocks between Tier avenue and Bay avenue (Adams street); running thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of North street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Bay avenue (Adams street) and Fordham avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned middle line of the blocks and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Main street; thence northerly along said line drawn parallel to Main street to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Vickery lane and Cemetery lane; thence easterly along said last-mentioned middle line of the block and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Lafayette avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Ditmars street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of Eastchester Bay; thence southwesterly along the southeasterly line of Eastchester Bay to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 20, 1903.
OSWALD M. JACOBY,
Chairman;
D. J. RIORDAN,
JOSEPH W. SAVAGE,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n28,d16

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 EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Moshulu Parkway, South, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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 PROSPECT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1903.

THEODORE E. SMITH,
JOHN J. QUINLAN,
AUGUST MOEBUS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands required for the opening, widening and extending of ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Circle at Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue, and that part of the westerly side of Lenox avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth street and Avenue St. Nicholas, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1903.

JAMES A. DUNN,
PHILIP A. SMYTH,
GEO. E. BABCOCK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ALDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1903.

CHARLES HAZEN RUSSELL,
BENJ. OPPENHEIMER,
ANDREW RUEHL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening QUARRY ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1903.

SIDNEY J. COWEN,
EUGENE S. WILLARD,
JOHN COTTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GUBNER STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.

JAMES I. McINERNEY,
E. LYNDSEY BOURKE,
SOLON BARBANELL,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening RUTLAND ROAD, from Canarsie avenue or road to Remsen avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.

HENRY MARSHALL,
THOMAS H. WAGSTAFF,
E. D. CHILDS,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST EIGHT-EENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.

HENRY M. DATER,
FRANKLIN B. VAN WART,
HUGH MOORE,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, from Avenue M to Avenue L, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.

FREDERICK I. PEARSALL,
GEORGE W. MARTIN,
HERSEY EGGINTON,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GRANT AVENUE, from Liberty avenue to Conduit avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

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Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.

JOHN B. SHANAHAN,
JAMES LANGAN,
FENWICK W. BERGEN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ALABAMA AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Livonia avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.

ALBERT L. PERRY,
FRANK J. DOYLE,
LEMUEL BURROWS,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made in the matter of acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, by excluding therefrom certain pieces or parcels of land not required for said proceeding.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Courthouse, in the County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of December, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for an order amending the proceeding entitled "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 White Plains road (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," and the petitions and orders appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment therein heretofore duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1901; in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1901, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, in the Village of White Plains, on the 17th day of January, 1902, by excluding therefrom certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, not required for the opening and extending of said White Plains road, from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of White Plains road (as now being acquired), distant 936.55 feet southerly from the southern line of Morris Park avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of White Plains road, as now being opened, for 117.734 feet;

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 32 degrees 17 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 482.536 feet;

3d. Thence westerly deflecting 118 degrees 10 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 78.740 feet;

4th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 69 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 49.667 feet;

5th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 4 degrees 58 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 57.46 feet;

6th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 2 degrees 41 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 206.447 feet;

7th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 81 degrees 23 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 11.809 feet;

8th. Thence southerly deflecting 72 degrees 36 minutes 5.7 seconds to the left for 273.065 feet;

9th. Thence westerly deflecting 96 degrees 22 minutes 25.7 seconds to the right for 100.622 feet to the western line of White Plains road (as now being acquired);

10th. Thence southerly along the western line of White Plains road for 84.292 feet to the southern line of White Plains road (as now being acquired);

11th. Thence easterly along last-mentioned line for 401.42 feet to the eastern line of White Plains road (as now being acquired);

12th. Thence northwesterly along last-mentioned line for 675.75 feet to the point of beginning.

This portion of White Plains road to be excluded from the proceeding is shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan showing change of lines of White Plains road, from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, and showing the locating and laying out of Unionport road, from White Plains road to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which map or plan was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about September 29, 1903.

