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COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, February 26, 1908.

Present—George B. McClellan, Mayor; John H. McCooey, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; James J. Martin, Chamberlain, and Patrick F. McGowan, President, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meetings held February 5 and 18, 1908, were approved as printed.

A communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks recommending a lease to John W. Sullivan of the outer 200 feet on the southerly side of the pier foot of East Ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

At the request of the Dock Commissioner, who was present, the matter was referred back to him.

The following communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks recommending an amendment to the resolution authorizing a lease of the pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, North River, to the United States Transportation Company (see Minutes, 1907, page 330):

January 28, 1908.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—Referring to the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held March 20, 1907, approving recommendation of the Commissioner of Docks of a lease to the United States Transportation Company of the City's pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, North River.

It was contemplated in making this lease that the City should receive compensation at the rate of \$25,000 per annum, plus 5 per cent. per annum on the cost of a shed to be erected by the City (which cost would approximate \$200,000).

Further, it provided that the time of the commencement of the lease above referred to was to be when the City had completed the building of the shed on the pier. In view of the present financial state of the City, it would, in my opinion, be advisable to take up the consideration of the commencement of this lease anew by making an amendment as regards its time of commencement, and, with this end in view, I have conferred with the United States Transportation Company and beg to submit the following amendment to the lease:

The lease to commence on March 1 next at the rate provided for in the lease, namely, \$25,000 per annum, the United States Transportation Company to receive a permit, to be granted by the Commissioner of Docks, for the erection of a temporary shed on the pier and bulkhead, such permit to be no longer than the first term of the lease, namely, ten years, and to revert to and become the property of the City at the expiration of this first term. The matter then could be taken up anew by the City at the expiration of the first lease, as to whether or not the City would be permitted to go on and construct the shed as provided in the original lease or to allow the

lessee to continue the occupancy of the temporary shed under such terms and conditions as may be fixed by the City at that time.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
J. A. BENSEL, Commissioner.

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

February 7, 1908.

I would recommend that this lease be amended as recommended by the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries.

CHANDLER WITTINGTON,
Chief Engineer, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held March 20, 1907, approving of and consenting to the execution, by the Commissioner of Docks, of a lease to the United States Transportation Company, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Docks of a lease to the United States Transportation Company of the pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, North River, together with the bulkhead, commencing from a point 120 feet north of the pier between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, North River, and extending to the northerly side of the pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, a distance of about 220 feet; the lease to be for a term of ten years, commencing March 1, 1908, the rental for the said pier and bulkhead to be at the rate of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) per annum, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years, at an advance of 10 per cent. on the rental for the first term. The United States Transportation Company to receive a permit, to be granted by the Commissioner of Docks, for the erection of a temporary shed on the pier and bulkhead, such permit to be no longer than the first term of the lease, namely, ten years, and to revert to and become the property of the City at the expiration of this first term. The remaining terms and conditions of the lease to be similar to those contained in the printed form of lease now in use by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks, recommending an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of dump on the pier, foot of West Thirtieth street, North River, to Albert H. Hastorf:

(See page .)

February 13, 1908.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—In the communication sent you by this Department January 17, 1908, recommending the approval of a lease to Albert H. Hastorf, of the right to use the inshore or most easterly dump on the northerly side of the pier foot of West Thirtieth street, North River, it is provided that "all repairs to that portion of the ramp or approach extending from the easterly end of the dump to the westerly end of the inshore dumping board are to be made by the Department of Street Cleaning, but one-half of the cost thereof, as shown by the books and accounts of the Department of Street Cleaning shall be borne by the lessee."

In the advertisement for the sale of the privilege, it is provided that "all repairs to that portion of the ramp or approach extending from the easterly end thereof to the westerly end of the inshore dumping board shall be made by the Department of Street Cleaning, but one-half of the cost thereof, as shown by the books and accounts of the Department of Street Cleaning, shall be borne by the lessee."

Will you please have the resolution of the Sinking Fund, adopted February 5, 1908, amended so as to conform to the terms of sale?

Your attention is also called to the fact that the said resolution provides that the lease shall be for a term of five years from February 15, 1907, whereas the terms of sale provide that the lease shall be for a term of five years beginning from a date ten days after approval by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or, in this instance, February 15, 1908.

Yours very respectfully,

A. N. SPOONER, Commissioner.

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

February 19, 1908.

I consider the amendment a better business proposition for the City, and recommend its approval.

CHANDLER WITTINGTON,
Chief Engineer, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 5, 1908, approving of and consenting to the execution, by the Commissioner of Docks, of a lease to Albert H. Hastorf, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Docks, of a lease to Albert H. Hastorf, of the right to use and occupy the inshore or most easterly dump on the northerly side of the pier foot of West Thirtieth street, North River, Borough of Manhattan, together with the right to use the ramp or approach thereto, for a period of five years commencing February 15, 1908, at a rental at the rate of nine thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$9,235) per annum, the lessee to make all repairs to the dumping board during the term of the lease, and is not in any way to interfere with the operation of the remaining outshore dumps on the northerly side of the pier by the Department of Street Cleaning; all repairs to that portion of the ramp or approach extending from the easterly end thereof to the westerly end of the inshore dumping board shall be made by the Department of Street Cleaning, but one-half of the cost thereof, as shown by the books and accounts of the Department of Street Cleaning shall be borne by the lessee; the lessee is at all times to do such dredging from time to time, during the term of the lease as may be considered necessary and proper by the Commissioner of Docks to a depth of at least 20 feet at mean low water in the basin or slips or water adjacent at the northerly side of said pier commencing at the bulkhead line and extending outshore to the westerly end of the inshore or most easterly dumping board. The lease shall contain the usual terms, conditions and covenants at present embodied in leases of wharf property

now used by the Department of Docks and Ferries, and the lessee is to furnish a bond in double the amount of the annual rent for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the lease, and as recommended by the Commissioner of Docks in communications dated January 17 and February 13, 1908.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following was received from the Board of Education relative to a lease of a plot of vacant land at the northeasterly corner of Church avenue and East Forty-eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that on December 11, 1907 (see Journal, pages 2420 and 2421), a resolution was adopted requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to consent to the execution of a lease of premises on East Fifty-third street, near Beverley road, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period from February 1, 1908, to July 1, 1909. At a meeting of said Commissioners held on the 8th inst., a resolution was adopted rejecting the proposition to lease these premises, and recommending the use of portable buildings on leased ground, centrally located, for temporary school purposes.

In accordance with this recommendation, the matter was again taken up and the availability of several pieces of property was investigated. A parcel of land situated on Church avenue and East Forty-eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn, has been found suitable for the erection of portable buildings, and the leasing of this land is recommended.

The following resolutions are submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1907, relative to the leasing of premises on East Fifty-third street, near Beverley road, Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they are hereby requested to approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education of a lease to the City of the following described premises:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Church avenue with the easterly line of East Forty-eighth street, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of East Forty-eighth street ninety-three (93) feet five and one-half (5½) inches; thence easterly and parallel or nearly so with Church avenue one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence southerly and parallel or nearly so with East Forty-eighth street ninety-six (96) feet six (6) inches to the northerly line of Church avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Church avenue one hundred and twenty (120) feet to the easterly line of East Forty-eighth street, the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions, more or less.

—for a period of three years from March 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$325, the City to assume the taxes during the life of the lease. Owners, Wood, Harmon & Co., G. J. Luhn, agent, Church and Utica avenues, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on January 22, 1908.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

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

February 10, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education on January 22, 1908, adopted a resolution requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to approve of a lease on a plot of vacant ground 120 feet by about 95 feet, at the northeasterly corner of Church avenue and East Forty-eighth street in the Rugby section of the Borough of Brooklyn, as a site for portable school buildings, for a term of three years from March 1, 1908, at a rental of \$325 a year, payable quarterly, and taxes during the term of the lease.

After an examination, I have to report that this site is conveniently located for the purpose, near to two trolley lines and within 80 feet of a sewer. The ground is level and dry, and suitable for the purpose intended.

After consultation with Mr. G. J. Luhn, agent for Wood, Harmon & Co., the owners, I have succeeded in getting the owners to omit the item of tax from the lease, making the rental a flat sum of \$325 a year, and have also secured the right of renewal on the lease for one additional year at a rental of \$400. The rental asked, while full value, is not excessive, and I would, therefore, respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of a lease of the plot of ground at the northeasterly corner of Church avenue and East Forty-eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn, fronting 120 feet on Church avenue by 120 feet by 96 feet by 93 feet 5½ inches on East Forty-eighth street, for a term of three years from March 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$325, payable quarterly, and with the privilege of renewal for one additional year at a rental of \$400. It being understood that if Church avenue shall be physically widened at this point during the term of the lease, so as to take off a considerable portion of the said ground, the lease shall thereupon be null and void and terminate, anything therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding. Owners, Wood, Harmon & Co., No. 261 Broadway, Manhattan. Agent, G. J. Luhn, corner Utica and Church avenues, Brooklyn.

Respectfully submitted for approval.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education, of a lease to the City from Wood, Harmon & Co., of the plot of ground at the northeasterly corner of Church avenue and East Forty-eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn, fronting 120 feet on Church avenue by 120 feet by 96 feet 5½ inches on East Forty-eighth street, for a term of three years from March 1, 1908, at an annual rental of three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$325), payable quarterly, with the privilege of renewal for one additional year, at a rental of four hundred dollars (\$400); the lease to contain a clause providing that if Church avenue shall be physically widened at this point during the term of the lease so as to take off a considerable portion of the said ground, the lease shall thereupon be null and void and terminate, anything therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the President of the Borough of Queens relative to a lease of premises on the southerly side of Ralph street, 90 feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of Ralph street and Covert avenue, Borough of Queens:

LONG ISLAND CITY, February 4, 1908.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman, Sinking Fund Commission, New York:

DEAR SIR—I am desirous of securing the following described property for the use of this Department as a corporation yard; to that end would request that a lease be entered into with the owners for the use of same:

First—Full name of owner: Bernard Schwab.

Second—Description of property: As per sketch enclosed.

Third—Terms of proposed lease: Two (2) years.

Fourth—Rental: One hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) per annum, payable quarterly.

Fifth, Sixth and Seventh—Vacant lot; no building thereon.

Eighth—This property is required for the storing of road building material, such as stone, sewer pipes and tools, and there is no property used for that purpose in the Ridgewood section.

Ninth—The premises are the most reasonable and appropriate for the purpose.

Tenth—The rental to be paid from the Sinking Fund Accounts, Rents.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH BERMEL,

President of the Borough of Queens.

I, the undersigned, hereby offer to lease to the Department of Highways of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, all that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, being twenty (20) feet front and rear, by one hundred (100) feet in depth each side, situate on the southerly side of Ralph street, distant ninety (90) feet westerly from Covert avenue, Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, City of New York, and shown on the following diagram.

Said premises to be used by the said Highway Department of The City of New York as and for a corporation yard.



The terms of said letting to be as follows:

The rent shall be one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) per annum, to be paid quarterly.

The term of the letting to be two years.

Dated Borough of Queens,

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—For and in consideration of the sum of \$1, in hand paid, I hereby agree to lease to The City of New York, for a period of two years from March 1, 1908, at a rental of \$80 a year, payable quarterly, with the privilege of an additional two years at the same rental, the vacant lot, 20 by 100 feet, on the southeasterly side of Ralph street, 90 feet southwest from Covert avenue, and known on the tax books as Lot No. 36 in Block 31, Ward 2, Volume 1, Map 1, page 5, said lot being owned by me.

BARBARA LORCH,

No. 160 Throop avenue, Brooklyn, E. D.

Witness: M. S. MULLOWNEY.

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

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—Honorable Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens, in a communication addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under date of February 4, 1908, requests that a lease be authorized of the vacant lot, 20 by 100 feet, on the southeasterly side of Ralph street, 90 feet southwesterly from Covert avenue, in the Ridgewood section of the Borough of Queens, as a corporation yard, for a period of two years, at a rental of \$150 per annum, payable quarterly. He says the owner is Bernard Schwab, that the lot is vacant and that the property is required for the storing of road building material, such as stone, sewer pipes and tools.

After an examination, I have to report that this lot, which is known on the tax books as Lot No. 36, in Block 31, Ward 2, Volume 1, Map 1, page 5, is assessed at \$500 for the year 1907 in the name of Charles Lorch. The lot is fenced and on the rear there is constructed an old frame shed, 20 by 24 feet in size. The remainder of the lot is piled with granite building blocks, and I am informed has been occupied by the City as a storage yard since about October, 1906, although no rent has been paid by the City.

Bernard Schwab is in business on the corner of Forest avenue and Grove street, and is also a Foreman in the Department of Highways in that Borough. Mr. Schwab, when seen by an employee of this Bureau, said that the lot was not owned by him but was the property of Mrs. Barbara Lorch, widow, of No. 160 Throop avenue, Brooklyn.

The lot, though assessed for 1907 at only \$500, is fairly worth from \$1,200 to \$1,500. Mrs. Lorch, when seen by an employee of this Bureau, agreed to lease the lot to the City for two years at a rental of \$80 a year, payable quarterly, with the right of a renewal for an additional two years at the same rental (see her option herewith).

Both Mrs. Lorch and Mr. Schwab were under the impression apparently that when the lease was made the City would pay the back rent since October, 1906, but she was told that that was a matter to be settled between Mr. Schwab and President Bermel. She says she has been receiving \$5 a month from Mr. Schwab almost continuously since the City has had the use of the property.

Mr. Bermel's letter, as will be noticed, says nothing about when the lease is to begin.

From the use to which this property has been put in the past, it clearly shows that the President of the Borough of Queens must have the use of this property for Borough purposes, and I would therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of the request of the President of the Borough of Queens and authorize a lease from Barbara Lorch, of No. 160 Throop avenue, Brooklyn; of the premises located on the southerly side of Ralph street, 90 feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of Ralph street and Covert avenue, Borough of Queens, being a lot 20 feet in width by 100 feet in depth, with a frame shed thereon erected, as a corporation yard for the use of the President of the Borough of Queens, for a period of two years from March 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$80, payable quarterly, said lease to contain a renewal clause for an additional period of two years upon the same terms and conditions.

I would further respectfully recommend that the attention of the President of the Borough of Queens be called to the fact that he should instruct his subordinates, when addressing a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the purpose of negotiating for a lease, that effort be made to find the real owner of the property and the actual annual rental to be paid, and such further and correct information as to the date of beginning of the lease, so as to enable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to act properly upon the request.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from Barbara Lorch, of the premises located on the southerly side of Ralph street, 90 feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of Ralph street and Covert avenue, Borough of Queens, being a lot 20 feet in width by 100 feet in depth, with the frame shed erected thereon, for the use of the President of the Borough of Queens as a corporation yard, for a period of two years from March 1, 1908, at an annual rental of eighty dollars (\$80), payable quarterly, with the privilege of renewal for

an additional period of two years upon the same terms and conditions; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the President of the Borough of Queens relative to a proposed lease of a plot of ground on Baltic street, between South street and Humboldt boulevard, Jamaica, Borough of Queens:

LONG ISLAND CITY, January 20, 1908.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman, Sinking Fund Commission, New York:

DEAR SIR—I am desirous of securing the following described property for the use of this Department as a corporation yard; to that end would request that a lease be entered into with the owners for the use of same:

First—Full name of owner: John Casey.

Second—Description of property: As per sketch enclosed.

Third—Terms of proposed lease: Two years, with privilege of renewal.

Fourth—Rental: \$240 per year, payable quarterly.

Fifth, Sixth and Seventh—Owner to pay for alterations and repairs, water rent, light, heat and janitor service.

Eighth—This property is required for the storing of tools and as a repair shop for the Bureau of Sewers.

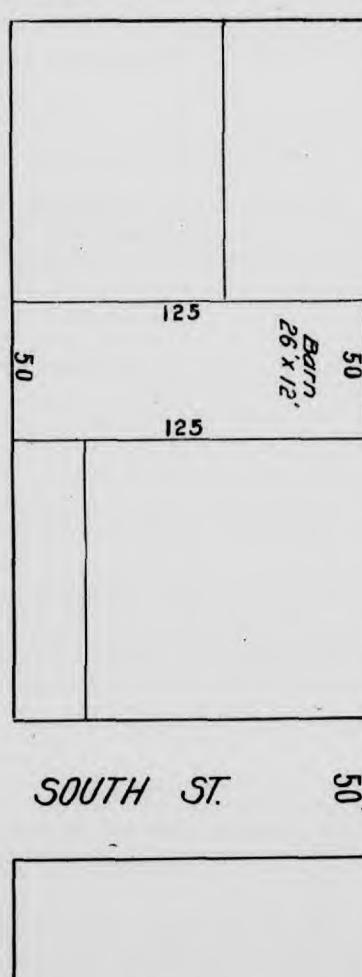
Ninth—The premises are the most reasonable and appropriate for the purpose.

Tenth—The rental to be paid from the Sinking Fund Accounts, Rents.

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH BERMEL,
President of the Borough of Queens.

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BALTIC
STREET



In connection therewith the Deputy Comptroller presented the following report:

February 8, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens, in a communication addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under date of January 20, 1908, requests that a lease be secured of premises 50 by 125 feet on the northeasterly side of Baltic street, between South street and Humboldt boulevard, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, for a period of two years, with the privilege of renewal, at an annual rental of \$240, payable quarterly, the premises being required as a corporation yard and a place for the storing of tools and a repair shop for the Bureau of Sewers.

A diagram attached to Mr. Bermel's communication herewith shows the location of the property. Mr. Bermel states that the name of the owner is John Casey, but fails to give Mr. Casey's address. He also states that the lease is with the privilege of renewal, but fails to state for what length of time, and also says nothing concerning the improvements, if any. Mr. Bermel's letter also states that the owner is to pay for alterations and repairs, water rent, light, heat and janitor service. The little shop on the lot is heated by a small stove, which is necessary to dry out the hose, but the other items of alterations and repairs, water rent, light and janitor service are of course unnecessary.

After an examination by this Bureau, it appears that John Casey is not the owner of the premises in question, although he is supposed to have some interest. The plot, 50 by 125 feet, and three abutting lots fronting on Humboldt boulevard, are owned by Casey's aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Salmon, wife of William Salmon, a Foreman in the Sewer Department of that Borough. The diagram shows a plot 50 by 125 feet, but the lease is intended to cover only half of this plot, the other lot having on it a 2-story frame dwelling which is occupied by William Salmon and his family. The lot, 25 by 125 feet, which it is proposed to lease to the City, has on its rear a 1-story and attic frame shop or stable building 12 by 20 feet, with a concrete floor, and a small frame lean-to, 8 by 12 feet. This building, I am informed, cost \$165 and was erected about a

year ago, since which time it has been used by Mr. Salmon for the storage of tools and as a repair shop for his Bureau (without the payment of rent). Piled at the rear of the plot are also a few cart loads of brick, short timbers and sewer heads. Mr. Salmon said that if this lot was not sufficient for the storage of material during the term of the lease, he would allow the City the free use of the three other vacant lots owned by his wife. The lot in question, which is Lot 155 in Ward 4, Volume 6, Map Page 24, Borough of Queens, is assessed at \$400, with nothing additional for the little building. The fullest present market value of this property, lot and building, is not above \$750 to \$800, and the rental asked, \$240 a year, is therefore excessive. A rental of half the amount would be very liberal, even including the heating.

I would therefore respectfully recommend that the application of the President of the Borough of Queens, requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize this lease, be rejected, and that the matter be referred back to the President of the Borough, either to have the owner reduce the rental value of the property to a proper amount, or to select a different location for a storage yard.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and the matter referred back to the President of the Borough of Queens with a copy of the report.

The following communication was received from the Department of Street Cleaning, relative to a lease of Room 518, at No. 500 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan:

February 6, 1908.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, Chairman, Sinking Fund Commission, City Hall, New York City:

SIR—I request the consent and authority of your Board for the hiring or leasing for three (3) months from Walter J. Salomon of Room 518 in the Bristol Building, No. 500 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the months of February, March and April, 1908.

This will be a room additional and adjacent to the two rooms already occupied by this Department as a snow office, and is to furnish additional accommodation during the season when the snow work is at its height.

Respectfully,

FOSTER CROWELL, Commissioner.

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

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. Foster Crowell, Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under date of February 6, 1908, requests the consent and authority of that Board for the hiring or leasing for a period of three months of Room 518 in the Bristol Building, No. 500 Fifth avenue, Manhattan, for the months of February, March and April, 1908, this room being required as a snow office to furnish additional accommodations during the season when the snow work is at its height.

After an examination, it appears that this is a corner room about 20 by 22 feet, divided into two rooms, in the Bristol Building, northwest corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-second street. The last two tenants of this room paid a rental of \$1,000 a year. Commissioner Crowell's letter says nothing as to the rate of rental to be paid by the City, but I learn that the rental is to be \$75 a month; that the City has been in possession since February 1, and that the lease is to be for one month, with the privilege of renewal from month to month, the lessor reserving the right to cancel the lease upon one week's notice, in case the room should be rented to other parties.

The room is much needed for the purpose required and is at present filled with a dozen or more temporary Clerks working on the matter of the snow removal. The rent is fair and reasonable, and I would therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease of Room 518 in the Bristol Building, No. 500 Fifth avenue, Manhattan, for the month of February, 1908, at a rental of \$75 a month, with the privilege of renewal from month to month as long as needed, the lessor reserving the right to cancel the lease at any time upon one week's notice, in case of the rental of the room to other parties. Lessor, Walter J. Salomon.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a lease to the City, from Walter J. Salomon, of Room No. 518, in the Bristol Building, No. 500 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the month of February, 1908, at a rental of seventy-five dollars (\$75) per month, with the privilege of renewal from month to month as long as needed; the lessor reserving the right to cancel the lease at any time upon giving one week's notice, in case of rental of the room to other parties; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 106 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

February 7, 1908.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of lease from Mrs. J. R. Foley, of premises No. 106 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, for use as a stable for the Forty-third Precinct, formerly Thirty-second Precinct, for one year from May 1, 1908, at \$50.16 per month, the covenants and conditions to be the same as in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

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

February 14, 1908.

The rent being the same as heretofore paid, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease of premises No. 106 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at a rental of \$50.16 per month, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. J. R. Foley.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Mrs. J. R. Foley, of premises No. 106 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at a rental of fifty dollars and sixteen cents (\$50.16) per month, and on the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 5 Vine street, Borough of Brooklyn:

February 7, 1908.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of lease from William Van Anden, of premises No. 5 Vine street, Brooklyn, for use as a stable for the One Hundred and Fiftieth Precinct, formerly Fiftieth Precinct, for one year from May 1, 1908, at \$650 per annum, the covenants and conditions to be the same as in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

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

February 14, 1908.

The rent being the same as heretofore paid, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease of premises No. 5 Vine street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$650, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, William M. Van Anden.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from William M. Van Anden, of premises No. 5 Vine street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Police Department for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of six hundred and fifty dollars (\$650), and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department relative to a renewal of the lease of premises on Richmond terrace, near Van street, West Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

February 7, 1908.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of lease from Edward A. Muller, of premises on Richmond Terrace, near Van street, West Brighton, Richmond, for use as a station house for the Eighty-first Precinct, for one year from May 1, 1908, at \$1,500 per annum, the covenants and conditions to be the same as in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

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

February 14, 1908.

The rent being the same as heretofore paid, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease of the premises on Richmond Terrace, near Van street, West Brighton, Borough of Richmond, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$1,500, payable quarterly, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Edward M. Muller.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of premises on Richmond Terrace, near Van street, West New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), payable quarterly, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Edward M. Muller; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises on Avenue G, East Ninety-second street, Canarsie, Borough of Brooklyn:

February 7, 1908.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of lease from Mrs. Catherine Mullally, of premises north side of Avenue G, East of Ninety-second street, Canarsie, for use as a stable for the One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Precinct, formerly Sixty-sixth Precinct, for one year from May 1, 1908, at \$30 per month, the covenants and conditions to be the same as in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

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

February 14, 1908.

The rent being the same as heretofore paid, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of the renewal of the lease of premises on the north side of Avenue G, east of Ninety-second street, Canarsie,

Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at a rental of \$30 per month, and on the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Catherine Mullally.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of premises on the north side of Avenue G and East Ninety-second street, Canarsie, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at a rental of thirty dollars (\$30) per month, and on the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Mrs. Catherine Mullally; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department relative to a renewal of the lease of premises Nos. 17 and 19 Beach street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond:

February 7, 1908.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of lease from Mrs. Mary E. Corry, of premises Nos. 17 and 19 Beach street, Stapleton, Richmond, for use as a station house and stable for the Eightieth Precinct, for one year from May 1, 1908, at \$1,500 per annum, the covenants and conditions to be the same as in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

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

February 14, 1908.

The rent being the same as heretofore paid, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease of the premises Nos. 17 and 19 Beach street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$1,500, payable quarterly, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Mary E. Corry, Executrix.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from Mrs. Mary E. Corry, Executrix of premises Nos. 17 and 19 Beach street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), payable quarterly, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission, relative to a renewal of the lease of Room 805 in the Tribune Building, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan:

February 13, 1908.

To the Sinking Fund Commissioners of The City of New York, Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, No. 280 Broadway, New York:

GENTLEMEN—In behalf of the trustees of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission appointed by the Mayor of The City of New York and the Governor of the State of New York, I hereby respectfully apply for the renewal of the lease of Room 805, in the Tribune Building, at No. 154 Nassau street, for the year beginning May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$1,000 a year, payable in monthly installments.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY W. SACKETT, Secretary.

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

February 18, 1908.

The rent being the same as heretofore paid, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a renewal of the lease of Room 805, in the Tribune Building, No. 154 Nassau street, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$1,000, payable monthly. Lessor, the Tribune Association.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of Room 805, in the Tribune Building, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission, for a period of one year from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable monthly; lessor, the Tribune Association; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution, relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises known as Parcel C, at Borden avenue and Dutchkill Creek, Borough of Queens, for the Department of Bridges:

(See page .)

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held January 22, 1908, adopted a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease for the Commissioner of the Department of Bridges, of the premises known as Parcel C, at Borden avenue

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and Dutchkills Creek, Borough of Queens, from Anson R. Flower, John P. Taylor and Sarah N. Flower, as executors under the will of Roswell P. Flower, deceased.

Since the approval of the request of the Department of Bridges, this office has been informed that the Borden Realty Company, H. S. Kearney, president, has become the owner of the property. I would, therefore, respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund amend so much of the resolution adopted January 22, 1908, by striking out the names of the old lessors and substituting the Borden Realty Company, H. S. Kearney, president, in lieu thereof.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held January 22, 1908, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City from Anson R. Flower, John P. Taylor and Sarah N. Flower, as executors under the will of Roswell P. Flower, deceased, of premises known as Parcel C, at Borden avenue and Dutch Kills Creek, in the Borough of Queens, for the use of the Department of Bridges, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the Borden Realty Company, H. S. Kearney, president, as the name of the lessor, in place of Anson R. Flower, John P. Taylor and Sarah N. Flower as executors under the will of Roswell P. Flower, deceased.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of rooms in the Mercantile Building, corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the Law Department:

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held January 8, 1908, adopted a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City from the Island Realty Company of Rooms 317 and 318 on the third floor of the Mercantile Building, at the southeast corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Law Department, for a period of two years from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$1,400, payable quarterly, * * *. The property now under lease and for which the renewal was intended is located on the southwest corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue.

I would therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund amend the resolution adopted January 8, 1908, by striking out the word "southeast" and inserting the word "southwest."

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held January 8, 1908, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of Rooms 317 and 318 on the third floor of the Mercantile Building, at the southeast corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Law Department, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "southeast" and inserting in place thereof the word "southwest."

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented a report recommending an amendment to resolution adopted January 22, 1908, authorizing a lease of premises at No. 209 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the President of the Borough, by making the rent payable monthly instead of quarterly, and by omitting the privilege of renewal clause.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Chamberlain as a Select Committee for the purpose of adjusting the matter in accordance with the views of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, that the rent should be payable quarterly and not monthly. There was no objection to striking out the privilege of renewal clause.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following report relative to an application of the Quick Transit Realty Company for the remission of the ten-dollar yearly charge for a pipe line privilege:

February 7, 1908.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund held on January 17, 1907, the Comptroller presented a report of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Finance, which was approved by the Comptroller, recommending that the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be authorized to grant to the Quick Transit Realty Company the privilege of laying a one and one-half-inch water pipe over and across the Brooklyn City conduit at Portland avenue, from the water main at the foot of old South road to the house being constructed by the said Realty Company south of the Brooklyn conduit; that the compensation to be paid to the City for such privilege shall be the nominal sum of \$10 per annum, the privilege to be on condition that the company shall be liable for any damage due to the laying or maintenance of such pipe; the work to be done at the expense of the company, under the jurisdiction and direction of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and subject to such conditions as he shall prescribe. The privilege to contain a stipulation that the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity may revoke such permission at any future time if found necessary in the interest of the City.

Under date of January 22, 1907, the Commissioner of Water Supply granted the said privilege to the Quick Transit Realty Company in accordance with resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, which was accepted by the Company, and they made the first annual payment.

The Collector of City Revenue of the Department of Finance made demand for the second annual payment, and failed to receive the same, and subsequently, under date of January 31, 1908, in a communication addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Quick Transit Realty Company request that the \$10 a year charge be remitted.

The Engineer of the Department of Finance reports to me that he can see no reason to change his original report recommending an annual compensation of \$10 for the privilege.

I therefore recommend that the application for the remission of the \$10 yearly charge be denied.

Respectfully,

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and the application denied.

The Deputy Comptroller again brought up the matter of the petition of Robert E. Eckardt for a release of the City's interest in Lots 142 and 143, Block 5, Plot 2, Ward 1, Borough of Richmond, which was laid over at meeting held February 5, 1908.

The matter requiring a unanimous vote, and there being only four members present, it was again laid over.

The following was received from the Armory Board relative to bill of Walter E. Parfitt, architect:

New York, January 29, 1908.

The Honorable, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Armory Board, held January 10, 1908, the following was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Armory Board does hereby approve the bill and expense of: Walter E. Parfitt, architect, for professional services rendered in connection with new floor in Drill Hall of the Thirteenth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Brooklyn, being a payment in full, less commission on amount retained as guarantee..... \$671.22

—that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur, and the Comptroller authorized to pay."

The voucher is herewith transmitted.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIE DAVIS, Secretary.

Approved:

CHANDLER WITTINGTON,

Chief Engineer, Department of Finance.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

February 8, 1908.

The bill having been approved by the Chief Engineer of the Department of Finance, the Deputy Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby concur in the following resolution adopted by the Armory Board at meeting held January 10, 1908:

Resolved, That the Armory Board does hereby approve the bill and expense of Walter E. Parfitt, architect, for professional services rendered in connection with new floor in Drill Hall of the Thirteenth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Brooklyn, being a payment in full, less commission on amount retained as guarantee, six hundred and seventy-one dollars and twenty-two cents (\$671.22); that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur, and the Comptroller authorized to pay.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to fines payable to the following:

New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

New York City Humane Society.

Medical Society of the County of New York.

Medical Society of the County of Kings.

Dental Society of the State of New York.

Anti-Policy Society.

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Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—The following fines imposed by the Court of Special Sessions, First and Second Divisions, have been collected at dates stated in January, 1908, and are payable pursuant to law to the several societies named:

To New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (section 5, chapter 122, Laws of 1876):

Court of Special Sessions, First Division.

Jan. 2, Harry Schwartz	\$25 00
Jan. 2, Edward D. Miner	50 00
Jan. 2, Rosario Lupo	50 00
Jan. 2, Joseph Bartho	35 00
Jan. 2, Samuel Trauman	100 00
Jan. 7, Thomas McCague	50 00
Jan. 7, Jacques Blasberg	75 00
Jan. 14, Samuel Smith	50 00
Jan. 14, Theodore Wenzlik	50 00
Jan. 21, Thomas A. Rice	25 00
Jan. 23, Wolf Levy	35 00
Jan. 28, Frank Wachter	35 00
	\$580 00

To Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (section 5, chapter 122, Laws of 1876):

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.

Jan. 17, Max Fashman	\$50 00
Jan. 20, Edward B. Folsom	100 00

\$150 00

To American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (section 6, chapter 490, Laws of 1888):

Court of Special Sessions, First Division.

Jan. 8, James Welsh	\$5 00
Jan. 8, Joseph Trusalasi	10 00
Jan. 8, Frank Segro	20 00
Jan. 8, William H. Robinson	10 00
Jan. 8, John J. Reilly	15 00
Jan. 8, David Miller	40 00
Jan. 8, Pasquale Mocho	20 00
Jan. 8, Barnett Kordowsky	25 00
Jan. 8, Joseph Kane	10 00
Jan. 8, Benjamin Hecht	20 00
Jan. 8, Nick Grico	25 00
Jan. 8, Gamati Galluci	15 00
Jan. 8, Tony Fannelli	10 00
Jan. 8, Luigi Di Filippo	25 00
Jan. 8, Michael Dowd	20 00
Jan. 8, Joseph De Mino	5 00
Jan. 8, William Barnum	20 00
Jan. 8, Charles A. Martin (paid Warden, City Prison)	25 00
Jan. 8, John Guido (paid Warden, City Prison)	20 00
Jan. 15, Max Rose	15 00
Jan. 15, Gabrielle Costonigo	25 00
Jan. 15, Antonio Abbelemarco	10 00
Jan. 15, Louis Herlich	10 00
Jan. 15, Richard Langen	5 00
Jan. 15, Samuel Dreyfus	10 00
Jan. 15, Antonio Rezzonico	15 00
Jan. 15, Max Siegelman	5 00

Jan. 15, David Freeman	10 00
Jan. 15, Walter O'Donnell	20 00
Jan. 15, Albert Lichtman	15 00
Jan. 15, Abraham Schwartz	25 00
Jan. 15, Michael Carillo	10 00
Jan. 15, Tony Murphy	10 00
Jan. 15, Michael Gallo	10 00
Jan. 22, Miner Jones	5 00
Jan. 22, Antonio Baccio	10 00
Jan. 22, Karl Miller	20 00
Jan. 22, Joseph Hayde	15 00
Jan. 22, William H. Woller, Jr.	25 00
Jan. 22, Matthew Slater	15 00
Jan. 22, William Englert	10 00
Jan. 22, Harry Golden	15 00
Jan. 22, Max Berlin	10 00
Jan. 22, John McKenna	20 00
Jan. 29, Arnold Louis	15 00
Jan. 29, Luigo Bellan	20 00
Jan. 29, Benjamin Claus	15 00
Jan. 29, Max Glass	15 00
Jan. 29, Frank Condi	15 00
Jan. 29, Thomas Lahey	25 00
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	\$785 00

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.

Jan. 17, Ralph Kappelman (Brooklyn)	\$10 00
Jan. 17, Bennie Curian (Brooklyn)	25 00
Jan. 17, Guy Eisenberg (Brooklyn)	10 00
Jan. 14, Joseph Paterno (Queens)	25 00
Jan. 14, Mike Prisco (Queens)	15 00
Jan. 28, James Dougherty (Queens)	25 00
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Total	\$895 00

To New York City Humane Society (section 6, chapter 490, Laws of 1888):

Court of Special Sessions, First Division.

Jan. 8, Sigmund Solie	\$15 00
Jan. 8, Harry Schwadron	15 00
Jan. 8, Francesco Mascolo	10 00
Jan. 8, George Kellerman	10 00
Jan. 8, James Bridgman	15 00
Jan. 15, James Miranda	15 00
Jan. 15, John M. Devlin	10 00
Jan. 22, Tony Millis	10 00
Jan. 22, John Limerno	15 00
Jan. 22, Simon Barasch	15 00
Jan. 22, Samuel Balin	10 00
Jan. 23, Casta Villoria	10 00
Jan. 29, Louis Devoe	15 00
Jan. 20, Max Beren	25 00
Jan. 29, Guisseppi Diperio	10 00
Jan. 29, Morton Cole	15 00
Jan. 30, Remio Sanco	10 00
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	\$225 00

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.

Jan. 14, Christian Woehrle (Queens)	10 00
Total	\$235 00

To Medical Society of the County of New York (section 153, chapter 661, Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 398, Laws of 1895):

Court of Special Sessions, First Division.

1908.	
Jan. 2, John Woodbury Dermatological Institute	\$100 00
Jan. 6, Maxwell Sugarman	50 00
Jan. 6, Guisseppi Geraci	25 00
Jan. 16, Solomon Gluck	50 00
Jan. 16, Eugenie Burns	200 00
Jan. 29, Frank A. Gundlach	25 00
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1907.	
Oct. 10, Robert Mantner (paid Warden, City Prison)	100 00
Oct. 24, Cataldo Yacobelli	100 00
Nov. 7, Augusta Dietrick	150 00
Nov. 14, Margaret Schott	200 00
Dec. 6, Josephine Anderson	100 00
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	\$1,100 00

To Medical Society of the County of Kings (section 153, chapter 661, Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 396, Laws of 1895):

Jan. 22, Henrietta Wolff	\$50 00
Jan. 22, Edward Simon (paid Warden, Kings County Jail)	500 00
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	\$550 00

To Dental Society of the State of New York (section 169, chapter 215, Laws of 1901):

Court of Special Sessions, First Division.

Jan. 10, Selma Hirschfield	\$50 00
Total	<hr/>

To Anti-Policy Society (chapter 63, Laws of 1905):

Court of General Sessions.

1907.	
Dec. 3, Frank Morgan	\$25 00
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	\$25 00

County Court, Kings County.

1908.	
Jan. 13, August Eckert	100 00
Jan. 14, Rudolph Michaelo (paid Warden, Kings County Jail)	150 00
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	\$275 00

All of the above cases were prosecuted by the officers of the several societies to which fines are payable and none of said fines have been previously paid to either of said societies.

The amount collected has been deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Respectfully,

F. W. SMITH, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That warrants payable from the Sinking Fund for the payment of the interest on the City debt, be drawn in favor of the following named societies, for the amount of fines imposed and collected by Court of Special Sessions, First and Second

Divisions, etc., in the month of January, 1908, etc., and payable to said societies, pursuant to law:

New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	\$580 00
Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	150 00
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	895 00
New York City Humane Society	235 00
Medical Society of the County of New York	1,100 00
Medical Society of the County of Kings	550 00
Dental Society of the State of New York	50 00
Anti-Policy Society	275 00

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to fine payable to the Police Pension Fund:

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—On January 16, 1908, Mrs. Estelle P. Mills (formerly Estelle P. Meyer), in Court of Special Sessions, Manhattan, was fined eighty dollars (\$80).

Mrs. Mills had been a pensioner and had collected installments of pension from the Police Pension Fund after remarriage. The fine for such violation of law was paid in Court, and deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Commissioner Theodore A. Bingham, as trustee of the Police Pension Fund requests that the amount of the above fine be paid over to the said fund to reimburse it for the amount of money improperly paid therefrom to the said Mrs. Mills.

Respectfully,

F. W. SMITH, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the Police Pension Fund for the sum of eighty dollars (\$80), being amount of fine imposed and collected from Mrs. Estelle P. Mills, formerly Estelle P. Meyer, for illegally collecting from the Police Pension Fund after remarriage, and to reimburse the said fund for amount so improperly drawn therefrom.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to the refunding of Court fines:

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—Judgments entered in City Magistrates Courts, Second and Third Districts, Manhattan, have been reversed by Court of General Sessions, in the following cases and fines imposed ordered to be refunded.

Second District, City Magistrates Court.

1907.	
Nov. 21, James McAvoy	\$2 00
Nov. 21, James McAvoy, Jr.	2 00

Third District City Magistrates Court.

1907.	
Mar. 13, Wm. Schoenberger	\$10 00
Mar. 13, Samuel Samet	10 00
Mar. 13, Isidor Sarian	10 00

In the first two cases the order of reversal was entered December 26, 1907, and in the last three, December 31, 1907. In each case the Corporation Counsel has approved the order and advises the refund.

The amount of fines paid was deposited to credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Respectfully,

F. W. SMITH, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That warrants payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the following parties, refunding them severally the amount of fine imposed by City Magistrates Court now refunded by order of Court of General Sessions, as per statement submitted:

James McAvoy	\$2 00
James McAvoy, Jr.	2 00
Wm. Schoenberger	10 00
Samuel Samet	10 00
Isidor Sarian	10 00

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to the refunding of amounts overpaid on permits to build street vaults:

February 14, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—The following applications for the refund of amounts overpaid for street vault permits are herewith submitted, viz.:

Permit Number.	Applicant and Location.	Amount.
1262	Nineteenth Ward Bank,	

The amount paid was deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt No. 1.

Respectfully,

F. W. SMITH, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Resolved, That warrants payable from the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt No. 1 be drawn in favor of the following named parties, refunding them the amount overpaid by them severally for street vault permits, as per statement submitted:

Nineteenth Ward Bank.....	\$57 75
Nineteenth Ward Bank.....	9 11

American Bank Note Company.....	\$66 86
Henry Corn	51 70
Mrs. Helen H. Jenkins.....	45 00
	102 30

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

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

February 24, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

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

The applications are severally approved by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity or the Receiver of Taxes, and the amount so paid, nine hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$987.57), has been deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Respectfully,

F. W. SMITH, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Water Register.

The William Wilkens Company.....	\$15 00
John W. Quincy & Co.....	10 00
The Evangelist Lutheran Church of the Redeemer.....	20 00
Patrick Murphy	4 00
Saville Levin	21 60
Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company.....	100 00
Charles Burstein & Bros.....	10 00
Otto J. Schwarzer.....	100 00
Church of the Holy Comforter.....	8 00
Louis S. Barnard.....	5 00
Herbert Van Wyck, Agent.....	10 00
J. W. Richardson, Superintendent of Floating Equipment, Jay Street Terminal.....	6 82
Collegiate Reformed Church.....	60 00
Collegiate Reformed Church.....	54 00
Collegiate Reformed Church.....	28 00
Collegiate Reformed Church.....	42 00
Collegiate Reformed Church.....	15 00
The First Hungarian Congregation Brith Solam.....	12 60
Frederick Rabbe	40 00
Joseph Bierhoff	23 10
Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company.....	25 60
Max Solomon	17 90
Bernhard Mayer	5 40
Orazio La Cagnia.....	10 00
Rosa Reif	40 30
Joseph E. Goldberg.....	22 05
Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company.....	154 20

	\$860 57

Receiver of Taxes.

Patrick Hayes	\$9 20
H. Herrmann & Sons.....	58 65
Henry Heide	59 15

	127 00

	\$987 57

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for the sum of nine hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$987.57), for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for refunding erroneous and overpayments of Croton water rents, as per statement submitted herewith.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to the refunding of water rents, Borough of Brooklyn, paid in error:

February 24, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

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

The applications are approved by the Receiver of Taxes or the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and the amount so paid, thirty-five dollars and sixteen cents (\$35.16) is a proper charge against the Water Sinking Fund, City of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

F. W. SMITH, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Approved:

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Receiver of Taxes.

Paula Reken	\$4 60

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.	30 56
Margaret V. Ratigan.....	35 16

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Water Sinking Fund, City of Brooklyn, be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain, for the sum of thirty-five dollars and sixteen cents (\$35.16), for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of "Water Rents, Borough of Brooklyn, Refunding Accounts," for the refunding of erroneous and overpayments of water rents as per statement submitted herewith.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Deputy Comptroller presented the following report dealing with the history of the old Clove road, in the Borough of Brooklyn:

January 25, 1908.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

SIR—I have the honor to present herewith a report dealing with the history of the Clove Road

This road connected the settlement of Bedford with that at Flatbush in the Dutch days. Flatbush was in the early Dutch period the county seat and place of prime importance.

The settlement of Bedford grew out of the difficulties which the settlers of Brooklyn and Wallabout experienced in hauling hay from the salt meadows along the shores of Jamaica Bay. Bedford was a more convenient starting point because it materially shortened the haul.

In 1662 Governor Stuyvesant in response to a petition made to him granted to certain petitioners twenty morgens of land to each at Bedford. This represented about forty acres apiece. The home lots were located at what became known as the Village of Bedford, at the intersection of three roads, the main road (later known as Jamaica Turnpike), the Cripplebush road and the Clove road. The plantations of which the home lots were a part, extended from the Clove to the Hunterfly road. This situation considered with certain other circumstances leads to the belief that the Clove road was in existence for some time before Bedford was settled as a community.

There was a combination known as the five Dutch towns, composed of Brooklyn, Flatbush, Flatlands, New Utrecht and Bushwick. A register commissioned by the Director General travelled from town to town and took proof of wills, marriage settlements and other things, and in those primitive days chose the road that offered the fewest obstacles. From Bushwick to Flatbush the Bushwick and Cripplebush roads would carry the traveller to the main road (Fulton street of to-day) and then his most direct course for Flatbush was through the Clove road. Indeed, it would have involved considerable time and labor to have sought his destination by any other route.

Even the name of the road suggests that it extended a mute invitation to go that way. Clove means cleft and its application in this relation is that it indicated the road through the cleft in the hills.

On February 26, 1664, Governor General Stuyvesant issued a patent to Cornelius Van Ruyven and one of the boundaries of the land was "The Path." This land has been located by experts of the Commissioner of Records in Kings County and "The Path" identified as the road that was known more recently as the Clove road.

On February 18, 1666, Thomas Lambertse secured a patent in which "The Carteway," "Pathway" or "Highway" was made a boundary. This has likewise been identified as the Clove road. While it may be argued that 1666 was two years after the surrender, it should also be borne in mind that land is not usually described as bounded by a highway, unless that highway is generally known and a highway or anything else does not become generally known until it has been in general use for some considerable period.

A further evidence that the road was then generally known and well travelled is furnished by what is perhaps the first liquor license ever issued to the Bedford section. Thomas Lambertse, who secured the patent referred to in the foregoing, desired to establish an "Ordinary" for the entertainment of man and beast, so he made application to the Governor, and on December 17, 1668, the following license was issued:

"License granted to Thomas Lambertse, of Bedford, to sell beer, wine and other liquors.

"Whereas, Thomas Lambertse, of Bedford, within the jurisdiction of Brooklyn, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, upon Long Island, is willing to undertake the keeping of an Ordinary for the accommodation of travellers and other persons passing that way, with diet and lodging and horse meals. I do hereby give him license to sell beer, wine or any other strong liquors for their relief. And for his further encouragement therein do think fit to order that no person living in said Village of Bedford have privilege to do so but himself. This license to continue for one year after the date hereof and no longer. Given under my hand at Fort James in New York, this 17th day of December, 1668."

FRANCIS LOVELACE.

The worthy Lambertse probably did not engage in business for the purpose of losing wampum, so his selection of a site at Bedford for the establishment of a road house indicated that there was considerable traffic passing through the settlement. As Flatbush was the principal town and centre of activity, the road leading thereto was likely to be a popular channel of travel and a road house situated at the junction where this important highway met others branching in various directions, was likely to prove a source of comfort to its patrons and profit to its promoter.

Other references to the road bearing date of very early times taken with the foregoing, leave no reasonable doubt that the Clove was a Dutch road. Portions of this old road south of Eastern Parkway still trace their way through open fields.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT JORDAN, Examiner.

Approved: -

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Which was ordered printed in the minutes.

Adjourned.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

New York, November 12, 1907.

The following communications were received, action being taken thereon as noted, to wit:

From the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (74788)—Returning, as requested, this Department's recommendation dated October 31, 1907, for a lease of the southerly half of the pier foot of East One Hundred and Ninth street, Harlem River, Borough of Manhattan, to the Manhattan Ship Building and Dry Dock Company. Filed.