Dated New York, November 25, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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 WILLETT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Carlton avenue to Kaplan avenue, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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, lessors, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; 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, lessors, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, is

Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 12th day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 21st day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Commencing at the intersection of the easterly side of Narrows avenue with the Bay Ridge parkway or shore road; running thence easterly and parallel with the southerly side of Eighty-ninth street to the centre line of the block between Narrows avenue and First avenue; running thence northerly and along the centre lines of the blocks between Narrows avenue and First avenue to the southerly side of Bay Ridge avenue; thence westerly along the southerly side of Bay Ridge avenue to the Shore road, and thence southerly along the easterly side of the Bay Ridge parkway or Shore road to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, November 21, 1903.

FRANK BAILEY,

Chairman;
GEORGE W. CHAUNCEY,
JOHN B. SHANAHAN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of CABINET STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Broadway, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 1, 1903.

CLARENCE EDWARDS,
THOMAS D. STUART,
THOMAS F. ADAMS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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 WILLETT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Carlton avenue to Kaplan avenue, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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, lessors, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; 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, lessors, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, is

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 18th day of December, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 20, 1903.

CLIFFORD M. TAPPEN,
FRANK CLAPP,
JOHN CLARKE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n20,d15

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of HUNTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Nott avenue to Wilbur avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 18th day of December, 1903, 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 on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 20, 1903.

JOHN M. WEED,
FREDERICK T. HALLETT,
CONSTANTINE TIMONIER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n20,d15

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WASHINGTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the East river to Jackson avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 18th day of December, 1903, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 20, 1903.

JAMES J. CONWAY,
JOHN MACKIE,
SAMUEL J. CAMPBELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n20,d15

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Buena Vista avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of December, 1903, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also 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 21st day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street with the easterly line of Boulevard Lafayette; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Boulevard Lafayette to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Broadway; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and West One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line of Amsterdam avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence northwesterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Broadway; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 9, 1903.

JAMES J. FITZ GERALD,
Chairman;
WAUHOPE LYNN,
HUGO F. HOEFELER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n20,d9

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, for the use of the public, to lands and premises bounded by VERNON AVENUE and the EAST RIVER and PIERCE AVENUE and SANFORD STREET, First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, required for the opening of a public park.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were, by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 3d day of October, 1903, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 5th day of October, 1903, appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate 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 entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken herein for the purpose of opening a public park at Vernon avenue and the East river and Pierce avenue and Sanford street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, and which lands and premises so to be taken are bounded and described as follows, that is to say:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Vernon avenue, which said point is distant 488.43 feet northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Vernon avenue with the northerly side of Pierce avenue, and thence running northerly along the westerly side of Vernon avenue 543.00 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of the land formerly belonging to the Estate of Stevens; thence westerly along the northerly line of land formerly belonging to the Estate of Stevens to the pier or bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War February 15, 1902; thence southerly to the pier or

bulkhead line to the southerly line of land belonging to Thomas Rainey; thence along the southerly line of land belonging to Thomas Rainey to the westerly line of Vernon avenue to the point or place of beginning.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken, or to be taken, for the purpose of opening said park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, duly verified, at our office, Room No. 401, on the fourth floor of the building No. 258 Broadway, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, with such affidavit or other proof as the 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 above specified on the 16th day of December, 1903, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, or at such further or other times and places 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 owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, November 20, 1903.

LUCIUS N. MANLEY,
JOHN ANDERSON LEACH,
HERMANN WIENCKE,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. n20,d14

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of DITMARS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Steinway avenue to Old Bowery Bay road, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 1, 1903.

JAMES A. GRAY,
PETER A. MCGARRY,
JOSEPH H. FOSTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d1,11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of TITUS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the bulkhead line of the East river, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 17th day of December, 1903, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 19, 1903.

SPENCE M. JOHNSTONE,
J. W. BENNETT,
D. DEANS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n19,d14

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 FERRY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Old South road, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 17th day of December, 1903, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 19, 1903.