From the Corporation Counsel (74823)—Transmitting, approved as to form, lease to the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey of land under water, between Third and Lincoln avenues, Harlem River, Borough of The Bronx. Filed.

From the Comptroller (74215)—Transmitting copy of opinion of the Corporation Counsel to the effect that 90 per cent. of the moneys retained for repairing security on Contract No. 896, for building ferry terminal at St. George, Borough of Richmond, George B. Spearin, contractor, may be paid to said contractor, and asking that vouchers for such partial estimate be prepared. Answered that partial estimate is not necessary as final estimate has been issued.

From the Curtis-Blaisdell Company (74787)—Requesting permission to drive two clumps of fender piles and make sundry repairs to outer end of Pier (old) 28, East River. Permit granted, the work to be kept within existing lines and to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From W. H. Hilts (74802)—Requesting permission to place tar kettle in front of Pier (new) 28, North River, and at Desbrosses Street Ferry, North River. Permit granted, upon the usual conditions, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From John Cloughen (74768)—Requesting credit account for wharfage with this Department. Granted.

From the Committee on the Prevention of Tuberculosis of the Charity Organization Society (74734)—Stating that on October 31, 1907, they closed their day camp aboard the ferryboat "Southfield," and submitting list of articles left by the Committee on said boat. Filed.

From the Engineer-in-Chief (74784)—Reporting that the work of dredging about 100,000 cubic yards of material on the North, East and Harlem Rivers, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, under Contract No. 1001, was completed on March 25, 1907, by the R. G. Packard Company. Comptroller notified.

From the Superintendent of Docks—

1 (74781). Recommending that the permit to the New York and New Jersey Steamboat Company for berth at Bloomfield street pier (No. 53), North River, be re-

voked as of November 3, 1907, the date on which the company discontinued its landing at the pier. Permit revoked as recommended.

2 (74814). Recommending that Patrick J. Daly, Elizabeth M. Flynn, Bridget McCarthy, Catherine McGrath and Kate Mallon, Attendants, be laid off for lack of work. All laid off as recommended.

From the Superintendent of Ferries—

1 (74813). Recommending that Charles H. Cottrell and John J. Halley, Attendants, be laid off for lack of work. Laid off, as recommended.

2 (74812). Recommending that Lawrence Maloney, Deckhand, be dismissed, he having been absent from duty without leave since November 4, 1907. Dismissed as recommended.

J. A. BENSEL, Commissioner.

New York, November 13, 1907.

The following communications were received, action being taken thereon as noted, to wit:

From the Legislative Index Publishing Company (74805)—Offering to furnish a daily service as to legislative bills during the coming session of the Legislature. Order issued to company to furnish the daily service, together with index, copies of bills, etc., for the sum of \$125.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1 (74786). Reporting that the steamer "North Star," of the Maine Steamship Company, on November 6, 1907, collided with the Department's Pile Driver No. 16, tied up at the westerly side of Pier 33, East River, and damaged said pile driver, and recommending that the company be advised in order that it may make a survey of the damage preparatory to repairs being made either by the force of the Department at the company's cost and expense or by the company itself. Company advised as recommended.

2 (74783). Reporting that the Continental Asphalt Paving Company is occupying more space between Piers 58 and 59, North River, than was allotted it under permit of March 15, 1907, and recommending that said company be notified to remove the material not confined to the area so allotted. Company notified as recommended.

Daniel Carver, Deckhand (74746) appeared before the Deputy Commissioner in answer to the charges preferred against him on November 6, 1907, and after a hearing was ordered reassigned to work.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was requested to authorize the reassignment of William M. Fox, Dock Laborer, and of William Whelan, Dock Laborer.

J. A. BENSEL, Commissioner.

New York, November 14, 1907.

The following communications were received, action being taken thereon as noted, to wit:

From the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (74807)—Transmitting certified copies of resolutions adopted November 13, 1907, approving of and consenting to the execution by the Commissioner of Docks of the following leases:

(a) Authorizing lease of 200 feet at the inner end of the north side of pier foot of West Forty-seventh street, North River, to the Bouker Contracting Company for dumping board purposes, for a term of five years commencing November 25, 1907, at a rental of \$1,575 per annum; the lessee to have the privilege of erecting a dumping board extending from a line parallel to and about 18 feet north of the north line of the pier to a line parallel to and about 18 feet south of the north line of the pier, and shall also have the privilege of erecting, on wharf property contiguous to the premises described, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to the dump; plans and specifications for the dump, runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief, and any and all structures erected to revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease; the remaining terms and conditions of the lease to be similar to those now in use by the Department.

(b) Authorizing lease of the south side of pier foot of Sixtieth street, East River, to the Bouker Contracting Company, for dumping board purposes, for a term of five years, beginning November 25, 1907, at a rental of \$8,550 per annum. The lessee to have the privilege of erecting a dumping board extending from a line parallel to and about 18 feet north of the south line of the pier to a line parallel to and about 18 feet south of the south line of the pier, and shall also have the privilege of erecting, on wharf property contiguous to the premises described, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to the dump; plans and specifications for the dump, runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief and any and all structures erected to revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease; the remaining terms and conditions of the lease to be similar to those now in use by the Department.

(c) Authorizing lease of Pier (new) 42, North River, as extended out to the pierhead line of 1897, together with bulkhead commencing at the southerly side of said pier, and extending southerly a distance of 94 feet, to the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line, for a term of ten years. The lease of the pier to begin five months after the date the pier is vacated by the French Line. The lease of the bulkhead will commence on the same day as does the lease of the pier, or as soon thereafter as the bulkhead shall be vacated by the present occupants, the New York and New Jersey Railroad Company, and the structures on the exterior street, inshore of the bulkhead, used in connection with tunnel work at that point, shall have been removed. The lease of the bulkhead is to be co-terminous with the lease of the pier. The rental for the pier will be at the rate of \$57,000 per annum, and for the bulkhead \$3,000 per annum. The lessee shall have the privilege of two renewals of ten years each at advances of 10 per cent on each renewal term. When the pier is vacated by the present lessee, this Department is to proceed at once with the work of repairing and extending the pier out to the pierhead line, and the new lessee shall have the privilege of erecting upon the pier as extended a double deck shed in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Commissioner of Docks. The lessee, after the removal of the structures from the bulkhead, shall also have the privilege of erecting a shed upon the upland, extending inshore a distance of 50 feet from the bulkhead line. The shed on the pier and on the bulkhead shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease or renewal thereof; the remaining terms and conditions of the lease to be similar to those now in use by this Department.

Filed. Goodwin Brothers notified to vacate the south side of the East Sixtieth street pier before November 25, 1907, and Manhattan Harbor Improvement Company notified to vacate the northerly side of pier foot of West Forty-seventh street, North River.

From the Comptroller (74806)—Stating that on November 2, 1907, the sum of \$20,413.73 was deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Dock Fund, the principal amounting to \$20,000 and the premium to \$413.73, and that on November 4, 1907, there was deposited the sum of \$56,137.76, the principal amounting to \$55,000 and the premium to \$1,137.76. Filed.

From the Department of Public Charities (74818)—Stating that the matter of the building of a dock by this Department for the Department of Public Charities at the foot of Fifty-third street, East River, will be given consideration. Filed.

From the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity (74836)—Requesting consent to the transfer of James H. Clark from the position of Water Tender in this Department to the position of Oiler in that Department. Consent granted.

From the Department of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens (74804)—Stating that Julia E. Kennedy, transferred from the position of Attendant in this Department to a similar position in the Department of Parks, reported for work on September 21, 1907. Name dropped from the list of employees of this Department.

From the Commissioner of Public Works for the Borough of Richmond (74795)—Submitting for approval plans of outlet sewers foot of Water street and at the foot of Canal street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond. Answered that the plans are sufficient and satisfactory and are approved.

From the President of the Borough of Queens (74335)—Stating that the transfer of Patrick Gibbons from the position of Attendant in this Department to a similar position in his office became effective October 10, 1907. Name dropped from the list of employees of this Department.

From the Hartford and New York Transportation Company (74859)—Requesting permission to place a tar kettle in front of Pier (new) 19, East River, on the marginal street area, temporarily. Permit granted, the kettle to be placed under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, any pavement disturbed or damaged to be repaired at the cost of the permittee.

From the American Floor Surfacing Machine Company (74749)—Requesting permission to string electric wires along the southerly side of the recreation pier foot of Fiftieth street, North River, in connection with the making of repairs to the steamer "Albany" theret. Permit granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, the consent of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to be obtained.

From the Engineer-in-Chief (74808)—Reporting that the work of furnishing and delivering about 2,000 tons of anthracite coal under Contract No. 1062 was completed on November 6, 1907, by Howard S. Bowens, Comptroller notified.

From the Superintendent of Docks (74670)—Recommending that the permit granted to D. Sweeney's Sons for the use of space 10 by 35 feet south of approach to pier foot of West Forty-eighth street, North River, be revoked as of January 31, 1907, rental having been paid for but one month, viz.: January, 1907. Permit revoked as recommended.

Charges of inattention to duty (74792) were preferred by John J. Herrick, Mechanical Engineer, against Edward Murtha, Dock Laborer, and Murtha was directed to appear for a hearing.

The following Department orders were issued:

No.	Issued To and For.	Price.
23558.	P. J. Nilsson, 50 days' use of horse, harness and driver, per day.....	\$3 25
23559.	P. H. Nannery, 50 days' use of horse, harness and driver, per day.....	3 25
23560.	Wm. H. Campbell, wharfage tickets, per book.....	27
23561.	John J. Teahan, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23562.	Martin Hart, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23563.	John Miller, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23564.	Daniel Donohue, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23565.	John T. Loughlin, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23566.	Peter Dooling, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23567.	J. J. Howard, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23568.	J. B. Cahill, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23569.	John Reilly, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23570.	Leo Schwarz, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23571.	William Porterfield, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23572.	John Shay, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50
23573.	Henry Ench, 30 days' use of horse, cart and driver, per day.....	3 50

Martin F. Hayes, Foreman of Dock Laborers, was, by direction of the Commissioner, laid off for lack of work.

J. A. BENSEL, Commissioner.

New York, November 15, 1907.

The following communications were received, action being taken thereon as noted, to wit:

From the Corporation Counsel (74838)—Returning, approved as to form, lease to the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company of Pier (new) 42, North River, and adjoining bulkhead. Filed.

From the Comptroller (74789)—Transmitting copy of claim filed by Cornelius Herlihy for the sum of \$1,000, alleged to be due for personal injuries sustained on May 10, 1907, owing to his being struck by an automobile of this Department, and requesting information in relation thereto. Information furnished, with the statement that the accident was unavoidable on the part of the chauffeur.

From the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity (74707)—Requesting to be advised as to whether this Department would permit the placing of a hydrant on the "L" of the oyster basin at the foot of Bloomfield street, North River. Advised that this Department cannot authorize the installation of the hydrant, the point in question being covered by a lease, and further that such action would be inadvisable, as the hydrant would cause the entrance to the basin to be blocked up.

From the Department of Bridges (74858)—Requesting the services of a Diver, Assistants, etc., for the purpose of inspecting the foundation of the west abutment of the Borden Avenue Bridge, Long Island City, Borough of Queens. Engineer-in-Chief of this Department directed to comply with the request and report the cost for collection.

From John F. Schmadeke (74860)—Requesting permission to remove the corner chocks and drive four piles at the bulkhead south of Third street, on the westerly side of Gowanus Canal, Brooklyn. Permit granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and to be kept within existing lines.

From the Bradley Contracting Company (74835)—Requesting permission to dredge in front of dumping board foot of Stanton street, East River. Permit granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Joseph Moore, Contractor for the Bureau of Sewers (74800)—Requesting permission to construct an outlet sewer and overflows between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, North River; also a barrel sewer under the pier foot of Forty-third street, North River. Permit granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, in accordance with plans submitted, the Department's lessee not to be hampered in the use of the pier and a portion of the marginal street adjacent thereto; also that any pavement disturbed will be relaid to the satisfaction of the Department at the permittee's expense.

From the Curtis-Blaisdell Company (74678)—Applying for use of berth on the north side of pier at Forty-ninth street, East River, for the purpose of unloading coal. Denied.

From H. B. Hollins & Co. (74837)—Submitting statement as to the status of the Brooklyn Ferry Company with reference to the sale of its property and the value of same. Corporation Counsel notified of the receipt of communication.

From John A. McKinley (74739)—Requesting that he be given pay while absent from duty owing to injuries received while in the performance of his duty as Dock-builder in the Department. McKinley ordered placed upon the payroll of the Department for a period of four weeks commencing October 5, 1907, and terminating November 1, 1907, at the rate of \$18 per week.

From the Deputy Commissioner (74868)—Submitting list of persons to whom were sold at public auction, the privilege of maintaining cab stands at the St. George terminal of the Staten Island ferry. In accordance with the Deputy Commissioner's communication, the following privileges were granted to commence December 1, 1907, and to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioner until April 30, 1908, compensation to be at the rates noted, payable monthly in advance to the Cashier:

Stand No. 1. Charles Baesler, \$2 per month.
Stand No. 2. Matthew Kiernan, \$2 per month.
Stand No. 3. William J. Fenley, \$2 per month.

Stand No. 4. Thomas J. Fenley, \$2 per month.

Stand No. 5. Charles Baesler, \$3 per month.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1 (74840). Submitting report of work done under his charge and supervision for the quarter ending September 30, 1907. Filed.

2 (74785). Reporting that Joseph Semler, Dock Laborer, was injured while in the performance of his duty on October 26, 1907, and recommending that Semler be placed on the weekly payroll of the Department for a period of three weeks, at the rate of \$12 per week, commencing October 26, 1907, and terminating November 15, 1907, the rate to cease in the event of his reporting for duty at an earlier date. Approved.

In answer to its communication (74832), the Wynkoop, Hallenbeck, Crawford Company was notified that all proofs forwarded to this Department, in connection with Contract No. 1076, for printing annual report of 1906, and indexing for 1905, have been returned to the Company.

J. A. BENSEL, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

New York, February 5, 1908.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Commissioners Thomas Darlington, M. D., President; Alvah H. Doty, M. D., Health Officer of the Port; William F. Baker, First Deputy Police Commissioner, for the Police Commissioner.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

John Simmons Company	\$6 45
Baker Motor Vehicle Company of New York	35 20
The Henry Aschenbach Harness Company	40 00
The Diamond Rubber Company	1 25
Dennison Manufacturing Company	6 00
Eidt & Weyand	6 85
Victor Auto Storage Company	91 30
The Smith-Worthington Company	26 25
A. G. Southworth Company	101 26
John G. Jager Company	8 00
James Hesbrook	3 00
Langher, Skinner & Co.	13 00
Alfred Lee	4 50
Masons' Supplies Company	30 60
Siegel Cooper Company	59 60
William Sidebottom	63 20
B. Altman & Co.	22 00
Robert Gair Company	17 50
I. C. Fisher	85 50
Chas. E. Dressler & Co.	50 40
Winfield & Taylor Company	45 65
F. W. Woolworth & Co.	50 00
John Wanamaker	14 75
Richard Webber	18 45
Vaughan's Seed Store	3 60
Schieffelin & Co.	477 93
George Tiemann & Co.	15 32
Siegel Cooper Company	19 75
James M. Shaw & Co.	4 50
Otto Stegemann	5 61
Sperry & Popham Coal Company	5 00
Seabury & Johnson	21 60
Sheffield Farms, Slawson-Decker Company	9 10
Stanley Supply Company	40 90
J. F. Gylsen	106 33
Mager & Gougelmann	10 00
The Gillette Clipping Machine Company	3 30
The Emil Greiner Company	4 50
Schieffelin & Co.	13 70
John Wanamaker	15 50
Dr. H. D. Gill	77 00
James T. Dougherty	135 20
Eimer & Amend	6 70
John Wanamaker	3 02
Schieffelin & Co.	6 94
George Tiemann & Co.	28 00
Sheffield Farms, Slawson-Decker Company	21 94
Merchants' Rubber Company	3 75
Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York	4 00
Herman Kornahrens	30 70
Standard Oil Company of New York	11 27
Siegel Cooper Company	9 90
John Wanamaker	25 85
Wingfield & Taylor Company	625 48
Valvoline Oil Company	4 00
Murphy Brothers	59 50
Samuel E. Hunter	107 95
B. Altman & Co.	65 16
Erie Railroad Company	69 50
New York Calcium Light Company	2 50
New York Stencil Works	4 80
The Oliver Typewriter Company	72 90
Merchants' Rubber Company	58 90
J. E. Linde Paper Company	12 30
John P. Jube & Co.	163 80
Swinton & Co.	29 00
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company	43 47
Siegel Cooper Company	4 95
The Smith-Worthington Company	124 52
W. & S. Schlessinger & Co.	60 00
W. & J. Tiebout	26 00
John Wanamaker	180 24
White, Van Glahn & Co.	13 71
L. R. Wallace	493 00
Gordon & Malven Company	4 71
Gordon & Ferguson	468 00
Clarke & Baker Company	14 40
James Boyle	45 00
Brink & Clark	52 60
B. Altman & Co.	68 40
Alberene Stone Company	58 40
Ayres & Galloway	26 95
Fred Bailey	682 28
Charles E. Matthews	23 00
J. H. Murphy	10 50
John Simmons Company	26 85
The Smith Premier Typewriter Company	52 75
Rand-McNally Company	53 70
Sanborn Map Company	165 00
William Truswell & Son	8 50
De Witt C. Wheeler	5 40
Western Union Telegraph Company	55 30
The Vienna Window Cleaning Company	70 00
Charles F. P. Dillon	2 50
John E. Kehoe	12 80
E. B. Meyrowitz	4 80
Sperry & Popham Coal Company	4 00
Schieffelin & Co.	35 25
Swinton & Co.	25 20
Schieffelin & Co.	377 06

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Company	42 05
Jesse D. Frost, Agent and Warden	28 10
Hornthal & Co.	72 00
O'Neill-Adams Company	10 00
Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Company	25 50
Troy Laundry Machinery Company	21 75
John Wanamaker	24 00
Conron Brothers	47 94
Carroll Box and Lumber Company	5 00
Geo. I. Roberts & Bros.	16 43

Siegel Cooper Company	28 04
James McC. Miller, Chief Clerk	408 34
Good Manufacturing Company	23 00
Frank D. Cole, Agent and Warden	16 98
Carroll Box and Lumber Company	5 00
John Simmons Company	557 14

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Perth Amboy Chemical Company	455 00
The I. S. Remsen Manufacturing Company	13 40
John W. Sutton	108 70
Franklin Automobile Company	700 00
Samuel E. Hunter	62 90
Harris & Wellenkamp	20 81
International Silver Company	30 75
Our Own Manufacturing Company	28 60
J. F. Gylsen Company	6 62
Siegel Cooper Company	40 10
William Sidebottom	76 70
The Oliver Typewriter Company	8 76
The Oliver Typewriter Company	11 08
The Harral Soap Company	12 24
Homer L. Bartlett	50 00
McKeever Company	1,125 00
Eugene W. Scheffer Secretary	600 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Augustus Leuffer	12 30
Wabash Cabinet Company	75 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

I. S. Remson Manufacturing Company	197 75
J. C. Muller	29 82
Goodyear Rubber Company	4 05
The P. J. Brown Carriage Company	1 50
The Smith-Worthington Company	28 24
B. O. Defibaugh	16 65
Goodyear Rubber Company	48 60
George W. Benham, Agent and Warden	37 48
Jesse D. Frost, Agent and Warden	3 62
New York and Richmond Company	25 00
George Tiemann & Co.	4 75

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

On motion, it was

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

Names.	No.
Daniel T. Cornell	729
Louis Kendall	559
Nicholas Klut	1,170
Joseph Hay	2,611
Frank Mugs	1,212
Charles Schulman	963
William F. Walters	1,150
Samuel Anderson et al.	923
Samuel Anderson et al.	922
John Gropf	1,214
George Bedell	1,017
Thomas Donnelly	1,151

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Solomon Misikoff	878
Brunswick Realty Company	912
Daniel Welter	955
Caroline Acker	972
Theresa De Angelo	990
Ellen Donovan	1,099
Julia Hagerty	1,102
Casper Mojecki	1,141
Philip Becker	1,142
Henry Foerdring	1,143
Anna Klorsey	1,144
Pasquale Gorgane	1,205
Martina Bellina	1,208
Gustav Fisher	1,213

Sanitary Bureau.

The following communications were received from the Sanitary Superintendent:
First—Weekly reports of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.

Second—Weekly reports from the Willard Parker, Reception, Riverside and Kings-
ton Avenue hospitals. Ordered on file.

Third—Certificates in respect to the vacating of premises at No. 145 Calyer street
and No. 253 North Seventh street, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the following preambles and resolutions were adopted:
Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building
situated upon lot No. 145 Calyer street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become
dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a
nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 145 Calyer street,
in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before February
11, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human
habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sick-
ness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building
situated upon lot No. 253 North Seventh street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become
dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the
plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is
likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 253 North Seventh
street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before
February 11, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit
for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the
existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Fourth—Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.
On motion, it was
Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded, for the reason
that the causes for the same have been removed:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No.
13986. No. 252 Delancey street.
14210. No. 241 Broome street.
14215. No. 83 Ludlow street.
14216. No. 85 Ludlow street.
14217. No. 89 Ludlow street.
14056. No. 83 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
1420. No. 92 Rivington street.
152. No. 61 East Ninth street.
13906. No. 496 Seventh avenue.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

534. East side Nelson avenue, first stable south of One Hundred and Seventieth street.
1883. East side Nelson avenue, first stable east of One Hundred and Seventieth street.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

6201. No. 17 Furman street.
5495. No. 19 Monitor street.
4234. Nos. 24 and 26 Fifteenth street.
6461. No. 37 Floyd street.
6499. No. 472 Humboldt street.
6365. No. 204 Kingsland avenue.
6440. No. 5704 Sixth avenue.
6409. No. 442 Smith street.
6653. No. 550 Wythe avenue.
6652. No. 574 Wythe avenue.
6650. No. 587 Wythe avenue.
6649. No. 680 Wythe avenue.
5518. No. 209 Sands street.
4079. Nos. 260 to 274 McDougal street.
5649. No. 180 Moore street.
6155. No. 1241 Halsey street.
6273. No. 167 Newton street.
6362. No. 182 Norman avenue.

Fifth—Certificates declaring premises at No. 136 Monroe street, No. 230 Rivington street, No. 4 Rutgers place, No. 1037 Third avenue, No. 607 Water street, No. 61 Willett street, No. 609 East Eleventh street, No. 235 East Twenty-seventh street, No. 101 East Eighty-eighth street, No. 158 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street and No. 400 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan; No. 507 Evergreen avenue and No. 1785 Prospect place, Borough of Brooklyn, public nuisances.

On motion, the following orders were entered:

Whereas, The premises No. 136 Monroe street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 230 Rivington street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 4 Rutgers place, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 1037 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 607 Water street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 61 Willett street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 609 East Eleventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 235 East Twenty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the use of the premises in its present condition be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 101 East Eighty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 158 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 400 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises No. 507 Evergreen avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the use of said premises in its present condition as a stable be discontinued; that the said premises be cleaned; that the filth saturated soil be removed and replaced with fresh earth, and the surface so graded that all surface water shall be freely discharged therefrom. That the premises be properly connected with sewer in street. That the floor of the stable be made watertight, and that the horse stalls be provided with a valley drain, properly trapped and connected to sewer connected drain. That the rain leader of stable be properly trapped and connected to the house drain.

Whereas, The premises No. 1785 Prospect place, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance—the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz.:

That the conducting of the barber shop, in its present condition, be discontinued.

Sixth—Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No.
394. Childs Company, to use basement for mercantile purposes at No. 351 Broadway.
395. John Daniell Sons & Sons, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 759 to 765 Broadway and Nos. 69 and 71 East Eighth street and Nos. 60 to 64 East Ninth street.
396. Hackett, Carhart & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 837 to 847 Broadway.
397. Rogers, Peet & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 842 to 846 Broadway and Nos. 140 to 148 Fourth avenue.
398. Smith, Gray & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 1241 to 1245 Broadway.
399. Saks & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 1293 to 1311 Broadway and Nos. 101 to 107 West Thirty-third street and Nos. 100 to 106 West Thirty-fourth street.
400. R. H. Macy & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 1317 to 1329 Broadway and Nos. 100 to 144 West Thirty-fifth street and Nos. 105 to 147 West Thirty-fourth street.
401. R. H. Macy & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 1317 to 1329 Broadway and Nos. 100 to 144 West Thirty-fifth street and Nos. 105 to 147 West Thirty-fourth street.
402. C. B. Nichols & Bro., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 2220 to 2226 Broadway.
403. Alfred Nuehaus & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 466 and 468 Columbus avenue.
404. E. H. Van Ingen & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at No. 160 Fifth avenue.
405. Siegel, Cooper Company, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 288 to 304 Sixth avenue and Nos. 25 to 43 West Eighteenth street and Nos. 30 to 46 West Nineteenth street.
406. Greenhut & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 295 to 303 Sixth avenue and Nos. 107 to 129 West Eighteenth street and Nos. 100 to 120 West Nineteenth street.
407. A. J. Cammeyer, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 310 to 318 Sixth avenue and Nos. 48 and 50 West Twentieth street and No. 55 West Nineteenth street.
408. O'Neill, Adams Company, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 321 to 337 Sixth avenue and Nos. 102 and 104 West Twenty-first street and Nos. 101 to 121 West Twentieth street.
409. O'Neill, Adams Company, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 339 to 355 Sixth avenue and Nos. 105 to 115 West Twenty-first street and Nos. 102 to 112 West Twenty-second street.
410. Mahler Bros., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 513 to 519 Sixth avenue.
411. Simpson, Crawford Company, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Sixth avenue, Nineteenth to Twentieth street.
412. Charles Young, to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 56 and 58 Wall street.

413. Arnold Contable & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 9 to 13 East Eighteenth street and Nos. 881 to 887 Broadway and Nos. 8 to 20 East Nineteenth street.

414. Le Boutillier Bros., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 37 to 45 West Twenty-second street.

415. Ehrich Bros., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 103 to 117 West Twenty-second street and Nos. 359 to 371 Sixth avenue and Nos. 110 to 120 West Twenty-third street.

416. M. & M. Koch, to use basement for mercantile purposes at No. 24 West Twenty-third street.

417. Stern Bros., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 28 to 46 West Twenty-third street.

418. Jas. McCreery & Co., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 64 to 74 West Twenty-third street and Nos. 53 to 61 West Twenty-second street.

419. Kalish Pharmacy, Inc., to use basement for mercantile purposes at Nos. 100 and 102 East Twenty-third street.

27676. Simon Levy, to conduct public bath at Nos. 161 and 163 Monroe street.

27677. Peter Quaremba, to conduct public bath at No. 664 Ninth avenue.

27678. Henry Klenke, to keep birds for sale at No. 2231 Eighth avenue.

27679. John Moody, to keep birds and small animals for sale at No. 142 East Houston street.

27680. Chas. Dickhardt, to keep birds for sale at No. 219 Sixth street.

27681. Andrew Walsh, to keep birds for sale at No. 433 East Ninth street.

27682. Ida Eberwein, to board 1 child at No. 106 Bradhurst avenue.

27683. Emilie Hejtmanek, to board 1 child at No. 1587 First avenue.

27684. Mrs. Susan Flynn, to board 1 child at No. 156 Manhattan avenue.

27685. Concetta D'Allesandro, to board 1 child at No. 106 Mulberry street.

27686. Mrs. Sarah Holden, to board 1 child at No. 430 East Eighty-third street.

27687. Maria Gagliardo, to board 1 child at No. 322 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.

27688. Mrs. Teresa M. Rusciano, to board 1 child at No. 318 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

27689. Cristina Liccardo, to board 1 child at No. 321 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

27690. Filomena Cavallo, to board 1 child at No. 333 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

27691. Meta George, to board 1 child at No. 11 West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

27692. Jessie Aronson, to board 1 child at No. 271 West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

27693. Annie A. Coyle, to board 2 children at No. 379 First avenue.

27694. Kate Schaeffer, to board 2 children at No. 1559 Lexington avenue.

27695. Mrs. Minnie Mulcare, to board 2 children at No. 1919 Second avenue.

27696. Mrs. Margaret Bell, to board 2 children at No. 554 West Fifty-fifth street.

27697. Mrs. M. J. Engelhardt, to board 2 children at No. 552 West Fifty-fifth street.

27698. Agnes Wolf, to board 2 children at No. 300 East Ninety-sixth street.

27699. Nellie Lynch, to board 2 children at No. 302 West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

27700. Georgia Meyers, to board 3 children at No. 1607 Broadway.

27701. Jennie Nebenzahl, to board 3 children at No. 343 East Eighty-fifth street.

27702. Lucy Harvey, to board 3 children at No. 304 West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

27703. William H. Spangenberg, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 460 Columbus avenue.

27704. Samuel Finkel, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 9 Pike street.

27705. Dick Kriete, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 2253 Second avenue.

27706. William Albers, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 630 Third avenue.

27707. Anton Kaledethitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 419 East Seventy-sixth street.

27708. Alfred Simpson, to keep 6 pigeons at No. 211 West Nineteenth street.

27709. Washington B. Reed, to keep 20 chickens at No. 521 West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

27710. N. Roberti, to stable 50 horses in cellar at Nos. 205 and 207 Elizabeth street.

27711. Estate of Adolph Brussel, to use well water for other than domestic purposes at Nos. 174 to 182 Worth street.

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27712. Robert Hall, to keep birds for sale at No. 377 East One Hundred and Forty-second street.

27713. Mary Wreath, to board 1 child at No. 753 Home street.

27714. Mrs. Maria Moro, to board 1 child at No. 1988 West Farms road.

27715. Mrs. G. Quinn, to board 1 child at No. 304 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

27716. Ellen Kelly, to board 1 child at No. 308 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

27717. Mrs. Pat Howard, to board 1 child at No. 370 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

27718. Angela Brino, to board 1 child at No. 925 East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

27719. Teresa Alexander, to board 1 child at No. 925 East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

27720. Mrs. A. Wilburn, to board 2 children at No. 24 Blondell avenue, Westchester.

27721. Mrs. Mary O'Connell, to board 2 children at No. 3418 Park avenue.

2090. William J. Prime, to keep 1 cow at southwest corner Gun Hill road and Aqueduct avenue.

27722. Michael Murtha, to keep 12 chickens at No. 25 Barker avenue, Williamsbridge.

27723. Shieffelin & Co., to keep 6 roosters at northeast corner Southern boulevard and St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

27724. Mrs. L. Palmer, to keep 18 chickens at No. 781 Elsmere place.

27725. Giuseppe Conti, to keep 15 chickens at No. 86 Hunt avenue.

27726. Frank P. Dursie, to keep 15 chickens at No. 34 Lowere place, Williamsbridge.

27727. V. Derno, to keep 15 chickens at west side Van Nest avenue, first house south of Van Buren street.

2091. James O'Hare, to keep 18 cows at Clason Point, one-half mile south of Clason Point road, Westchester.

27728. Rachel Renocco, to keep 8 pigeons at No. 1968 Webster avenue, northeast corner One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.

27729. Sam O'Connor, to keep 20 pigeons at west side of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, first house south of Westchester avenue.

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27730. Joseph Marssdorf, to keep birds and small animals for sale at No. 1524 Broadway.

27731. Anna Conta, to board 1 child at No. 2095 Atlantic avenue.

27732. Elizabeth Stofallino, to board 1 child at No. 2095 Atlantic avenue.

27733. Jennie Francarillao, to board 1 child at No. 267 Bond street.

27734. Angela Juliano, to board 1 child at No. 478 Carroll street.

27735. Theresa Labella, to board 1 child at No. 52 Franklin avenue.

27736. Maria Esposito, to board 1 child at No. 853 Kent avenue.

27737. Dominica Diprim, to board 1 child at No. 726 Lorimer street.

27738. Josephine Farrell, to board 1 child at No. 726 Lorimer street.

27739. Rose Meyer, to board 1 child at No. 159 Maujer street.

27740. Clementina Albertano, to board 1 child at No. 486 President street.

27741. Elizabeth O'Brien, to board 1 child at No. 1052 Second avenue.

27742. Frances M. Weeks, to board 2 children at No. 323 Atlantic avenue.

27743. Bridget Bell, to board 2 children at No. 151 Berry street.

27744. Margaret Lackey, to board 2 children at No. 93 Broadway.

27745. Annie Cavaliero, to board 2 children at No. 124 Court street.

27746. Mary Kelly, to board 2 children at No. 113 Meeker avenue.

27747. Rose McKay, to board 2 children at No. 201 State street.

27748. Ida Kelly, to board 2 children at No. 5817 Third avenue.

27749. Mary Guerin, to board 2 children at No. 115 Wyckoff street.

27750. Ellen Riley, to board 3 children at No. 219 Hull street.

143. Geo. W. McGarl, to keep lodging house (72 lodgers) at Nos. 1 and 3 York street.

27751. Jacob Kochler, to keep 25 chickens at northwest corner Fifty-sixth street and Twelfth avenue.

27752. Jos. Dela Montague, to keep 15 chickens at No. 2440 Eighty-fifth street.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

27753. Mrs. Grace Davis, to board 1 child at No. 332 South street, Jamaica.

27754. Mrs. Frank Churchill, to keep 1 goat at No. 24 Grove street, Flushing.

27755. Mrs. Riska Schork, to keep 50 chickens at No. 1647 Metropolitan avenue, Middle Village.

27756. Andrew P. Genninger, to keep 10 chickens at No. 34 Oak street, Morris Park.

27757. Mary Christensen, to keep 30 chickens at No. 38 Oak street, Morris Park, Long Island.

27758. R. H. Oliver, to keep 25 chickens at No. 58 Smith avenue, Corona.

27759. Hensine Williamson, to keep 6 chickens at No. 30 South Oak street, Richmond Hill.

27760. Hensine Williamson, to keep 6 pigeons at No. 30 South Oak street, Richmond Hill.

27761. Chas. F. Rahn, to keep 25 pigeons at Willow place and Chestnut street, Springfield.

2092. James T. Mulloy, to keep 30 cows at south side of Court street, opposite Prospect avenue, Newtown.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

27762. Wm. Houseman, to use well water at south side Housman avenue, about 300 feet from Todt Hill road, Castleton Corners.

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

On motion, it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Stores.

No.

7995. Watsky Brothers, No. 25 St. Nicholas avenue.

6043. Anton Hornon, No. 2107 Amsterdam avenue.

4350. Joseph Gelband, No. 320 East One Hundredth street.

3107. Henry Schopp, No. 1186 Second avenue.

2867. Nathan Goldstein, No. 3 Forsyth street.

1570. John Rudd, No. 1768 Amsterdam avenue.

285. Ely Liebowitz, No. 1993 Lexington avenue.

208. Emma Bremer, No. 89 Christopher street.

668. Sam Strudler, No. 368 East Tenth street.

1639. Simon Isaacs, No. 221 East Forty-seventh street.

1055. Richard Euring, No. 1025 Second avenue.

1920. Hyman Silver, No. 310 East One Hundred and Third street.

2043. Isaac Garlatzek, No. 407 East One Hundredth street.

2707. Smithmeyer & Fischbach, No. 367 Pearl street.

3055. Alter Oshovsky, No. 407 Cherry street.

3085. Adam Miller, No. 590 Lenox avenue.

3188. Louis Seiger, No. 522 East Thirteenth street.

3412. Joseph Frank, No. 520 East Fourteenth street.

3530. Samuel Krans, Nos. 345 and 347 East Forty-ninth street.

3064. Carmelo Leto, No. 214 Avenue A.

3775. Antonio Ragucci, No. 509 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

3821. Rose Jacobson, No. 82 Madison street.

3873. Aaron Grinsberg, No. 61 Jefferson street.

4056. Jacob Feiler, No. 94 Henry street.

4174. Berthold Meyer, No. 164 East One Hundred and Seventh street.

4300. Louis Weinstein, No. 34 Grand street.

4784. Louis Fusco, No. 2319 First avenue.

4954. Harris Taylor, No. 216 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

5123. Michael Ferzoli, No. 341 East One Hundred and Fourth street.

5126. Samuel Berkowitz, No. 241 East Thirteenth street.

5458. Hyman Shiowitz, No. 176 Monroe street.

5648. Vincenzo Fiscella, No. 228 East One Hundred and Seventh street.

5712. Albert Goldsmith, No. 284 Bleecker street.

5724. Domenico Parrelli, No. 105 Thompson street.

5766. Vincenzo Marchisotto, No. 633 East Thirteenth street.

5787. Clarence E. Benson, No. 62 Bedford street.

5802. John Sarinska, No. 38 Washington street.

5921. Tony Zingales, No. 314 East One Hundred and Seventh street.

6086. Raphael Krentle, No. 1762 Third avenue.

6108. Emanuel D. Myar, No. 396 Eighth avenue.

6201. Samuel Miller, No. 330 East One Hundred and Twentieth street.

6544. Julius Banko, No. 790 Second avenue.

6597. Peter Macherone, No. 63 James street.

6656. Arthur Musso, No. 39 Christopher street.

6867. Peter Perciaccanto, No. 334 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

6922. Lorenze Ciambello, No. 37 Cherry street.

6927. Giacomo Di Carlo, No. 41 Monroe street.

6942. Barnet Breilin, No. 57 Rutgers street.

7400. August Petry, No. 563 Grand street.

7554. Francesco Guarneri, No. 612 East Fourteenth street.

7498. Giuseppe Capozzi, No. 101 West Houston street.

7516. John Bosse, No. 545 Hudson street.

8022. Louis Nadelson, No. 259 Monroe street.

8054. Jacob Dickstein, No. 231 East Twenty-fourth street.

8184. Joseph Toy, No. 303 East Forty-eighth street.

8211. Rose Metrik, No. 217 East One Hundred and Fifth street.

8219. Abraham Koch, No. 2368 First avenue.

8270. Wolf Silverman, No. 179 Avenue C.

8466. Frank Pallaccia, No. 730 Second avenue.

8601. George Millian, No. 2089 Amsterdam avenue.

8748. Joseph Muroff, No. 220 Avenue B.

8840. Kimelman & Lifschitz, No. 369 Lenox avenue.

8966. George Kitney & Bro., No. 215 Henry street.

8993. Gustav Toepel, No. 520 Lenox avenue.

9046. Carmelo Avallone, No. 243 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

9095. Maurice Gunsburger, No. 513 Eighth avenue.

9287. Samuel Feilowitz, No. 174 Cherry street.

9334. Delia Rosenkranz, No. 333 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

9422. Mary Donahue, No. 113 Christopher street.

9444. Mathan Korochoff, No. 210 East Tenth street.

9447. James Mauro, No. 340 East One Hundred and Tenth street.

8670. Meudel Seiowitz, No. 526 East Thirteenth street.

9775. Sam Mateson, No. 117 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

9848. Nadel Brothers, No. 224 Avenue B.

9854. Lee Somicle, No. 401 East One Hundred and Sixth street.

10489. Charles Goldman, No. 74 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

10510. M. Boyajian, No. 326 East Fortieth street.

10732. Sarah Friedman, No. 173 Monroe street.

11209. John Ricete, No. 77 James street.

11303. Harris Greenwald, No. 176 Avenue C.

11418. Peter A. Vulgaris, No. 123 Washington street.

11630. Frank Quaglotti, No. 239 East Fortieth street.

11633. August Swanson, No. 569 Tenth avenue.

11670. Tobias Spielholz, No. 381 East Tenth street.

11744. Philip Litzky, No. 21 Pike street.

11854. Michele Cistalo, No. 67 Thompson street.
 11864. Joseph Fisher, Nos. 673 and 675 Lenox avenue.
 12053. Morris Kreitzer, No. 642 East Eleventh street.
 12057. Felice Pandolino, No. 64 Oliver street.
 12167. Joseph Devino, No. 117 Christopher street.
 12274. Edward Martin, No. 2102 Madison avenue.

Wagons.

1865 to 1881, inclusive. Reid Ice Cream Company, No. 524 Waverly avenue, Brooklyn.
 1882 to 1884, inclusive. H. C. Schriefer, No. 55 Kosciusko street, Brooklyn.
 1885 to 1918, inclusive. Diamond Dairy Company, Nos. 637 and 639 Carlton avenue, Brooklyn.
 1919 to 1927, inclusive. Woodycrest Farm, No. 817 Union avenue, The Bronx.
 1928 to 1941, inclusive. M. H. Renken & Co., No. 204 Classon avenue, Brooklyn.
 1942 to 1963, inclusive. Bay Ridge Dairy Company, No. 5107 Fourth avenue, Brooklyn.
 1964 to 1970, inclusive. The Standard Dairy Company, No. 558 Vanderbilt avenue, Brooklyn.
 1971 to 1977, inclusive. Brooklyn Milk and Cream Company, No. 359 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.
 1978 to 1980, inclusive. Frank F. Hatch, No. 126 West Thirty-sixth street, New York City.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Stores.

1286. Annie Rosenwasser, No. 3987 Third avenue.
 2563. Daniel Reeves, No. 441 Tremont avenue.
 2564. Barnet Schneiderman, No. 3905 Third avenue.
 2565. Richard Meyer, No. 145 St. Anns avenue.
 2566. Max Faber, No. 830 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Stores.

No.
 16730. Louis Cohen, No. 279 Liberty avenue.
 16785. Yetta Naedler, No. 2127 Bergen street.
 16787. Marie Goldapile, No. 170 Harrison avenue.
 16788. Horowitz & Rafalowitz, No. 100 Thatford avenue.
 16790. Fred Weber, No. 401 Smith street.
 16792. Harris Weinberg, No. 1294 Gates avenue.
 16794. Sarah Frankel, No. 167 Harrison avenue.
 16797. Joseph Jacobson, No. 1905 Bergen street.
 16804. Joseph Rabinowitz, No. 474 Saratoga avenue.
 16805. Santo Lucchese, No. 64 Main street.
 16807. Henry Warwig, No. 63 Underhill avenue.
 16809. David Guderman, No. 546 Sutter avenue.
 16810. Rebecca Arbeiter, Nos. 134 and 136 Boerum street.
 16813. Joseph Manney, No. 1068 Fortieth street.
 16814. John M. Wrieden, No. 955 Lafayette avenue.
 16815. Gussie Rudd, No. 137 Grove street.
 16816. Wm. W. Wright, No. 1694 Broadway.
 16818. Christina Osscuort, No. 13 Sackman street.
 16819. Wm. A. Rettner, No. 3440 Fulton street.
 16820. August Upper, No. 231 Howard avenue.
 16821. Stein & Gilensky, No. 272 South Ninth street.
 16824. Michael De Menua, West Seventeenth street (Harts flats).
 16825. John H. Bischoff, No. 1474 Fulton street.
 16828. O. S. Smith & Co., No. 140 Grand street.
 16829. O. S. Smith & Co., No. 350 Bedford avenue.
 16831. Henry Schierenback, No. 291 Maujer street.
 16833. Samuel Bender, No. 177 Rockaway avenue.
 16834. Morris Tepper, No. 93 Tompkins avenue.
 16835. Lawrence Siegler, No. 141 Leonard street.
 16837. Annie Frankiort, No. 645 Fifth avenue.
 16838. Sam Zager, No. 349 Sheffield avenue.
 16839. Israel Chermoy, No. 367 Wyona street.
 16840. John Oster, No. 313 Hamburg avenue.
 16841. Julius Harder, No. 679 Evergreen avenue.
 16842. Israel Zaiberg, No. 998 Myrtle avenue.
 16843. Max Pardes, No. 232 Smith street.
 16844. Barka Packer, No. 43 Thatford avenue.
 16847. Markert & Son, No. 280 Woodbine street.
 16848. Oscar Tall, No. 186 Monitor street.
 16852. Samuel Romeo, No. 74 Main street.
 16853. Sebastiano Vollaro, No. 19 Garfield place.
 16854. Adolph Morer, No. 138 Nostrand avenue.
 16855. Joseph Taub, No. 547 Sutter avenue.
 16857. Benjamin Witzuagle, No. 393 Powell street.
 16858. Henry Brunje, No. 358 Sixth avenue.
 16859. Abraham Nachunsohn, No. 767 Flatbush avenue.
 16860. Morris Pious, No. 151 Liberty avenue.
 16861. Harry Sheifeir, No. 297 Hopkinson avenue.
 16866. John F. Rooney, No. 308 Bediord avenue.
 16870. Chas. Braunstein, Nos. 213 and 215 South Third street.
 16873. Ida Stein, Nos. 935 to 939 DeKalb avenue.
 16874. Henry Hinck, No. 166 Hoyt street.
 16875. Louis Imperiale, No. 837 Kent avenue.
 16876. Lowenthal & Son, No. 371 Georgia avenue.
 16877. Herman Kluge, No. 131 Wyckoff avenue.
 16878. Morris F. Maler, No. 360 Williams avenue.
 16880. Moritz Ketchar, No. 278 South First street.
 16881. Wm. A. Altmann, No. 3904 Fort Hamilton parkway.
 16883. Ole A. Bentsen, No. 289 Columbia street.
 16884. Wm. N. Birkland, No. 608 Fifth avenue.
 16885. Mandy Osterfield, No. 321 Georgia avenue.
 16887. Julius Strehlan, No. 157 Driggs avenue.
 16888. Hyman Lippman, No. 145 Glenmore avenue.
 16889. Henry Meyer, No. 432 Central avenue.
 16890. Friendship Dairy Company, No. 2865 West Fifth street.
 16891. George Richroth, No. 9024 Fifth avenue.
 16892. Ida Schwartz, No. 23 Cook street.
 16893. Joseph Cohen, No. 400 Chester street.
 16895. Siebern & Co., Nostrand and Clarkson avenues.
 16896. Michael J. Hannon, No. 1008 Bediord avenue.
 16897. Minnie Hoerscher, No. 591 Central avenue.
 16898. Henry Geben, No. 145 Cooper street.
 16899. Barnett Friedmann, No. 1520 Pitkin avenue.
 16904. Joseph Malman, No. 99 Greenpoint avenue.
 16906. Frank Rubych, No. 240 Front street.
 16868. Fannie Schechner, No. 760 Washington avenue.
 16907. Mary Teracini, No. 132 Hudson avenue.
 16908. Joseph Goldstein, No. 758 Rockaway avenue.
 16909. Paino Bros., No. 230 Court street.
 16910. Solomon Wanzwag, No. 95 Scholes street.
 16911. Hirsch Baron, No. 27 Cook street.
 16914. Aaron Rosner, No. 1954 Bergen street.
 16915. August Ohtersen, No. 2107 Nostrand avenue.
 16916. Anna M. Nadworny, No. 1417 Gates avenue.
 16918. Annie Alperstein, No. 3817 Fort Hamilton avenue.
 16919. Reuben Weintraub, No. 391 Chester street.
 16920. Rebecca Weintraub, No. 454 Jerome street.
 16921. Christian Radenhausen, No. 782 Rogers avenue.
 16922. Joseph Spanier, No. 52 Stagg street.
 16923. Anna E. Adamson, No. 231 Troy avenue.
 16928. Jacob Dub, No. 92 Cook street.