WM. F. WYCKOFF,
LEANDER B. FABER,
OSCAR DENTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n19,d14

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, November 27, 1903.

WILLIAM H. GOOD,
JAMES L. O'NEILL,
ISAAC W. JACOBSON,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. n127,d8

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ELEVENTH AVENUE, from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, November 27, 1903.

JOHN DALY,
WILLIAM H. SMITH,
HERSEY EGGINTON,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. n27,d8

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BAY EIGHTH STREET, from Benson avenue to Cropper avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs,

charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 27, 1903.
M. SHALER ALLEN,
JOHN F. LEWIS,
JAMES W. PRENDERGAST, Jr.,
Commissioners.
CHARLES S. TADDER, Clerk. n27,d18

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 MORRIS PARK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Farms road to Bear Swamp road, at the lands of the Morris Park race course, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of October, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of October, 1901; 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 21st day of October, 1901, 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 29th day of October, 1901, and 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, No. 148 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 acquiring 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 29th day of October, 1901, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 21st day of October, 1901, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 29th day of October, 1901, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of acquiring the said street or avenue, 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.

Notice is hereby further given that by an order of the Supreme Court, duly filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 10th day of November, 1903, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 19th day of November, 1903, and a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York on November 19, 1903, the above entitled proceeding was duly and regularly amended by excluding therefrom the property not required for the opening of said avenue and by including therein certain additional pieces of land, which together with the lands to be excluded, are more particularly bounded and described in the petition attached to said order.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken under this order for the purpose of acquiring 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 23d day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 27, 1903.
JOHN W. WARD,
THOMAS A. NEWELL,
PETER A. SHEIL,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n27,d19

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LUYSTER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the bulkhead line in the East river, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respect-

ive 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 17th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 19, 1903.

WILLIAM W. GILLEN,
J. H. TIBBITS,
ALEXANDER M. SIMPSON,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n19,d14

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 widening of DELANCEY STREET, on the south side, from Clinton street to the Bowery, in the Tenth and Thirteenth Wards, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 26th day of October, 1903, 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 27th day of October, 1903, 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, Block Nos. 347, 352, 409, 414, 419 and 424, 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 27th day of October, 1903, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, so far as we are authorized to do so pursuant to the resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 28, 1903, 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 15th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 14, 1903.
JOHN C. CLARK,
ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
D. E. DOWLING,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n14,d9

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of October, 1903, 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 November, 1903, 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, Block No. 2142, 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 6th day of November, 1903, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments

and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 29th day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 1, 1903.

THOMAS P. WICKES,
WM. H. WHELOCK,
CHARLES W. DAYTON, Jr.,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d123

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 MOUNT VERNON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to the northern boundary of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of December, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 11th day of December, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 18th day of December, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, and distant 300 feet southerly therefrom, with a line drawn parallel to the westerly line of Jerome avenue and distant 300 feet westerly therefrom; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northern boundary line of The City of New York; thence easterly along said boundary line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Vireo avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence westerly along said middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Vireo avenue and Martha avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned middle line to the middle line of the blocks between East Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; thence westerly along said last-mentioned middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Martha avenue and Katonah avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned middle line to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence westerly along said last-mentioned middle line to a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Katonah avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the blocks between East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and East Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Katonah avenue and Kepler avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned middle line and its southerly prolongation to a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and distant 300 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That we have included in the term, lands, tenements and hereditaments assessed by us in this report, the interests in the public streets owned or held by corporations operating under franchises in such streets.

Fifth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 8, 1903.

EDW. BROWNE, Chairman;
JOHN DE WITT WARNER,
JOHN J. QUINLAN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n16,d7

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BARTOW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from

Wolcott avenue to Jackson avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 19th day of October, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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, No. 21 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 16th day of December, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 21, 1903.

WM. A. JONES, Jr.,
RICHARD OGDEN,
EUGENE L. N. YOUNG,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. n21,d16

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or her name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety, or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.