16929. Jacob Bregman, No. 515 Stone avenue.
 16930. Leibowitz & Levine, No. 407 Van Siclen avenue.
 16931. Harris Levy, No. 410 Chester street.
 16932. Aaron Nyman, No. 1876 Douglass street.
 16933. Lena Feinstein, No. 1477 Myrtle avenue.
 16934. Michael Aaronson, No. 307 Dumont avenue.
 16935. Domenico Suter, No. 44 Main street.
 16938. Henry Hauser, No. 558 Driggs avenue.
 16939. John Kirschenheimer, No. 554 Bushwick avenue.
 16942. Wolf Gershon, No. 83 Union avenue.
 16946. Conj. Radowsky, No. 374 Oakland street.
 16948. Tillie Sovinsky, No. 207 Greene street.
 16950. Flora Wallenstein, No. 237 South Second street.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Stores.

24. John A. Moss, No. 117 Fulton avenue, Long Island City.
 74. L. & H. Waldheim, Webster and Jackson avenues, Long Island City.
 198. Adolph Friedenberger, No. 61 Vernon avenue, Long Island City.
 203. Otto Leivender, Shoe and Leather street, Woodhaven.
 1146. George Meyer, Cypress avenue and Smith street, Evergreen.
 1142. George Biewener, No. 1897 Myrtle avenue, Ridgewood.
 178. Henry Linnemeyer, No. 283 Fairview avenue, Ridgewood.
 268. Anna M. Link (Mrs.), No. 53 Payntar avenue, Long Island City.
 207. Katie Aldag, No. 476 Broadway, Long Island City.
 273. Angelo Varricchio, No. 41 Fourth street, Long Island City.

On motion, it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No.
 13313. Michael Cacamo, to sell milk at No. 107 Thompson street.
 13314. Ceaser Barely, to sell milk at No. 19 Bedford street.
 13315. Harry B. Bernstein, to sell milk at No. 609 Second avenue.
 13316. Sarkes Jelalian, to sell milk at No. 151 Perry street.
 13317. Adam Waller, to sell milk at No. 508 Hudson street.
 13318. Tony Torchia, to sell milk at No. 17 Cherry street.
 13319. Modestino Saveriano, to sell milk at No. 195 Varick street.
 13320. Breakstone Brothers, to sell milk at No. 344 Greenwich street.
 13321. Wm. Petrino, to sell milk at No. 145 Sullivan street.
 13322. Lena Pica, to sell milk at No. 135 Thompson street.
 13323. Giovanni Lanbetti, to sell milk at No. 176 Lafayette street.
 13324. Vincenzo Pillari, to sell milk at No. 40 Hamilton street.
 13325. Joseph Carillo, to sell milk at No. 146 Hester street.
 13326. Joe Bacain, to sell milk at No. 346 East One Hundred and Tenth street.
 13327. Jos. Graneri, to sell milk at No. 309 East One Hundred and Third street.
 13328. Marco Mancuso, to sell milk at No. 507 East Thirteenth street.
 13329. Gaetina Rettino, to sell milk at No. 506 East Fourteenth street.
 13330. Felice Nobile, to sell milk at No. 533 East Thirteenth street.
 13331. Nich. Yocca, to sell milk at No. 317 East Twelfth street.
 13332. Nicola Patti, to sell milk at No. 434 East Eleventh street.
 13333. Frank Fraterrigo, to sell milk at No. 432 East Eleventh street.
 13334. Beakes Dairy Company, to sell milk at No. 206 East Twelfth street.
 13335. Michael M. Blain, to sell milk in Manhattan, at Lafayette avenue, New Brighton, Staten Island.
 13336. Geo. Geier, to sell milk at No. 531 West Forty-second street.
 13337. John P. Haacke, to sell milk in Manhattan, at No. 212 South Second street, Brooklyn.
 13338. Geo. Neckerman, to sell milk at No. 188 East Sixty-fourth street.
 13339. Jersey Dairy Company, to sell milk at No. 238 Division street.
 13340. Clover Farms Company, to sell milk at No. 534 West Forty-eighth street.
 13341. John P. Bruning, to sell milk in Manhattan, at No. 260 Twenty-second street, Brooklyn.
 13342. Wm. H. Blank, to sell milk at No. 314 East Twenty-first street.
 13343. Keystone Dairy Company, to sell milk in Manhattan, at No. 211 Bloomfield street, Hoboken, N. J.
 13344. Willow Brook Dairy, to sell milk in Manhattan, at Nos. 5 and 7 Fulton avenue, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.
 13345. Mutual Milk and Cream Company, to sell milk at No. 214 East Twenty-second street.
 13346. Robinson & Hawkins, to sell milk in Manhattan, at No. 48 Boerum place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 13347. Bernard Roben, to keep birds for sale at No. 57 Dey street.
 13348. Helena Lowy, to board 1 child at No. 319 East Seventy-eighth street.
 13349. Frank E. Huefer, to keep 25 pigeons at No. 12 Commerce street.
 13350. Sarah Bell, to keep chickens at No. 141 East Thirtieth street.
 13351. E. Tepper, to keep stable in cellar at No. 178 Suffolk street.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

13352. Samuel Friedman, to sell milk at No. 1817 Bathgate avenue.
 13353. Michael Brennan, to stable 6 horses in cellar, north side of Two Hundred and Seventeenth street, 150 feet east of White Plains road.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

13354. Edward Kleese, to sell milk at No. 7208 Third avenue.
 13355. Jacob Schwartz, to sell milk at No. 680 DeKalb avenue.
 13356. David Kerner, to sell milk at No. 188 Powell street.
 13357. Aaron Mates, to sell milk at No. 171 Hopkins street.
 13358. Benjamin Werchoosky, to sell milk at No. 369 Sackman street.
 13359. William Winger, to sell milk at No. 128 Ames street.
 13360. Frederick Graf, to sell milk at No. 878 Broadway.
 13361. John Fellini, to sell milk at No. 279 Jay street.
 13362. Harris Dubensky, to sell milk at No. 51 Liberty avenue.
 13363. Ida Bacher, to sell milk at corner of Twelfth avenue and Forty-first street.
 13364. Benjamin Green, to sell milk at No. 535 Rockaway avenue.
 13365. Abraham Schwartz, to sell milk at No. 135 Meserole street.
 13366. David Schwartzmann, to sell milk at No. 784 Park avenue.
 13367. Ida Siegel, to sell milk at No. 447 Rockaway avenue.
 13368. Benjamin Saffer, to sell milk at No. 161 Belmont avenue.
 13369. David Sworsky, to sell milk at No. 547 Sackman street.
 13370. Morris Makowsky, to sell milk at No. 1552 Pitkin avenue.
 13371. Nathan Binder, to sell milk at No. 245 Stockton street.
 13372. George Richroth, to sell milk at No. 9024 Fifth avenue.
 13373. Louis Lembeck, to sell milk at No. 308 Bushwick avenue.
 13374. Fanny Drimer, to sell milk at No. 656 Rockaway avenue.
 13375. Servario Vollaro, to sell milk at No. 82 Navy street.
 13376. Fannie Sternfield, to sell milk at No. 655 Sutter avenue.
 13377. Joseph Holtz, to sell milk at No. 159 Ellery street.
 13378. Anna Steele, to sell milk at No. 8009 Third avenue.
 13379. Herman Huntenburg, to sell milk at No. 487 Sixth avenue.
 13380. Andrea Terracciano, to sell milk at No. 259 Third avenue.
 13381. Wolff Scherer, to sell milk at No. 11 Whipple street.
 13382. Samuel Bergman, to sell milk at No. 208 Floyd street.
 13383. Mary Rosofsky, to sell milk at No. 1305 Forty-second street.
 13384. Charles Cohen, to sell milk at No. 908 Myrtle avenue.
 13385. Eva Berg, to sell milk at No. 25 Whipple street.
 13386. Jacob Bloom, to sell milk at No. 878 Myrtle avenue.
 13387. Abraham Schor, to sell milk at No. 544 Graham avenue.
 13388. David Geller, to sell milk at No. 250 Chester street.
 13389. Ita Zimmermann, to sell milk at No. 380 Bristol street.
 13390. David Zeid, to sell milk at No. 258 Berriman street.
 13391. David Fishback, to sell milk at No. 934 Myrtle avenue.
 13392. William Fenster, to sell milk at No. 1063 DeKalb avenue.
 13393. Barnett C. Brenner, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 76 Leonard street.
 13394. Morris Sherman, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 105 Varet street.

13395. Adolf Starcke, to keep 7 chickens at No. 296 Arlington avenue.
 13396. Daniel J. Langstaff, to keep 50 chickens at No. 165 Atkins avenue.
 13397. Uleric P. Eshleman, to keep 8 chickens at No. 767 Flatbush avenue.
 13398. Henry Newman, to keep 8 chickens at No. 891 Flatbush avenue.
 13399. Rose Leyendecker, to keep 4 chickens at No. 94 Moffatt street.
 13400. Mrs. Mandel, to keep 10 chickens at No. 6810 New Utrecht avenue.
 13401. Mrs. Mandel, to keep 4 pigeons at No. 6810 New Utrecht avenue.
 13402. Bohne Brothers, to use smoke house at No. 1005 Manhattan avenue.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

13403. Mrs. Annie Moore, to board 2 children at No. 62 Willow street, Corona.
 13404. Mrs. V. E. Hughes, to keep 1 rooster at No. 416 North Beech street, Richmond Hill.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

13405. Joseph S. Hoffman, to use well water at corner Sumner and Richmond avenues, Graniteville.

On motion, it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 668. Isidor Rein, to sell milk at No. 368 East Tenth street.
 1639. Simon Isaacs, to sell milk at No. 442 East Seventy-fifth street.
 1655. Frank Kopecky, to sell milk at No. 1025 Second avenue.
 1920. Morris Barkran, to sell milk at No. 310 East One Hundred and Third street.
 2043. Hyman Rosenberg, to sell milk at No. 407 East One Hundredth street.
 2707. Emil Schroeder, to sell milk at No. 367 Pearl street.
 3055. Alter Osherovsky, to sell milk at No. 406 Cherry street.
 3085. Wm. P. Writter, to sell milk at No. 590 Lenox avenue.
 3530. Isaac Klein, to sell milk at Nos. 345 and 347 East Forty-ninth street.
 3664. Andrew Hopko, to sell milk at No. 214 Avenue A.
 3775. Nick Vitullo, to sell milk at No. 338 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.
 3821. Rose Jacobson, to sell milk at No. 84 Madison street.
 3873. Abraham Barodonsky, to sell milk at No. 61 Jefferson street.
 4174. Berthold Meyer, to sell milk at No. 207 East One Hundred and Seventh street.
 4300. Joseph Melillo, to sell milk at No. 34 Grand street.
 4784. Frank Nunciato, to sell milk at No. 2319 First avenue.
 4954. Louis Hammer, to sell milk at No. 12 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
 5123. Michael Ferzoli, to sell milk at No. 341 East One Hundred and Fourth street.
 5126. Morris Barth, to sell milk at No. 241 East Thirteenth street.
 5458. Shikowitz Bros., to sell milk at No. 176 Monroe street.
 5648. Massarella & Vitty, to sell milk at No. 228 East One Hundred and Seventh street.
 5712. Anna Grant, to sell milk at No. 199 Bleecker street.
 5724. Jas. Statello, to sell milk at No. 74 Thompson street.
 5787. Clarence E. Benson, to sell milk at No. 92 Varick street.
 5802. Fred Riechers, to sell milk at No. 684 Washington street.
 5921. Paola Lopresto, to sell milk at No. 314 East One Hundred and Seventh street.
 6086. Julius Gehreg, to sell milk at No. 1762 Third avenue.
 6108. Emanuel D. Myar, to sell milk at No. 688 Third avenue.
 6201. Pauline Winitz, to sell milk at No. 36 Clinton street.
 6544. Rudolf Clemons, to sell milk at No. 790 Second avenue.
 6597. Moses Zabrowsky, to sell milk at No. 40 Clinton street.
 6658. Denis McNamara, to sell milk at No. 85 Christopher street.
 6867. Peter Perciaccanto, to sell milk at No. 334 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.
 6922. Isaac Finkelstein, to sell milk at No. 237 Cherry street.
 6927. Privitero & Brancato, to sell milk at No. 41 Monroe street.
 6942. Berman Goldberg, to sell milk at No. 96 Columbia street.
 7400. Henry Petry, to sell milk at No. 563 Grand street.
 7554. Louis Weiss, to sell milk at No. 276 Delancey street.
 7498. F. Bransfield, to sell milk at No. 752 Columbus avenue.
 7516. Huss & Co., to sell milk at No. 545 Hudson street.
 8022. Israel Goldberg, to sell milk at No. 25 Monroe street.
 8054. N. Stockman, to sell milk at No. 231 East Twenty-fourth street.
 8184. Aloysius Fellenstein, to sell milk at Boston road and Eleventh street, Williamsbridge, New York.
 8211. Joe Ebstein, to sell milk at Nos. 170 and 172 East One Hundred and Fifth street.
 8219. Sam Sher, to sell milk at No. 113 First avenue.
 8270. Morris Kerber, to sell milk at No. 179 Avenue C.
 8466. Mary Ledman, to sell milk at No. 730 Second avenue.
 8601. Gustav Thomas, to sell milk at No. 2129 Amsterdam avenue.
 8748. Benj. Rosenblum, to sell milk at No. 220 Avenue B.
 8840. Lena Remheimer, to sell milk at One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Sheridan avenue.
 8966. Jacob Bogin, to sell milk at No. 35 Henry street.
 8993. Francis Kahn, to sell milk at No. 148 Lenox avenue.
 9046. Antonio Satriali, to sell milk at No. 243 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street.
 9095. Herman Elsaesser, to sell milk at No. 513 Eighth avenue.
 9287. Jake Barakan, to sell milk at No. 260 Cherry street.
 9334. Frank I. Pierce, to sell milk at No. 333 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.
 9422. John Tangredi, to sell milk at No. 85 Christopher street.
 9444. Bernard Friedman, to sell milk at No. 825 Columbus avenue.
 9447. Antony Rovitti, to sell milk at No. 340 East One Hundred and Tenth street.
 9775. Sophie Katz, to sell milk at No. 40 Clinton street.
 9854. Wm. Schell, to sell milk at No. 164 East One Hundred and Sixth street.
 10489. Morris Freeman, to sell milk at No. 22 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street.
 10510. Chas. K. Tarzeyan & Son, to sell milk at No. 326 East Fortieth street.
 19305. Adolph Weiser, to manufacture carbonated waters at No. 64 Rutgers street.
 10732. Sarah Friedman, to sell milk at No. 173 Monroe street.
 11209. Jacob Levine, to sell milk at No. 238 Clinton street.
 11303. Harris Greenwald, to sell milk at No. 173 Avenue C.
 11418. Pater A. Vulgaris, to sell milk at No. 5½ Carlisle street.
 11630. Joseph Greenberg, to sell milk at No. 36 Clinton street.
 11633. Edw. S. Lyon, to sell milk at No. 569 Tenth avenue.
 11744. Philip Litzky, to sell milk at No. 22 Market street.
 11854. Michele Cistalo, to sell milk at No. 71 Thompson street.
 11864. Geo. Joshi & Co., to sell milk at No. 95 Lenox avenue.
 12057. Bridget Pryor, to sell milk at No. 45 Oliver street.
 12167. Joseph Silverman, to sell milk at No. 184 Chrystie street.
 12274. Francis J. Hearn, to sell milk at No. 2102 Madison street.
 189. Ballin & Bernheimer, to use basements at Nos. 515 and 517 Broadway.
 331. Sigmund Heine & Co., to use basement at No. 593 Broadway.
 203. J. K. Stiefel & Co., to use basements at Nos. 457 and 459 Broome street.
 135. Clark, Chapin & Bushnell, to use basements at Nos. 177 and 179 Duane street.
 243. E. L. Rothschild, to use basements at Nos. 517 and 519 Eighth avenue.
 266. L. M. Blumstein, to use basements at Nos. 230 to 236 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
 323. H. H. Pringle, to use basement at No. 2085 Eighth avenue.
 258. Frank Bros., to use basements at Nos. 2153 and 2155 Eighth avenue.
 102. A. H. Terhune, to use basement at No. 2351 Eighth avenue.
 280. Zeimer & Co., to use basement at One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Eighth avenue.
 313. Davis, Solomon & Co., to use basements at Nos. 162 and 164 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
 351. Chas. Wolff & Co., to use basements at Nos. 62 and 64 Greene street.
 335. Weill Bros., to use basement at No. 78 Greene street.
 204. S. E. Howard's Sons & Co., to use basements at Nos. 21 and 23 Mercer street.
 278. M. Jacobs, to use basement at No. 123 Mercer street.
 277. Smith, Gray & Co., to use basement at No. 1245 Broadway.

63. Arnold Constable & Co., to use basement at Broadway and Eighteenth street.
 270. Saks & Co., to use basement at Broadway, Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets.
 88. Kalish Pharmacy, to use basement at Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue.
 68. E. H. Van Ingen & Co., to use basement at Fifth avenue, corner One Hundred and Twenty-first street.
 386. Greenhut & Co., to use basement at Eighteenth street and Sixth avenue.
 44. Siegel Cooper & Co., to use basement at Sixth avenue and Eighteenth to Nineteenth streets.
 9. Cammeyer & Co., to use basement at Sixth avenue and Twentieth street.
 145. Ehrich Bros., to use basement at southwest corner Sixth avenue and Twenty-third street.
 284. Mahler Bros., to use basement at Sixth avenue and Thirty-first street.
 104. Bloomingdale Bros., to use basement at Third avenue, Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street.
 158. Hackett, Carhart & Co., to use basement at No. 841 Broadway.
 295. Rogers Peet & Co., to use basement at No. 842 Broadway.
 69. J. Daniels & Son, to use basement at Broadway and Ninth street.
 375. Alfred Benjamin & Co., to use basement at No. 440 Lafayette street.
 272. R. H. Macy & Co., to use basement at Broadway and Thirty-fourth street.
 275. R. H. Macy & Co., to use basement at Broadway and Thirty-fourth street.
 252. Stern Bros., to use basement at Twenty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
 19. Le Boutillier Bros., to use basement at No. 50 West Twenty-third street.
 1498. Israel Seikwitz, to conduct public bath at No. 80 Forsyth street.
 18055. Samuel Levy, to conduct public bath at No. 253 Grand street.
 22004. Morris Apsill, to conduct public bath at No. 209 Madison street.
 14910. Peter de Philippo, to conduct public bath at No. 4 Market street.
 23194. Fishel Foskowitz, to conduct public bath at No. 23 Orchard street.
 14797. M. Solomon, to conduct public bath at No. 32 Orchard street.
 22190. Mrs. R. Hensler, to board children at No. 72 Avenue B.
 22493. Katie Schlisch, to board children at No. 649 East Thirteenth street.
 25740. Mary Lloyd, to board children at No. 323 East Thirty-ninth street.
 25372. Mrs. A. Manning, to board children at No. 344 East Forty-first street.
 25742. Maggie Feeley, to board children at No. 234 East Fifty-fourth street.
 25797. Mary E. Farewell, to board children at No. 228 East Fifty-sixth street.
 25446. Mary Simmons, to board children at No. 349 East Seventy-sixth street.
 20779. Clara Frederico, to board children at No. 201 East Ninety-seventh street.
 26782. Angelina Matola, to board children at No. 345 East One Hundred and Fourth street.
 25785. Carmela Rocco, to board children at No. 413 East One Hundred and Sixth street.
 27365. Maria La Vecchia, to board children at No. 223 East One Hundred and Tenth street.
 27293. Fortunata Di Meo, to board children at No. 343 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
 27294. Ortense Lamacci Ciccarelli, to board children at Nos. 437 and 439 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
 25385. Anne Yurow, to board children at No. 538 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.
 25743. Antoinette Peterson, to board children at No. 152 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.
 18336. Maggie Reilly, to board children at No. 305 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
 26262. Rosa Picone, to board children at No. 10 Elizabeth street.
 23443. Mrs. Purcell, to board children at No. 1058 First avenue.
 25388. Mrs. Ed. Maloney, to board children at No. 56 Leroy street.
 17591. Mrs. Mary White, to board children at No. 293 Pleasant avenue.
 24446. Annie Lynch, to board children at No. 1451 Second avenue.
 25840. Mrs. Mary Bristol, to board children at No. 1452 Second avenue.
 19878. Mrs. Connell, to board children at No. 1489 Second avenue.
 22954. Mrs. Annie Finan, to board children at No. 2486 Second avenue.
 25953. Therese Durr, to board children at No. 904 Third avenue.
 24676. Mrs. Mary Reddick, to board children at No. 1793 Third avenue.
 26394. Mrs. Anna Ingall, to board children at No. 500 West Twenty-eighth street.
 26269. Anna Savino, to board children at No. 531 West Twenty-ninth street.
 27363. Mrs. Mary Reilly, to board children at No. 435 West Fifty-fourth street.
 24764. Mrs. Mary Donnelly, to board children at No. 358 East Seventy-eighth street.
 24742. Mrs. Millie Kloss, to board children at No. 411 East Ninety-second street.
 25849. Josephine Sarro, to board children at Nos. 302 and 304 East One Hundred and Eighth street.
 25613. Antonia Intriero, to board children at No. 242 East One Hundred and Ninth street.
 25615. Felice Dialorenzo, to board children at No. 212 East One Hundred and Eleventh street.
 27283. Maria Ciculine, to board children at No. 226 East One Hundred and Eleventh street.
 22727. Mrs. M. Joyce, to board children at No. 2337 First avenue.
 23709. Mrs. Imhoff, to board children at No. 2412 First avenue.
 20390. Teresa Creole, to board children at No. 2428 First avenue.
 25035. Mrs. Sarah McCormick, to board children at No. 1513 Lexington avenue.
 24601. Mrs. Barbara Scheuermann, to board children at No. 1697 Lexington avenue.
 22266. Mrs. Lizzie Marsh, to board children at No. 1391 Second avenue.
 24278. Mrs. Mary Williams, to board children at No. 1880 Third avenue.
 19942. Mrs. Margaret Mess, to board children at No. 1886 Third avenue.
 18364. Matilda Sinnott, to board children at No. 2139 Third avenue.
 26974. Margaret Conway, to board children at No. 506 West Fifty-fifth street.
 18382. Herman Ladinsky, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 95 Broome street.
 24620. Samuel Goldberg, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 99 Broome street.
 20685. Aron Goldstein, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 105 Broome street.
 18383. Jos. Asherowitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 149 Broome street.
 18160. Markus Rothman, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 128 Broome street.
 18161. Moses Leibovitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 155 Broome street.
 15400. Shapero Brothers, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 299 Broome street.
 19138. Morris Goldstein, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 57 Cannon street.
 18162. Louis Heinelfarb, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 76 Cannon street.
 25244. W. Schmilowitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 123 Cannon street.
 18984. J. Lefkow, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 234 Cherry street.
 18985. Nathan Knobe, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 258 Cherry street.
 18986. H. Goldstein, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 266 Cherry street.
 18163. Simon Bernstein, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 368 Cherry street.
 18988. N. Norgenstein, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 336 Cherry street.
 18838. M. Rosenthal, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 354 Cherry street.
 15051. Simon & Brandman, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 36 Chrystie street.
 24900. I. Wilner, to manufacture carbonated water at Nos. 240 and 242 Eldridge street.
 22649. D. Frastitir, to manufacture carbonated water at Nos. 241 and 243 Eldridge street.
 18387. Theodora Broadhead, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 284 Grand street.
 20073. Nathan Rubensky, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 113 Lewis street.
 20257. Leopold Lefkowitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 144 Lewis street.
 17054. Saul Schwartzkopf, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 335 Madison street.
 18232. Isaac Waitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 148 Monroe street.
 18399. Solomon Horwitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 252 Monroe street.
 18109. D. Siegel, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 257 Monroe street.
 19146. Isidore Joskolski, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 74 Orchard street.
 17921. Ruben Jacowitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 135 Orchard street.
 22076. Aron Rappaport, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 158 Orchard street.
 15008. John H. Pils, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 630 Third avenue.
 14874. Jacob Mendelowitz, to manufacture carbonated water at No. 664 Third avenue.
 19305. Adolph Weiser, to manufacture carbonated waters at No. 64 Rutgers street.

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1286. Michele MacDonald, to sell milk at No. 3987 Third avenue.
 2230. Ferd. L. Riehman, to sell milk at No. 1001 Forest avenue.
 25745. Pio Marengo, to board 1 child at No. 26 Adams street, Van Nest.
 25410. Maria Frusciante, to board 1 child at No. 2500 Belmont avenue.
 24871. Mrs. Rosina Cosentina, to board 1 child at No. 164 Villa avenue.
 24902. Mrs. H. F. Bantz, to board 1 child at No. 101 Richardson avenue.
 25249. Marion Seuff, to board 2 children at No. 1302 Washington avenue.
 24812. Mrs. E. S. Whitehead, to board 2 children at west side of Havemeyer avenue, - first house north of Watson avenue.

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13251. Simon Feinstein, to sell milk at No. 1042 DeKalb avenue.
 13409. August Supper, to sell milk at No. 224 Eldert street.
 11900. John Anderson, to sell milk at No. 673 Henry street.
 6530. Jacob Giedry, to sell milk at No. 54 Hudson avenue.
 14526. Fedor Wazorko, to sell milk at No. 97 North Sixth street.
 14381. Marino Luzino, to sell milk at No. 371 Manhattan avenue.
 4781. John Leahy, to sell milk at No. 142 North Eighth street.
 15814. John Appelman, to sell milk at No. 248 Patchen avenue.
 13334. Joseph F. Folk, to sell milk at No. 1459 St. Marks avenue.
 16252. Meyerson Marianoff, to sell milk at No. 108 Ames street.
 15124. Israel Gershonoff, to sell milk at No. 554 Blake avenue.
 4168. Leo Pearl, to sell milk at No. 107 Dupont street.
 10608. Joseph Stein, to sell milk at No. 27 Cooke street.
 13608. Chas. Kayfman, to sell milk at No. 142 Graham avenue.
 15948. Rooben Cohen, to sell milk at Nos. 910 and 912 Myrtle avenue.
 6540. Martha Rolfsen, to sell milk at No. 162 Nelson street.
 5243. Henry Kronshage, to sell milk at No. 1361 Third avenue.
 15827. Joseph Horn, to sell milk at No. 4023 Thirteenth avenue.
 13043. August Weber, to sell milk at No. 401 Smith street.
 10785. August Stelling, to sell milk at No. 166 Hoyt street.
 13752. Hy. I. Kuckens, to sell milk at No. 544 Wythe avenue.
 9789. Frucht & Katz, to sell milk at No. 83 Cook street.
 7256. Wm. N. Birkland, to sell milk at No. 289 Columbia street.
 2036. L. Spach, to sell milk at No. 608 Fifth avenue.
 12688. The Thos. Blythe M. and C. Co., to sell milk at No. 2865 West Fifth street, Coney Island.
 15216. Thos. Blythe, to sell milk at Surf avenue and Kensington walk.
 13514. Joseph Goldstein, to sell milk at No. 511 Rockaway avenue.
 16709. Anna Nadworny, to sell milk at southwest corner of Knickerbocker avenue and Madison street.
 16701. Mary Rosofsky, to sell milk at No. 4121 Thirteenth avenue.
 16504. Samuel Levine, to sell milk at No. 267 Dumont avenue.
 12471. David Drimer, to sell milk at No. 324 Chester street.
 9007. Agnes M. Schnaars, to sell milk at No. 469 Sixth avenue.
 26567. Giuseppe Venezia, to board children at No. 490 President street.
 27007. Marie Gressota, to board children at No. 599 Liberty avenue.
 26110. Abbie Buckman, to board children at Barbey and Livonia streets.
 24700. Francesca Lamana, to board children at No. 6614 Fourteenth avenue.
 25896. Ellen Fitzpatrick, to board children at No. 135 North Ninth street.
 26936. Delia Askling, to board children at No. 236 Eighth street.
 25643. Vincenzo Valglica, to board children at No. 343 Linden street.
 26694. Annie Lu Chasie, to board children at No. 16 Bay Twenty-second street.

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25493. Mrs. Sabina Dubon, to board 1 child at No. 420 Steinway avenue, Long Island City.
 25580. Mrs. James Moore, to board 2 children at No. 63 Oak street, Corona.
 17224. Rose Gottlieb, to keep 20 fowl at No. 267 St. Nicholas avenue, Ridgewood. Seventh—Reports on applications for relief from orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be extended, modified or rescinded, as follows:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 618. No. 103 Goerck street, extended until February 10, 1908.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

2353. West side of Lincoln place, 400 feet south of Cherry lane, West New Brighton, extended until March 18, 1908.

On motion, it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 302. No. 53 Hester street.
 311. No. 53 Washington street.
 477. No. 530 East Eighteenth street.
 536. No. 436 Grand street.
 575. No. 136 Suffolk street.
 960. Nos. 517 and 519 Eighth avenue.
 12083. No. 590 Washington street.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

2840. No. 2942 Third avenue.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

998. No. 9 South avenue, Mariners Harbor.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

Division of Inspections.

Second—Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector.

(a) Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police.

Ordered on file.

(b) Report of violations of section 63 of the Sanitary Code.

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

Division of Contagious Diseases.

Third—Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector.

(a) Monthly reports of charitable institutions.

(b) Reports of inspections of discharged patients from Willard Parker, Reception and Riverside hospitals.

Ordered on file.

Division of Communicable Diseases.

Fourth—Weekly report of Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

Division of Laboratories.

Fifth—Weekly report of the Pathologist and Directors of the Chemical, Research and Vaccine laboratories. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

Division of Sanitary Inspection.

Second—Weekly report of the Chief Inspector.

(a) Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police.

Ordered on file.

Division of Contagious Diseases.

Third—Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

Bureau of Records.

The following communications were received from the Registrar of Records:

First—Weekly report. Ordered on file.

Second—Reports on applications to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was

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

Mary Anderson, born April 30, 1892.
 Robert Anderson, born April 3, 1895.
 Rose Anderson, born June 23, 1897.
 Elizabeth Elenora Wack, born June 20, 1904.
 Stanislas Bernadino Sconza, born November 15, 1904.
 Hanna Rachel Fovoprudsky, born August 28, 1907.
 Margaret Ethel Brown, born December 13, 1907.
 Berke Markman, died August 13, 1907.
 Joseph Krebs, died October 30, 1907.
 Andrea Ferraioli, died November 10, 1907.
 Whynham Lewis, died December 14, 1907.
 Adam Janneski, died December 20, 1907.
 Mary C. A. McClure, died January 15, 1908.
 Michael Bayonne, died January 17, 1908.
 Amelia Black, died January 24, 1908.
 Julius H. Arnold, died January 24, 1908.
 Moses Margulies, died January 29, 1905.
 Mary A. Carson, died January 31, 1908.

Fourth—Reports on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

On motion, it was

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

Benne Belchik, born November 10, 1901.
 James Blotto, born June 13, 1902.
 Fishel Blumenstein, born January 5, 1901.
 Edward Budner, born September 17, 1901.
 Esther Caeser, born January 13, 1902.
 Elizabeth Cargne, born December 17, 1902.
 Edith J. Cohn, born July 5, 1901.
 Carmino Di Carlo, born April 5, 1899.
 Julius Dickman, born November 15, 1902.
 Lina Demian, born December 25, 1901.
 Sidney Elson, born January 6, 1902.
 Eileen Eve, born July 12, 1901.
 Isidor Richter, born December 17, 1901.
 Wm. Riese, born January 15, 1902.
 Serre Rubin, born February 10, 1902.
 Frank Rubicki, born March 14, 1899.
 Milton L. Salomon, born February 18, 1903.
 William Schick, born January 1, 1902.
 Helen Scholk, born May 19, 1901.
 Mildred Schwartz, born February 1, 1902.
 Louis Singer, born December 28, 1901.
 Abr. Tatakman, born November 4, 1901.
 Gus. Topper, born December 1, 1901.
 Jalmo S. Wolfson, born July 4, 1901.
 Yetta Zimmerman, born February 10, 1902.
 Sophie Weidner, born November 27, 1901.
 Edgar C. Wunder, born December 4, 1901.
 Henry Judd, born May 16, 1902.
 Madeline Carroll, born November 25, 1902.
 Ruthe Lamkay, born January 12, 1902.
 Victor Lashewitz, born March 1, 1903.
 Hester I. McDonald, born November 29, 1899.
 Catherine F. McDonnell, born December 4, 1901.
 Louis Meyers, born November 4, 1901.
 Dora Minkin, born February 2, 1902.
 Salomon Moore, born January 29, 1902.
 Dora Oballs, born June 13, 1902.
 Rosie Ochs, born July 15, 1902.
 James Owens, born July 29, 1901.
 Beckie Pistrang, born March 13, 1902.
 Wm. C. Reynolds, born March 30, 1902.
 Ethel May Coffin, born August 1, 1902.
 Lillian Shaffer, born July 3, 1901.
 Isidor Bosin, born January 17, 1901.
 Mollie Feldman, born March 21, 1903.
 Giuseppe Fucigna, born May 19, 1902.
 Mary Giacoma, born November 10, 1900.
 David Goldenberg, born April 5, 1903.
 Harris Goldman, born January 19, 1903.
 Helen Gruenwald, born May 13, 1901.
 Sadie Hern, born December 30, 1901.
 Franklin House, born August 10, 1900.
 Gustav A. T. Johnson, born September 5, 1901.
 Sam Katz, born July 21, 1901.
 Jerome Kaufman, born December 25, 1900.
 Mayer Kleinman, born November 1, 1901.
 Morris Seifert, born November 4, 1906.
 Edward J. Fallows, born March 1, 1901.
 Bella Berman, born June 24, 1902.
 Fanny Miller, born July 9, 1902.
 Robert K. Gardner, born May 15, 1903.
 Beatrice Libenstein, born November 22, 1901.
 Grace E. Davis, born April 1, 1904.
 Robert H. Pope, born April 11, 1902.
 Henry Carlin, born October 29, 1902.

Leave of Absence.

Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Peter Murphy, January 29 to January 30, 1908.
 Kate McCabe, January 6 to January 25, 1908.
 John J. Kennedy, January 20 to January 26, 1908.
 George E. Hoch, January 29 to January 30, 1908.
 Benjamin Jurist, January 29 to February 1, 1908.
 Mary Purdy, January 27 to January 28, 1908.
 Dominick Rottkamp, January 24 to February 3, 1908.
 Lester M. Friedman, February 4 to February 6, 1908.
 James W. Naughton, January 29 to February 1, 1908.
 John R. Hicks, February 4 to February 7, 1908.
 Nancy Frances Dorsey, January 23 to January 29, 1908.
 Mary A. Chancellor, January 27, 1908.
 Mary Lawler, January 28 to January 30, 1908.

Arthur Rosenberg, January 20 to January 25, 1908.

Mae F. Donnelly, January 29, 1908.

C. L. Delehanty, January 20 to January 22, 1908.

Bernard Joseph O'Dea, February 3, 1908.

John J. Gough, January 25, 1908.

Josepha Kirschbaum, January 24 to January 27, 1908.

May L. Cole, January 29, to January 30, 1908.

Margaret Butler, January 20 to January 30, 1908.

Isabelle Rowland, January 29 to February 2, 1908.

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Charles E. Bunker, M. D., January 29, 1908.

C. D. Jones, M. D., January 14 to January 15, 1908.

Louis A. Friedman, M. D., January 29, 1908.

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H. B. Jones, M. D., January 29 to February 3, 1908.

Maxwell J. Lucaire, January 28, 1908.

Anna Spencer, January 24 to January 29, 1908.

Eva Marine, January 27 to January 29, 1908.

Isadore Cohn, M. D., January 30, 1908.

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Arthur W. Thompson, M. D., January 25 to January 27, 1908.

Arthur R. Woods, January 24, 1908.

G. M. Streeper, M. D., January 24, 1908.

Bernard Rein, M. D., January 24, 1908.

Joseph M. Doyle, M. D., January 24, 1908.

John Kaiser, January 24, 1908.

A statement of the condition of the Health Department Pension Fund on February 1, 1908, was received and ordered on file.

A copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, January 10, 1908, and the Board of Aldermen, January 21, 1908, and approved by his Honor the Mayor, January 28, 1908, fixing the rate of compensation for Engineer at \$4.50 per diem in each and every department or office now having the position of Engineer in its payrolls in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond, was received; and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the salaries of Stationary Engineers in the employ of this Department be and the same are hereby fixed at the prevailing rate of wages, viz., \$4.50 per diem, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, January 10, 1908, and the Board of Aldermen, January 21, 1908, and approved by his Honor the Mayor, January 28, 1908, to take effect February 1, 1908.

A communication from the Comptroller dated April 24, 1907, turning over certain property situate between East Fifteenth street and East Sixteenth street and Avenue D, in the Borough of Manhattan, to the Department of Health, was received and ordered on file.

The Finance Committee presented vouchers for the expenditure of six hundred dollars (\$600), received from the office of the Comptroller on February 8, 1908 (Series No. 1, 1908, Check No. 1684), pursuant to the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted October 8, 1907, and approved by the Mayor, October 14, 1907. The same were approved and the Secretary was directed to forward them to the Comptroller.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to make Requisition No. 2, 1908, upon the Comptroller for the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600), account of Borough Administration of Sanitation and Prevention of Contagious Diseases, Contingencies, 1908 (Brooklyn), for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Health, pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 8, 1907, and approved by the Mayor, October 14, 1907.

A communication from the Police Commissioner regarding vacation of members of the Sanitary Police Squad was received and ordered on file.

The application of William Horne Company for an extension of time of 218 days for the completion of the contract for installing a refrigerating plant in the laboratory building on the grounds of the Willard Parker Hospital was received, and, on recommendation of Westervelt & Austin, the architects, it was

Resolved, That the refrigerating plant on the grounds of the Willard Parker Hospital, in the Borough of Manhattan, contract for furnishing and installing, which was awarded to William Horne Company, be and the same is hereby accepted and an extension of time of 218 days, being the period beyond the time stipulated in the contract for completing same, is granted.

On recommendation of the General Medical Officer, it was

Resolved, That the President of this Board be and he is hereby authorized to cause such amount of the lumber, being the property of the Department of Health, now on the grounds of the sanatorium for the treatment of persons living in The City of New York suffering with tuberculosis, located at Otisville, Town of Mount Hope, Orange County, New York, as may be necessary, to be utilized in constructing an extension to the dining pavilion now located on said grounds.

The President submitted correspondence received from P. Gallagher, contractor, for furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary or required to erect and complete a fireproof office building at Willoughby and Fleet streets, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; Luke D. Stapleton, attorney for said P. Gallagher, and Bradford Lee Gilbert, architect of the plans and specifications for such building, and the same was taken into consideration.

Report of the Superintendent of Hospitals, dated February 15, 1908, containing a list of articles, the property of the Department of Health, unfit for further use, and recommending that said articles be condemned and sold at public auction, and that an arrangement be made with the Department of Street Cleaning in order that the sale may take place on the premises of said Department simultaneously with the sale of articles condemned by said Department of Street Cleaning, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the articles enumerated in a report submitted to this Board by the Superintendent of Hospitals this date, viz.:

One Oldsmobile;

One automobile ambulance;

One coupe;

One lot of lead and wire telephone cable (about 1,500 feet);

One lot of rope;

One launch;

One lot of rubber, consisting of rubber shoes, coats, bags, etc.;

One lot of old rubber automobile tires;

—be and the same are hereby condemned, and that they be sold at public auction by and under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent of the Department of Health.

On recommendation of the General Medical Officer, it was

Resolved, That the President of this Board be and is hereby authorized to employ Rev. Robert S. Young of Otisville, N. Y., at such times as in his judgment may be necessary, for the purpose of conducting religious services at the sanatorium for the care and treatment of persons living in The City of New York suffering with tuberculosis, located at Otisville, Town of Mount Hope, Orange County, N. Y.

On recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That the President of this Board be and is hereby authorized to employ six dog catchers at the rate of \$50 for each dog catcher per month, and three teams, wagons and drivers, at the rate of \$5 for each team, wagon and driver per day, from the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to be employed in catching and collecting stray dogs in the Borough of Richmond, such compensation to be paid from the fund appropriated for the abatement of nuisances in the Borough of Richmond, and such authorization to take effect as of January 1, 1908.

Reports of inspections of the Kings County Iron Foundry, North Thirteenth and Berry streets, Borough of Brooklyn, dated January 23 and February 3, 1908, were submitted by the Sanitary Superintendent and referred to Commissioner Baker.

A memorandum of Alexander Haring, Civil Engineer, of University Heights, on the condition of the Pennsylvania tunnel, was received and ordered on file.

Report of an investigation of a complaint received by the Sanitary Superintendent relating to the discharge of sewage into the Paerdegat Basin, Borough of Brooklyn, was received and the Secretary was directed to forward a copy of same to the Presi-

dent of the Borough of Brooklyn for investigation and such attention as he might deem necessary.

The petition of property owners and taxpayers at Bayside, Long Island, regarding Crocheron Pond, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

Maurice E. Howlett, of Howlett & Leihy, proprietors of the Continental Boarding and Livery Stables, located at Nos. 850 and 852 Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, appeared before the Board with reference to the enforcement of Order No. 13888, issued against said premises December 4, 1907, and was heard. After consideration of the matters submitted by Mr. Howlett, the order was referred to the Sanitary Superintendent for reinspection.

A communication from the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals relative to defective death certificates issued by the hospitals of the said Department, was received and ordered on file.

Robert H. Anderson, M. D., of No. 252 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, appeared, pursuant to notice, and was heard in relation to his action in falsely reporting the case of Alice Waldron, of No. 225 West Forty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, ill with diphtheria, as that of Mary Anderson, of No. 252 Madison avenue. After consideration of the explanation offered by Dr. Anderson, the Secretary was directed to forward the papers to the Corporation Counsel for prosecution.

Frank L. Tucker, M. D., of No. 404 Ninth street, Borough of Brooklyn, who was notified to appear before the Board and explain his action in falsely reporting the case of Ralph Heppe, of No. 364 Fourteenth street, Borough of Brooklyn, ill with diphtheria, as Ralph Otto, of No. 333 Fifteenth street, Borough of Brooklyn, having failed to appear, the Secretary was directed to forward the papers to the Corporation Counsel for prosecution.

Report in relation to the cases of Mrs. Allie Landon, age 29 years, and Theodore Landon, age 5 years and 8 months, of No. 526 West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, suffering with smallpox, was received and ordered on file.

Report in relation to the case of Helen Irwin, No. 560 Fifty-fourth street, Borough of Brooklyn, removed to the Kingston Avenue Hospital, suffering with variola, was received and ordered on file.

Communication from the Corporation Counsel regarding the disposal of the suit instituted against S. Musikoff, undertaker, of No. 167 Osborn street, Borough of Brooklyn, for removing the remains of Israel Goldstein, deceased, to No. 474 Rockaway avenue, without a permit from the Department of Health, was received and ordered on file.

The application of James T. Mulloy for permit to keep thirty cows on the premises on the south side of Court street, opposite Prospect avenue, Newtown, Borough of Queens, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to issue a permit to James T. Mulloy to keep thirty cows on the premises on the south side of Court street, opposite Prospect avenue, Newtown, Borough of Queens.

The application of James O'Hare for permit to keep eighteen cows on the site at Classon Point, one-half mile south of Classon Point road, Westchester, Borough of The Bronx, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to issue a permit to James O'Hare to keep eighteen cows on the site at Classon Point, one-half mile south of Classon Point road, Westchester, Borough of The Bronx.

The application of Siegfried Glass for the approval of the site on the northeast corner of Belmont and Thatford avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, for the location of a poultry slaughter house, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That the site on the northeast corner of Belmont and Thatford avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, upon which Siegfried Glass proposes to locate a poultry slaughter house be and the same is hereby disapproved.

Report of the commencement of the preventive hydrophobia treatment, in the case of G. Baumann, No. 380 East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, was received and approved, and ordered on file.

Report of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to Dr. Ralph Waldo, No. 54 West Seventy-first street, Borough of Manhattan, at a charge of \$3 for postage, was received and approved, and ordered on file.

Report of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to Dr. Sherwood, No. 107 West Thirty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, for the treatment of a dog, at a charge of \$10, was received and approved, and ordered on file.

Reports of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to the following named persons, at a charge of \$25 for each case:

Dr. Reichard, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.;

Dr. William Litterer, Nashville, Tenn.;

Allen Northrup, Brockport, N. Y.;

Cleveland Board of Health, Cleveland, Ohio;

Dr. E. M. Howley, Norwalk, Ohio;

S. J. Koerbel, Binghamton, N. Y.;

Dr. C. H. Bangs, Lynn, Mass.;

Dr. C. W. Provost, Pittston, Pa. (2 cases),

were received and approved, and ordered on file.

Report of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to Dr. J. H. Nichols, Tewkesbury, Mass., at a charge of \$20, as per resolution of the Board, adopted May 1, 1907, was received and approved, and ordered on file.

Report of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, R. I., for two cases, at a charge of \$20 for each case, as per resolution of the Board, dated February 3, 1907, was received and approved, and ordered on file.

On motion, it

Resolved, That the charge for the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to Dr. Ernest Scott, Columbus, Ohio, be and the same is hereby fixed at the rate of \$10.

Certain applications for certificates of employment were received and the evidence submitted as to the age of the applicants being in accordance with the requirements of the law relating to the employment of women and children in mercantile and other establishments, as amended; it was

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be and is hereby directed to cause certificates of employment to be issued to the following named applicants, the applications of whom are recorded as being in compliance with the requirements of the law relating to the employment of women and children in mercantile and other establishments:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Ida Postilnik,

Jennie Lerit,

Lena Sunshine,

Celia Hurdus,

Rachel Harris,

Robert Wolf,

Lena Tilles,

Sophie Berman,

Samuel Cohen,

Emma Behr,

Moses Klemantopsky,

Rose Harris,

Daniel Brendler,

Samuel Greenbaum,

George Greenberg,

David Hammer,

Rose Tanefsky,

Susie Kronfeld,

Annie Roberow.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Theodore M. Sullivan.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Tillie Weiss,

Tillie Winnick,

Jacob Zimmerman,

Henry Serine,

Henry Smith.

On recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, it was

Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to record the birth of the following named persons in a special book, kept for such purpose, in the Bureau of Records of the Department of Health, pursuant to the provisions of section 1241, chapter 466, of the Laws of 1901:

Marion E. Phillips, born December 24, 1894.

Fanny Resnick, born September 28, 1893.

Ruth Freshman, born July 27, 1893.

Walter L. Lottier, born July 31, 1897.

Remington A. Scott, born February 3, 1897.

Fay Scott, born October 23, 1887.
 Edith M. Pennington, born July 12, 1893.
 Charles J. Vlach, born August 11, 1894.
 Charles Reisfeld, born September 19, 1893.
 Frederick W. Scott, born December 20, 1891.
 Benjamin Zimet, born May 27, 1893.
 A report of damage caused to wagon No. 10 by surface car No. 1824, January 11, 1908, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, the Secretary was directed to forward the papers in reference to the matter to the Corporation Counsel for suit.

Report of damage caused to wagon No. 5 by surface car No. 284, January 6, 1908, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, the Secretary was directed to forward the papers in reference to the matter to the Corporation Counsel for suit.

The application of Harry S. Sullivan, a Stenographer and Typewriter, assigned to duty in the Borough of Brooklyn, for appointment to the position of fourth grade clerk, was received and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That Harry S. Sullivan, a Stenographer and Typewriter of the second grade, in the employ of this Department, assigned to duty in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he hereby is appointed a Clerk of the fourth grade in accordance with the rules and classification of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, to take effect February 5, 1908.

The application of Adelaide L. McNamara, a Stenographer and Typewriter, in the employ of this Department, assigned to duty in the Borough of Richmond, for promotion to the position of fourth grade Clerk, was received, and referred to the President.

Report of the transfer of Patrolman James Wall, of the Eightieth Precinct, and William Schmeiser, of the Sixteenth Precinct, to the Health Squad, to take effect February 1, 1908, was received and approved, and ordered on file.

Report of the transfer of Edward C. Goodwin, a Clerk, from the Division of Communicable Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn, to the Division of Inspections, Borough of Brooklyn, to take effect February 3, 1908, was received from the Sanitary Superintendent, and approved and ordered on file.

Report of the transfer of Max Huhner, M. D., a Medical Inspector, from the Trachoma Hospital, Borough of Manhattan, to the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, to take effect February 1, 1908, was received from the Sanitary Superintendent and approved and ordered on file.

On recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That the services of the following named Medical Inspectors assigned to duty in the Borough of Brooklyn be and are hereby dispensed with owing to the necessary reduction of the force of Medical Inspectors in the Department and the discontinuance of the duties performed by them, in order to conform to the appropriation available for the support and maintenance of the particular kind of work in which they have been engaged, to take effect February 7, 1908:

David Blumstein, M. D., No. 302 West Twenty-seventh street.
 Jacob Braun, M. D., No. 268 Seventh street.
 Samuel Druskin, M. D., No. 214 East Broadway.
 Joseph Grief, M. D., No. 708 Sixth street.
 Emily L. Hill, M. D., No. 100 West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.
 Samuel Hollender, M. D., No. 300 Stanton street.
 Joseph T. Low, Jr., M. D., No. 242 East Sixty-ninth street.
 Jacob Rosenbluth, M. D., No. 258 East Seventh street.
 Herman O. Wolff, M. D., No. 84 East One Hundred and Eighth street.
 J. Addison Woolly, M. D., No. 203 Washington avenue, Brooklyn.
 Maude Glasgow, M. D., No. 110 East Eighty-first street.
 Abraham Bernstein, M. D., No. 318 East Fourth street.

On recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That the services of the following named Disinfectors, assigned to duty in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and are hereby dispensed with owing to the reduction of the force of Disinfectors in the Department and the discontinuance of the duties performed by them, owing to lack of work, to take effect February 10, 1908:

James E. Darcy, No. 76 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.
 Samuel Sperling, Fifty-sixth street and Benson avenue, Brooklyn.
 Cornelius J. Hurley, No. 131 Eleventh street, Long Island City.

Thomas J. McGreal, No. 716 Degraw street, Brooklyn.

The resignation of John N. Doberstein, a Clerk assigned to duty in the Division of Inspections, Borough of Brooklyn, to take effect February 3, 1908, was received and accepted.

The resignation of Frederic Montgomery, a Laboratory Assistant, assigned to duty in the Research Laboratory, Borough of Manhattan, to take effect February 1, 1908, was received and accepted.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Elizabeth F. Catterson, of No. 262 Franklin street, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby appointed a Stenographer and Typewriter in this Department and assigned to duty in the Division of Inspections, Borough of Manhattan, with salary at the rate of \$600 per annum, pursuant to the rules and classification of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, to take effect February 7, 1908.

Notices that they intend to take advantage of the provisions of chapter 373 of the Laws of 1907, entitled "An Act to Amend the Greater New York Charter in Relation to the Health Department Pension Fund," and consenting that a sum of money equal to one per centum of their monthly pay, salary or compensation may be deducted monthly by the Comptroller of The City of New York therefrom, were received from the following named Physicians and Employees of the Department of Health:

Edwin H. Assenheimer.
 Wm. H. Bellinger.
 Minnie Brogan.
 Gertrude Brown.
 Noel Campbell.
 John J. Carroll.
 O. Howard Cobb.
 Anna C. Connor.
 Gertrude A. Dilgen.
 Samuel Feldstein.
 Elizabeth C. Foley.
 Abraham A. Frant.
 Samuel Friedman, M. D.
 Samuel Gellert, M. D.
 Joseph Greif, M. D.
 May F. Halloway.
 Louis I. Harris.
 Philip Horowitz, M. D.
 Harold B. Judd.
 Bridget V. Kehoe.
 Henry W. Lehmkuhl.
 Max Lippman.
 Daniel E. Maguire.
 James F. C. McDonald.
 J. W. Meagher, M. D.
 Gertrude M. Miller.
 Henry J. Naylor.
 Mary E. O'Brien.
 Salvatore Parente.
 Morris Rosenbaum.
 Rhoda R. Ross.
 Susan V. Schilling.
 Isadore Seff.
 Helen Smith.
 Samuel Sperling.
 Clara Stern.
 James F. Tilson.
 Margaret Traynor.
 Cora I. Upham.
 Robert A. Wacker.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., February 19, 1908.

To the Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, New York City:

Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith quarterly report of the Department of Bridges for the three months ending December 31, 1907.

Respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Commissioner of Bridges.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, January 2, 1908.

To the Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, New York City:

Sir—Pursuant to section 1544 of the Greater New York Charter, I have the honor to submit the following report of the Department of Bridges for the term ending December 31, 1907.

The changes in employees and salaries have been as follows, for the period from October 1, 1907, to January 1, 1908:

Appointments.

Oct. 4. 1 Structural Steel Draughtsman, per year.....	\$1,800 00
Oct. 5. 2 Structural Draughtsmen, per year.....	1,800 00
Oct. 14. 1 Structural Steel Draughtsman, per year.....	1,800 00
Oct. 21. 1 Inspector of Masonry, per hour.....	61 1/2
Oct. 21. 1 Wireman, per hour.....	50
Nov. 15. 1 Structural Steel Draughtsman, per year.....	1,800 00
Dec. 4. 1 Consulting Engineer, per year.....	7,500 00
Dec. 26. 2 Stokers, per hour.....	37 1/2
Dec. 30. 1 Stoker, per hour.....	37 1/2

Transfers.

Oct. 1. 1 Dynamo Engineer, to College of The City of New York, per hour.....	\$0 50
Oct. 12. 1 Laborer, from Department of Parks, Brooklyn, per hour.....	28 1/2
Oct. 14. 1 Inspector of Masonry, from Department of Sewers, Manhattan, per hour.....	61 1/2
Oct. 15. 1 Laborer, from Department of Street Cleaning, per hour.....	28 1/2
Oct. 22. 2 Laborers, from Department of Street Cleaning, per hour.....	28 1/2
Oct. 31. 1 Inspector of Masonry, from Aqueduct Commission, per hour.....	61 1/2
Nov. 1. 1 Clerk, from Tenement House Department, per year.....	1,050 00
Nov. 3. 1 Oiler, to College of The City of New York, per hour.....	28 1/2
Nov. 14. 1 Architectural Draughtsman, from Public Service Commission, per year.....	1,500 00
Nov. 13. 1 Laborer, from President, Borough of Brooklyn, per hour.....	28 1/2
Dec. 1. 1 Rodman, from Public Service Commission, per year.....	1,050 00
Dec. 1. 1 Structural Steel Draughtsman, from Department of Education, per year.....	1,800 00

Discharges.

Dec. 22. 7 Painters (Bridge), per hour.....	\$0 50
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Resignations.

Nov. 1. 1 Wireman, per hour.....	\$0 50
Nov. 30. 1 Consulting Engineer, per year.....	7,500 00
Nov. 7. 1 Inspector of Masonry, per hour.....	61 1/2
Nov. 17. 1 Bridge Draughtsman, per year.....	1,800 00

Deaths.

Nov. 18. 1 Bridge Keeper, per year.....	\$900 00
Nov. 27. 1 Bridge Tender, per year.....	900 00
Dec. 13. 1 Bridge Tender, per year.....	900 00

Decreases.

Oct. 13. 1 Bridge Tender, \$900 per year, to Laborer, per hour.....	\$0 34 1/4
Nov. 17. 1 Laborer, 34 1/4 cents per hour to.....	31 1/4

Promotions and Increases.

Oct. 1. 2 Levelers, \$1,350 per year, to Transitman, per year.....	\$1,800 00
Oct. 1. 1 Clerk, at \$1,950 per year to.....	2,250 00
Oct. 1. 1 Clerk, at \$1,500 per year to.....	1,950 00
Oct. 1. 1 Bridge Tender, at \$730 per year to.....	900 00
Oct. 1. 2 Bridge Tenders, from \$839.50 per year to.....	900 00
Oct. 6. 1 Carpenter, from 56 1/4 cents per hour to, per week.....	27 00
Oct. 6. 1 Riveter, from 56 1/4 cents per hour to.....	62 1/2
Oct. 12. 1 Stenographer, at \$1,500 per year, to Clerk, at, per year.....	1,500 00
Oct. 13. 4 Laborers, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to.....	31 1/4
Oct. 13. 2 Laborers, at 28 1/2 cents per hour to, Drivers, at, per hour.....	30
Oct. 13. 1 Watchman, from 31 1/4 cents per hour to.....	37 1/2
Oct. 20. 1 Mason's Helper, from 31 1/4 cents per hour to.....	37 1/2
Oct. 20. 1 Laborer, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to, per week.....	15 00
Oct. 20. 1 Laborer, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to.....	34 1/2
Oct. 20. 1 Carpenter, from 56 1/4 cents per hour to, per week.....	27 00
Oct. 27. 1 Laborer, from \$12 per week to, per hour.....	28 1/2
Oct. 27. 1 Ship Carpenter, from 56 1/4 cents per hour to, per week.....	27 00
Nov. 1. 1 Bridge Keeper, from \$900 per year to.....	1,095 00
Nov. 1. 1 Messenger, from \$1,050 per year to.....	1,200 00
Nov. 3. 1 Laborer, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to.....	31 1/4
Nov. 10. 1 Laborer, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to, per week.....	13 50
Nov. 11. 1 Carpenter, from 56 1/4 cents per hour to, per week.....	27 00
Nov. 15. 1 Draughtsman, at \$1,800 per year, to Assistant Engineer, at, per year.....	1,800 00
Nov. 17. 1 Carpenter, from 56 1/4 cents per hour to, per week.....	27 00
Nov. 17. 1 Laborer-Rockman, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to.....	31 1/4
Nov. 24. 1 Watchman, from 28 1/2 cents per hour to.....	31 1/4
Dec. 1. 1 Chief Clerk, from \$2,550 per year to.....	3,000 00
Dec. 15. 1 Stoker, at 37 1/2 cents per hour, to Engineman, at, per hour.....	50
Dec. 29. 1 Painter, from 50 cents per hour to, per week.....	24 00

Reinstated.

Nov. 14. 1 Axeman, at, per year.....	\$900 00
Dec. 31. 1 Structural Steel Draughtsman, at, per year.....	1,800 00

Financial Report of the Department of Bridges for Three Months Ending December 31, 1907.

Title of Appropriation.	Appropriation for Year 1907.	Total Amount Vouchers Certified to Comptroller.	Balance of Appropriation.	Amount Certified to Comptroller in Past Three Months.
Salaries, General Administration.	\$53,200 00	\$51,015 99	\$2,184 01	\$12,800 05
Supplies and Contingencies.....	3,000 00	2,750 55	249 45	791 15
Harlem River Bridges.....	261,133 10	233,302 31	27,830 79	54,670 63
Newtown Creek Bridges.....	81,600 00	78,469 03	3,130 97	19,482 26
Borough of Brooklyn.....	78,466 00	64,322 63	14,143 37	16,990 91
Borough of The Bronx.....	35,546 50	33,846 33	1,700 17	9,702 07
Borough of Queens.....	30,600 00	26,360 67	4,239 33	6,470 86
Borough of Richmond.....	4,000 00	2,570 74	1,429 26	485 05

Brooklyn Bridge—Maintenance of.

Balance on hand October 1, 1907.....	\$13,949 86
Receipts for three months ending December 31, 1907.....	95,344 75
Expenditures for three months ending December 31, 1907.....	
Balance	\$8,423 22

Williamsburg Bridge—Maintenance of.

Balance on hand October 1, 1907.....	\$72,373 75
Receipts for three months ending December 31, 1907.....	40,435 11
Expenditures for three months ending December 31, 1907.....	
Balance	\$74,091 67

Williamsburg Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date.....	\$22,412,473 66
Premium on bonds issued to date.....	850,054 62
Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date.....	22,094,958 20

Balance

Outstanding obligations for contracts.....	\$971,095 00
Expenditures for Three Months Ending December 31, 1907—	
Contracts	\$299,978 06
Salaries	29,574 97
Supplies	1,244 46
Expert services	362 06
Real property	170 00
Total	\$331,329 55

Manhattan Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date.....	\$18,970,000 00
Premium on bonds issued to date.....	141,498 64
Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date.....	9,409,169 15

Balance	\$9,702,329 49
Outstanding obligations for contracts.....	\$6,071,070 69
Expenditures for Three Months Ending December 31, 1907—	

Contracts	\$496,098 68
Salaries	18,015 86
Real Property	1,613 82
Supplies	1,426 96
Total	\$517,155 32

Blackwells Island Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date.....	\$12,895,000 00
Premium on bonds issued to date.....	190,213 36
Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date.....	\$13,085,213 36

Balance	\$8,216,976 60
Outstanding obligations for contracts.....	\$3,897,097 02
Expenditures for Three Months Ending December 31, 1907—	

Contracts	\$1,084,287 35
Salaries	26,427 37
Supplies	1,961 90
Expert services	1,299 10
Total	\$1,113,975 72

Bridge Over East River, No. 5—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date.....	\$25,000 00
Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller to date.....	2,811 20
Balance	\$22,188 80

Outstanding obligations for contracts.....	\$1,499 80
New Madison Avenue Bridge—Construction of.	
Amount of bonds authorized to date.....	\$2,376,876 45

Premium on bonds issued to date.....	2,720 25
Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date.....	\$2,379,596 70
Balance	\$140,754 17

Outstanding obligations for contracts.....	\$2,238,842 53
Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907	\$1,170,373 93
Balance	\$1,168 01

University Heights Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date.....	\$1,346,195 54
Premium on bonds issued to date.....	17,096 93
Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date.....	\$1,363,292 47

Balance	\$1,004,328 78
Outstanding obligations for contracts.....	\$358,963 69
Balance	\$358,963 69

Outstanding obligations for contracts..... \$68,605 80

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907 \$72,759 52

Monument Bridge Over Spuyten Duyvil Creek—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date..... \$3,010,000 00

Premium on bonds issued to date..... 815 97 \$3,010,815 97

Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date..... 61,982 62

Balance \$2,948,833 35

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907 \$375 20

Bridge Over Eastchester Bay—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date..... \$615,000 00

Premium on bonds issued to date..... 7,374 93 \$622,374 93

Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date..... 403,757 13

Balance \$218,617 80

Outstanding obligations for contracts..... \$126,214 92

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907 \$49,916 76

Eastchester Bridge Over Hutchinson River—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date..... \$200,000 00

Premium on bonds issued to date..... 31 10 \$200,031 10

Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date..... 4,781 42

Balance \$195,249 68

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907 \$1,125 00

Vernon Avenue Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date..... \$1,375,003 68

Premium on bonds issued to date..... 9,088 14 \$1,384,091 82

Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date..... 1,318,361 02

Balance \$65,730 80

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907 \$1,552 80

Borden Avenue Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date..... \$175,000 00

Premium on bonds issued to date..... 890 74 \$175,890 74

Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date..... 69,574 56

Balance \$106,316 18

Outstanding obligations for contracts..... \$97,953 29

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for three months ending December 31, 1907 \$23,076 80

Manhattan Terminal, Brooklyn Bridge—Construction of.

Amount of bonds authorized to date..... \$4,953,775 00

Premium on bonds issued to date..... 4,264 34 \$4,958,039 34

Amount of vouchers certified to Comptroller for payment to date..... 1,999,368 63

Balance \$2,958,670 71

Outstanding obligations for contracts..... \$109,345 35

Spacing signals have been placed across the bridge on the surface car tracks. These afford not only improvement in the operation of the surface cars, but also better facilities for team traffic, and lessen the hindrances and delays due to blocking of trolley tracks by vehicular traffic.

Various construction is under way to further afford increased facilities for traffic on the bridge.

In order to maintain the operation of six-car elevated trains at all hours of the day at a maximum speed an efficient system of block signals is being installed on the bridge.

Construction is now under way of a steel viaduct in Brooklyn, which will allow all surface cars entering or leaving the bridge to pass above Sands street. The operation of cars over this viaduct will remedy the congestion existing at the Sands street entrance to the bridge, and will separate the car traffic from the vehicle traffic.

In anticipation of the connection of the elevated railway tracks on the bridge with the subway loop to the Williamsburg Bridge, which is now under construction in Manhattan, various matters are in progress with a view to the construction of a new station in Manhattan which will provide for the adequate necessities of all classes of traffic, and the roadways on the Manhattan approach are being widened in connection with this proposed improvement.

Municipal Office Building.

The space acquired by the City in Manhattan to the west of the Brooklyn Bridge station is available for the construction of a municipal office building, as authorized by statute. Invitations of competitive designs from architects have been issued in accordance with a programme duly approved by the Corporation Counsel. The competitive designs will be submitted to a jury of architects this coming spring.

Williamsburg Bridge.

The work of constructing the subway station at the Manhattan end of the bridge is drawing to a close, and work on several contracts to provide for the operation of elevated trains across the bridge and into this subway station is progressing at a fair rate of progress. These several contracts involve the alteration of the entire Manhattan steel viaduct and masonry approach and the construction of the elevated railway connection on the Brooklyn plaza. This latter connection is practically finished. A shelter house for the accommodation of railway passengers has been constructed on the Brooklyn plaza.

The trolley car service over the bridge has been increased about seven per cent. over last year. This service will be vastly improved upon the completion of the subway station in Manhattan, into which the surface cars crossing the bridge will also run. The subway station has been so constructed that it will be immediately available, upon the completion of the subway loop now being constructed in Manhattan, as a station on the said loop.

Manhattan Bridge.

The Brooklyn anchorage has reached that stage of construction where it is ready for the steel superstructure. The Manhattan anchorage is nearing this stage. The steel towers on both sides of the river are being rapidly erected.

The material required for steel is being cast and fabricated and considerable completed material, in addition to that already erected, has been shipped and is stored until available for erection. A contract was awarded to John C. Rodgers on December 13 for the construction of the Manhattan and Brooklyn approaches.

Blackwells Island Bridge.

The construction of the steel superstructure over Blackwells Island and the East River is rapidly nearing completion. The construction of the approaches on the Queens and Manhattan sides is being vigorously pushed.

Henry Hudson Memorial Bridge.

The general design for the proposed structure has been prepared, and on December 10, 1907, was approved by the Art Commission. The preparation of complete detailed drawings and specifications is under way. The plans provide for a masonry arch nearly two and one-half times larger than any masonry arch heretofore constructed. Provision is also made for a four-track subway connection across the Harlem River through the bridge structure.

Borough Bridges.

The borough bridges in maintenance have been operated, cleaned, painted and repaired by the usual forces in the employ of the Department for such purposes, with very little assistance from outside the Department except for repairs to pavements.

The construction of the University Heights Bridge over the Harlem River is completed.

Over the Harlem River at Madison avenue a temporary bridge has been partly constructed, and this will be completed upon the removal of the present Madison avenue span from its present position to that of the temporary bridge this coming spring.

A contract for the construction of the new Madison Avenue Bridge has been awarded.

The construction of the new bridge over Pelham Bay Narrows, in the Borough of The Bronx, has progressed so that the steel required for the movable span is now being erected.

The construction of a new bridge across Dutch Kills at Borden avenue, in the Borough of Queens, continues.

No new bridge construction was undertaken in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond.

Respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Commissioner of Bridges.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

EXTRACT FROM

MINUTES, BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 28, 1908.

RAPID TRANSIT RAILWAYS.

Modification of Lexington Avenue Route; Modification of Gerard Avenue Route; Canal Street Route.

At the meeting of February 14, 1908, consideration of the communication dated February 5, 1908, from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting resolutions adopted by that body modifying the routes and general plans of the proposed rapid transit railways along Lexington avenue, Gerard avenue and other streets in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and transmitting resolutions adopting route and general plans for a proposed rapid transit railway under and along Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, and requesting the approval and consent of this Board to the construction of rapid transit railways in accordance therewith, was postponed until this day, and the matter referred to a Select Committee.

The following appeared in favor:

Commissioner John E. Eustis, of Public Service Commission for the First District.

Thomas J. Curtis and Samuel Prince, representing the Central Federated Union.

The Comptroller, as Chairman of the Select Committee, reported to the Board that such Committee would hold a public hearing on the matter Monday, March 2, at 2 p. m., in the old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when all persons interested could appear and be heard.

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby requested to advise this Board and also obtain from former Justice John F. Dillon his opinion, as to whether contracts for subway construction cannot be so drawn that the amount to be

charged against the debt limit will only be the amount required to be expended each year for such construction.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller moved that consideration be continued until March 13.

Which motion was adopted by the following vote:

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

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn moved that this Board request the State Legislature to enact into law the pending concurrent resolutions amending the constitution of the State of New York so as to exempt dock and rapid transit bonds issued by The City of New York from the 10 per cent. debt limit of said City, as fixed and provided in the constitution.

Which motion was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—President of the Borough of Brooklyn—2.

Negative—The Mayor—3.

Present and Not Voting—The Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—11.

The following matter not on the calendar for this day was considered by unanimous consent:

UNITED DRESSED BEEF COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

The Secretary presented the following:

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

The United Dressed Beef Company of New York hereby applies to have the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on October 18, 1907, and approved by the Mayor on October 22, 1907, giving consent to the United Dressed Beef Company of New York to construct, maintain and use a covered bridge over and across East Forty-fourth street, between First avenue and the East River, Borough of Manhattan, to connect its buildings on either side of said street, amended so that the said bridge may be constructed 71 feet instead of "75 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue." The company finds that in constructing the said bridge 75 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue it will be necessary to tear down and remove a brick pillar and partition, one of the main supports for the top floors of the company's building on the southerly side of the street, whereas in constructing the said bridge 71 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue the removal of the brick pillar and partition will be obviated.

The United Dressed Beef Company of New York only discovered this obstruction on commencing construction of the said bridge. Inasmuch as the United Dressed Beef Company of New York has been delayed by the necessity of making this application to your Board, it further requests that your Board consent that the time for the construction and completion of said bridge be extended from April 1, 1908, to May 1, 1908. An extension under certain circumstances is provided for under section 12 of your resolution adopted October 18, 1907.

Wherefore, the United Dressed Beef Company of New York requests such amendment of your resolution adopted on October 18, 1907, and such extension.

New York, February 26, 1908.

UNITED DRESSED BEEF COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

By WALTER BLUMENTHAL, President.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
DIVISION OF FRANCHISES, ROOM 801, NO. 277 BROADWAY,
February 27, 1908.

Mr. NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer:

SIR—The United Dressed Beef Company of New York has presented an application dated February 26, 1908, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting that the resolution adopted by the Board on October 18, 1907, and approved by the Mayor on October 22, 1907, granting permission to the applicant company to construct, maintain and use a covered bridge over and across East Forty-fourth street, between First avenue and the East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, connecting its buildings on opposite sides of said street, be amended so that the said bridge may be constructed 71 feet instead of 75 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue; and the application further requests an extension of time for the completion of said bridge for the period of one month.

The petition recites that the change in location is desired in order to obviate the necessity of moving one of the main supports of the building on the southerly side of East Forty-fourth street, and that the extension of time has been made necessary by the proposed change of location and the procedure incidental thereto.

All of the property between First avenue and the proposed bridge is occupied by the applicant company, and there appears to be no reason why the application should not be granted. I would therefore recommend that the resolution granting the consent be amended to provide for the construction of the bridge 71 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue instead of 75 feet east of said line, and for an extension of the time for the completion of said bridge from April 1, 1908, as required in the existing consent, to May 1, 1908.

I submit herewith a form of resolution in accordance with the above recommendation.

Respectfully,

HARRY P. NICHOLS, Engineer in Charge.

The following was offered:

Whereas, By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 18, 1907, approved by the Mayor October 22, 1907, the United Dressed Beef Company of New York was granted permission to construct, maintain and use a covered bridge over and across East Forty-fourth street, between First avenue and the East River, Borough of Manhattan, to connect the buildings of the company on opposite sides of said street and to be used as a passageway and for the conveyance of beef between said buildings; and

Whereas, The aforesaid consent required the construction of the aforesaid bridge at a point 75 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue, in accordance with the plans filed by the grantee; and

Whereas, The United Dressed Beef Company of New York, in a petition dated February 26, 1908, states the construction of said bridge at said point would involve the razing and reconstruction of a brick pillar and partition wall, and requests that the plan be amended so as to provide for the construction of said bridge at a point 71 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue, instead of at a point 75 feet east of such line, and as the company has been delayed in prosecuting its work it requests an extension of time for the completion of construction of said bridge to May 1, 1908; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the plan entitled "Plan showing location of proposed viaduct to be constructed at East Forty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, to accompany application of United Dressed Beef Company of New York to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, September 12, 1907. United Dressed Beef Company of New York, by Walter Blumenthal, President," which is annexed to and made a part of the resolution granting the consent, be and it is hereby amended so

as to show said bridge at a point 71 feet east of the easterly line of First avenue, instead of 75 feet east of said street; and be it further

Resolved, That paragraph 12 of the consent be and it is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words "April 1, 1908," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "May 1, 1908"; and be it further

Resolved, That this consent shall not become operative until said grantee shall duly execute an instrument in writing wherein said grantee shall promise, covenant and agree on its part to conform to, abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in the original consent fixed and contained, except as herein and hereby expressly modified, and file the same with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York within thirty (30) days after the approval of this consent by the Mayor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The full minutes of the meeting of this day will appear in the CITY RECORD at a later date.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT OF THE WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, FOR THE YEAR 1907.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor of The City of New York, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—I have the honor to send you herewith, in compliance with the provisions of the Charter, a report of the designs for improvement, work accomplished and finances of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Very respectfully yours,

JOSEPH I. BERRY,
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PARKS FOR THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, 1907.

A large amount of work was done during the year in the general maintenance and improvement of the parks. Roads and paths were cleaned, repaired and edged; gutters cleaned and repaved, catch basins and drains cleaned, washouts repaired and lawns fertilized, sprinkled and mowed. New tennis courts, baseball diamonds and football fields were laid out in a number of the parks, and all the existing courts, fields, etc., kept in good condition, marked, etc.

The special work accomplished in each park and parkway is given in the following details:

Pelham Bay Park.

(Area, 1,756 Acres.)

Athletes' Lodge—The Athletes' Lodge on the athletic grounds, which was begun under contract during the latter part of the year 1906, was completed early in 1907, and has been in use for several months. This is a handsome and artistic building, and has been well patronized by the public during the summer and fall.

Drainage—Considerable work has been done in draining swamp lands in this park during the year, the work being done by park labor. A number of mosquito-breeding pond holes north of the Steeplechase Course and west of the Athletic Field have been drained. The work of draining the mosquito ponds south of Waterbury Lane was completed during the early summer, so far as the excavation and fill were concerned. The vitrified tile pipe to be laid in these trenches was furnished under contract, and part of it laid, when the work was stopped by order of the Department of Finance. Two hundred feet of 6-inch vitrified drain pipe was laid from the Athletes' Lodge to the west side of Waterbury Lane road, and the same filled in. The work of prosecuting the drainage of the lowlands near the Athletic Field was continued during the summer. About nine hundred feet of trenches had been dug and part of the drain pipes laid and covered with brush. All the necessary drain pipe had been delivered on the ground by contract when the work was discontinued on account of financial troubles.

Water Main—A 12-inch water main was laid by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity from the Prospect Hill road to the eastern boundary of the park, which will be a very great convenience to this Department for use in sprinkling and otherwise keeping the roads in good condition.

Shelter Pavilion—Plans were prepared for a shelter shed at Orchard Beach, and the lumber for same was delivered under contract, which lumber was nearly all framed and prepared for erection, and part of the frame work was erected by park labor, when the work was discontinued by request of the Department of Finance. This work should be resumed as soon as possible and the building made ready for use in the early spring, as the need of a shelter house at this place is urgent.

Road System—At a point near the Hunter Island Inn an abrupt turn in the Eastern boulevard rendered traffic, especially that of automobiles, very dangerous, and necessitated a material widening at that place. This has been accomplished, including a substantial retaining wall and substantial stone parapet, rendering traffic at this point safe.

Owing to the tremendous amount of automobile traffic on the Eastern boulevard the road deteriorates rapidly, and it was found necessary to practically rebuild a portion of this road from the westerly line of the park to a point one thousand feet east of Prospect Hill road. The stone and screenings were furnished by contract, and the work was done by park labor.

The roads on Hunter and Twin islands were reconstructed and put in first-class shape. These are earth roads and require frequent repairs to keep them in good condition.

The bend on the west side of the Shore road, near Hunter Island Bridge, was filled in for a distance of three hundred feet to a width of twenty feet and graded.

A new roadway thirty feet wide, bordered on one side by a pathway eighteen feet wide, to run at present from White Plains road to the Iron Bridge, was begun during the summer, and work was in full progress on the same when all operations were stopped.

Stone was removed from fields on the west side of Eastchester road, south of Pelham Bridge, widening the road 25 feet for a length of 400 feet; and about 1,000 yards of stone were removed from fields and dropped in the swamp lands on the east side of Pelham road, north of the entrance to Hunter Island, widening the road at this point about 40 feet.

The work of six-tracking the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad through this park and across the Bronx and Pelham parkway has been under the inspection of the Department of Parks, so far as it has affected park lands; and plans submitted by the railroad people have been carefully considered, and in many instances revised by the engineering force in this office.

Bridges—Bridges, three for overhead and one for undergrade crossings, are being built by the railroad people at four different points in this park—one at Baychester Station, one at Bartow Station, one at Prospect Hill road and one near the northerly boundary of the park. The abutments are all completed and about half of some of the approaches have been finished.

Minor Improvements—During the year lots were staked out at Orchard Beach for about 250 tents, and about 300 camping permits were issued during the season. These camping sites are in great demand, but for sanitary reasons only a limited number can be accommodated.

The road running parallel with Orchard Beach, which was in some places dangerous for vehicles, was protected on the shore side by the erection of a sub-

stantial rustic railing for about one-half mile of its length. The beach was cleaned, enlarged and put into first-class condition for the use of bathers.

Van Cortlandt Park.

(Area, 1,132.35 Acres.)

Comfort Station—The erection of the comfort station on the easterly side of the parade ground in this park, which was begun in 1906, under contract, was completed during the fall of 1907. The building is a handsome one and is an important feature in this part of the park.

Bridle Paths—During the year about four miles of bridle paths, with native soil surface, have been completed, the work being done by park labor; and this path system, which is located in the most picturesque parts of the park, has become very popular with visitors.

Sidewalks and Paths—About two miles of sidewalks and paths have been laid by park labor between Jerome and Mount Vernon avenues and along Gun Hill road in this park. The construction of those between Jerome and Mount Vernon avenues has opened to the public a large section of park lands that have heretofore been very little used.

A new walk was built from the junction of Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street with Mount Vernon avenue to Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, graded and leveled.

A walk was also built from Mount Vernon avenue to Jerome avenue, a distance of about 1,000 feet, and the ground was raised to proper level by placing about 600 yards of fill. Culverts were placed at the lowest points of the road and the walk was surfaced with screenings.

Drainage, etc.—Plans and specifications were prepared for an 8-foot brick culvert to conduct the waters of Tibbett's Brook from Van Cortlandt Lake to the twin sewers on Broadway. The work was advertised and bids received, but the lowest bid exceeded the amount of funds available; hence the contract could not be let.

Funds were appropriated for the drainage of lands east of Jerome avenue, but the work which it was intended to do this winter will not be commenced unless financial conditions improve.

Bridge—Plans were prepared and submitted to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for an ornamental bridge to take the place of the trestle which crosses the road leading from the north end of the parade ground to the old deer paddock, but no action has as yet been taken by the railroad company. It is very desirable that the proposed improvement be made, and a structure more in keeping with the park surroundings erected.

Survey of Park—The topographical survey of portions of this park, which was begun by the engineering force in the year 1906, has been prosecuted from time to time during the past year, at such times as a party could be spared from other work. This is the only one of our large parks that has not been topographically surveyed, and it should be completed as speedily as possible.

Road System—The road leading from the railroad station to and along the easterly side of the parade ground and through the old deer paddock has been resurfaced during the year; in fact, has been practically rebuilt, including new stone gutters along all portions of the heavy grades. The lack of guttering was, to a certain extent, responsible for the bad condition of portions of this road, as well as that of the Rockwood drive, leading from Moshulu avenue to the northerly boundary of the city. This latter road was also badly torn up by automobiles, and it was found necessary to practically rebuild it. This was done, the road being treated with a surface of trap rock and screenings for its entire length. The gutters were also completed, and it is now in excellent condition.

All of the northerly and part of the southerly side of Gun Hill road was terraced, from the end of Moshulu parkway to its junction with Grand avenue, and a walk 10 feet wide was constructed from the head of Gun Hill road, at its junction with Moshulu parkway, to Grand avenue, near Van Cortlandt Lake. This is a most decided improvement, as heretofore pedestrians were obliged to use the carriageway between the points named.

Van Cortlandt avenue at the railroad station was widened to a width of 30 feet for a distance of about 350 feet, and macadamized, and the gutters were relaid and the banks sodded. Considerable grading and filling in was done near the railroad station also, all work being done by park labor.

The location and grade of the highway at Van Cortlandt station were changed and materially widened, to conform to the underground crossing built by the railroad company, which renders the crossing much safer than heretofore. Where this road was widened out the sides were terraced and sodded or seeded, adding very much to the appearance of the park in the vicinity of the railroad station.

A sidewalk 10 feet wide was constructed on Gun Hill road for the entire length of the road. Three catch basins with iron gratings were constructed, 6-inch vitrified pipe conduits being furnished, leading into the stone drain. Near the junction of this road with Moshulu parkway the bank on one side of the road was terraced, sloped and covered with top soil; gutters were repaired and some 300 linear feet of pavement was constructed.

A new road was begun from Grand avenue to the Yonkers city line through this park and was finished from Moshulu avenue to beyond Grand avenue. This road skirts the golf links, and, as far as finished, has been covered with trap rock and screenings, and a 5-foot sidewalk has been built along part of it.

The roads leading from Moshulu avenue to the old buffalo stable, and from the stable up the hill, also from this point to the railroad station, were in a very bad condition, being all turned up by automobiles. These roads have been repaired and resurfaced with trap rock and screenings, also rolled with the steam road roller, the repair work extending for more than a mile of road.

Near Gun Hill road, and running parallel with it, from Moshulu parkway to Grand avenue, a new path has been constructed, about 800 feet long and 8 feet wide, which necessitated the building of a dry wall about 150 feet long and from 2 to 6 feet high, to sustain the pathway. About half of this pathway has been surfaced with screenings.

Gutters—On Gun Hill road, Van Cortlandt avenue and at the railroad station the gutters were repaired wherever necessary, and about 1,500 feet of new gutters have been laid in the park at various points.

Grading, Filling In, Etc.—Considerable grading and filling in has been done in this park during the past year. The bank on the west side of Van Cortlandt avenue, near the railroad bridge, was graded, 210 yards of fill having been removed.

At the junction of Vault Hill road and Van Cortlandt avenue the road was widened by removing about 410 yards of fill, and a macadam surface was placed on same; the bank up from the road was terraced also.

About 500 feet of the bank on the north side of Gun Hill road was terraced. The lawn at the junction of Gun Hill road and Grand avenue was graded and laid out.

The east side of Broadway in this park was graded, the surplus soil being removed from same to the west side of the railroad tracks at the south end of the lake, filling in the low lands at that point and grading the same.

The banks on Van Cortlandt avenue, at the Van Cortlandt station, were graded, about 1,200 truckloads of stone being removed and hauled to fill the cut on the south side of Moshulu parkway, near Webster avenue.

Around the comfort house in the parade grounds considerable grading and filling in was done; also sodding and resurfacing where necessary.

Nursery, Planting, Etc.—An addition was made to the old nursery in this park, by the resurfacing and regrading of a field north of Two Hundred and Forty-second street and south of the old nursery, which will give an additional capacity of ten more acres to the nursery.

About 10,000 cuttings were propagated and set out in beds, to be transplanted in the various parks as required.

About 8,000 seedlings were planted in the seed beds.

About 7,000 shrubs and 300 trees were supplied from this nursery to other parks during the year.

Flower beds were planted and cultivated around the Colonial Gardens and the golf house, and the plantation along the railroad tracks was cultivated and kept in good condition during the year. Dead and diseased plants were removed from the Colonial Gardens and replaced with new ones from the greenhouses in Bronx Park. The fountains were cleaned and kept supplied with fresh running water during the summer and fall, also planted with aquatic plants.

Golf Links, Tennis Courts, Etc.—Excellent work was done at the golf links and tennis courts during the past year. The severe winter and rainy spring were very de-

structive to the links, and considerable work was necessary in order to put them in good condition for the summer. Many of the putting greens were remodeled; all of the tees were rebuilt and put in first-class condition for the season. The golf house was kept cleaned and heated during the colder weather; the interior was repaired and varnished, and shower baths and plumbing were overhauled and repaired. Men were assigned to watch the links and distribute tickets regulating the games. The management of the links and golf house has been most excellent, and has been greatly appreciated by the vast number of golfers; in fact, the general comment has been that the links have never been kept in better condition than during the past year.

The lake was kept cleaned of snow during the winter months and the ice planed, allowing for thirty days of skating, the daily average attendance being about 5,000. The skate house and pathways surrounding it were kept in excellent condition. During the fall and winter the lake has been kept clear from all rubbish and everything has been put in readiness for the coming skating season.

At Indian Field a new baseball diamond was laid out, and a new earth road 15 feet wide made, leading from Jerome avenue to the diamond. Additional diamonds were laid out in other parts of the park also, to be in readiness for the next season, as the present number of diamonds is entirely inadequate to meet the greatly increasing demand for permits during the summer.

Bronx Park.

(Area, 719.12 Acres, of which 261 Acres are included in the Zoological Park and 250 Acres in the Botanical Garden.)

Music Stand—A fine new music stand, designed in this office, was constructed, by park labor, in Bronx Park, south of the road leading to the Lorillard Snuff Mill, to take the place of the old and dilapidated stand which was on the same site. This is a decided improvement, the old stand having been an eyesore for several years, and, from its conspicuous location, a blot on the beauty of the park in this locality.

Bridge Over the Gorge—Plans and specifications have been prepared for a reinforced concrete footbridge over the gorge below the falls, near the Lorillard Mansion. The plans have received the approval of the Municipal Art Commission; the specifications are now in the hands of the printer, and the contract will be awarded as soon as they are ready.

Greenhouse, Nurseries, Etc.—In the nurseries the herbaceous gardens were cleaned, cultivated and watered frequently during the summer, and mulched with manure during the winter. Over 10,000 herbaceous plants were distributed among the various parks of the Borough during the year.

All roads and walks in the gardens were hoed, raked and edged and resurfaced with screenings and fine gravel. All of the frames and sashes of both hot and cold beds were repaired; old soil was removed and fresh soil put in its place.

In the greenhouses the routine work was carried on on a much larger scale than during previous years. At Easter one house was used as a showhouse, azaleas, lilies, roses, hyacinths, tulips, narcissi and a variety of shrubs being forced to bloom, making a very handsome display.

During the summer all of the houses were emptied and thoroughly cleaned, painted, whitewashed and fumigated. Over 60,000 bedding plants were propagated and cared for, potted and shipped to the various parks, to be planted out in beds. Over 40,000 pansies were grown from seed, transplanted and shipped to the various parks in the Borough, to be planted in beds. Over 10,000 cannas and dahlias were cleaned, labeled, grown and shipped to the various parks for planting. About 200 hot and cold frames were cared for, cleaned and filled with fresh mold and used for storing and forcing thousands of budding herbaceous and pansy plants.

An unusually fine chrysanthemum exhibit was open to the public during the fall. Two houses were prepared for chrysanthemums, and about 5,000 plants were grown and flowered, forty different varieties being used, making a very handsome display, which was greatly appreciated by the large number of visitors enjoying them.

Work Shops—An unusual amount of construction and repair work was done in The Bronx shops during the past year. About 40,000 linear feet of rustic fencing was built for the various parks, including the cutting and trimming of trees for the same. Eight large watering troughs for horses were built in Van Cortlandt Park. The bath houses at the Athletic Field and Orchard Beach, in Pelham Bay Park, were all repaired and cleaned. Chimneys were rebuilt in the Colonial Mansion in Van Cortlandt Park and the Turnbull Mansion in Pelham Bay Park. About 10,000 linear feet of iron railing was painted; various mansions, comfort buildings, music pavilions, etc., were painted; also signs lettered and painted. Repairs were made on bridges, rustic benches and seats, settees, drinking fountains, carts, sprinklers, delivery wagons, buggies, road rollers, mowing machines, etc., and all necessary emergency work was attended to as usual.

General Improvement—The roads and walks in this park were all repaired during the year.

A row of fine elm trees was planted along the Southern boulevard, from Pelham parkway to the southerly entrance to the Botanical Garden.

The drainage of lands east of the Bronx River was finished during the past year, thus getting rid of several mosquito breeding pools.

The lake was cleared of snow during the winter months, allowing for thirty-six days of good skating, the average daily attendance being about 2,000.

Zoological Park in Bronx Park.

The improvement and construction work in the Zoological Park was vigorously pushed, and progressed rapidly and satisfactorily during the early part of the year; and, prior to the recent financial crisis, it had been the confident expectation of the Zoological Society that, by the end of 1909, the development of the Zoological Park would have reached a point where this institution could be pronounced practically complete. The unfortunate conditions now existing, however, seem calculated to delay considerably the progress and consummation hoped for.

Concourse and Approaches—The concourse and approaches from Pelham avenue to Baird court are almost completed, and should be finished early in the coming year. The sidewalks on Pelham avenue in front of the concourse entrance are nearly completed.

Granolithic Sidewalks, Baird Court—During the summer plans and specifications were prepared and printed for the construction of granolithic and brick sidewalks, including granite curbing, on the concourse and approaches to Baird court; the work was advertised, but not let, owing to financial conditions.

Concourse Entrance—A handsome entrance into the Zoological Park from Pelham avenue, near the bridge over the Bronx River, has been constructed by contract, during the year. The work is almost completed, and this entrance will be an important and much needed improvement in the park, as, up to the present time, it has been impossible for vehicles to enter the park grounds, there being no entrance gate through which carriages or automobiles could pass.

Elephant House—During the early part of the year a contract was awarded for the erection of an elephant house in the Zoological Park. The work has been very vigorously and conscientiously pushed to completion by the contractors, F. T. Nesbit & Co., and the early spring of 1908 will probably witness the completion of the building, which bids fair to become one of the best and most mechanically perfect structures in the Zoological Park.

Plans and specifications were prepared for the erection of boundary and partition fences for the yards surrounding the elephant house, but the specifications have not as yet been printed, owing to the financial condition.

Administration Building—Plans and specifications were also prepared for the erection of a building to be used as an office building for the administration of the affairs of the Zoological Society. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has appropriated the necessary funds for this building, but the matter has been held in abeyance by the Comptroller, owing to the financial stringency.

Electric Wiring and Underground Cables—The work of placing underground cables, electric wiring, etc., in the Zoological Park, to connect the different buildings, which contract was begun in 1905, was completed during the past year.

New Buildings—During the early part of the year the Boat House and Deer House, both of which were begun under contract in 1906, were completed, and have been in use for some months.

Southeast Entrance Gate—The southeast entrance gate to the Zoological Park, at Boston road and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, contract for which was awarded in 1905, was completed during the latter part of the year, and final payment for same will be rendered early in 1908.

Soda Pavilion—A contract has been awarded for the erection of a soda pavilion near the west approach to Baird court. The excavation and masonry have been completed; the frame of the building has been erected; and the work should be finished about April 1, 1908.

Public Comfort Station—The public comfort station which is being erected, under contract, near Boston road and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, is nearly completed, and will probably be ready for occupancy about February 1, 1908.

Widening Boston Road—The work of widening this road from 20 to 30 feet, between One Hundred and Eighty-second street and the Bronx River Bridge, was completed during the year by park labor. About 1,100 feet was excavated for a width of 10 feet; the gully on the side of the road was filled in; and a retaining wall 100 feet long was built. The road was surfaced with trap rock and screenings from One Hundred and Eighty-second street to the Bronx River Bridge.

Other Improvements—Other improvements completed during the year consisted of the construction of the Plaza at the Boston road entrance, the completion of the West Farms block, the remodeling of the elk corrals, mountain goat corrals, and other enclosures for North American deer, and the construction of a new walk leading from the north end of the primates' house, southward past the side of the elephant enclosures, to connect on the service road with the walk leading to the small mammal house.

Living Animals—The collections of living animals on hand on December 31, 1907, showed for the year a marked increase over the number on hand at the end of 1906. The summary is as follows:

	Species.	Specimens.
Mammals	188	607
Birds	543	2,530
Reptiles and amphibians.....	134	897
Total	865	4,034

The death rate for the year was very low, and only two important animals were lost by death.

The most notable addition of the year consisted of an Indian rhinoceros, secured in May, of Carl Hagenbeck, at a cost of \$6,000. The specimen was then about a year and a half old. Unfortunately, the sight of one eye was defective, but, with this exception, the animal has remained in excellent health and has grown satisfactorily. It bids fair to make a satisfactory representative of this important species, specimens of which are very rarely seen in captivity.

The bison herd increased during the year by the birth of twelve calves, two of which, however, were born on the Wichita Forest Reserve, in the new bison range which has been stocked by the Zoological Society. This represents a very high percentage of births for the fourteen female bison on hand on January 1, 1907. With but one exception, these young animals are living and doing well.

On October 10, in accordance with the offer of the Society to the Government, fifteen bison were selected from our herd and shipped to the new range that has been made by the National Government on the Wichita Reserve. The shipment was accompanied by Mr. H. R. Mitchell and Mr. Sanborn, and the animals arrived in excellent condition. The Wells Fargo Express Company, the American Express Company and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company furnished free transportation for the two cars of bison and their attendants from New York to Cache. The Forestry Bureau of the National Government erected corrals, sheds, etc., in accordance with plans furnished by the Zoological Society, and every effort is being put forth to care for the bison in a skillful and proper manner.

Attendance—The registered attendance of visitors to the enclosed grounds of the Zoological Park, during the year 1907, was 1,273,046.

Lectures—At the request of the Bronx Borough Teachers Association, representing the Board of Education, the officers of the Zoological Park fitted up the shelter pavilion with the necessary appliances for lectures, and three courses of lectures were delivered to the pupils of thirty-five of the public schools of Bronx Borough. At each lecture the auditorium was filled to its full seating capacity. A request was received from the Board of Education that the facilities be so increased that the pupils of the schools of Manhattan Borough may be enabled to attend the lectures and demonstrations in the Zoological Park. It is undoubtedly desirable that this request be met at as early a date as possible, by the erection of a plain and inexpensive lecture pavilion of a permanent character.

Planting Operations—During the year 1907 the most important planting operations were the initial planting of the West Farm Block and around the Boat House; the completion of the planting at the Boston road entrance; and the planting of the Italian Garden at the north end of Baird court. Of all the ornamental planting in the park, the Italian Garden is the most important and conspicuous. It consists chiefly of ornamental evergreens banked against tall red cedars of varying heights, four groups of which surround an interior of flowers and box hedges. The effect as a whole has been found very pleasing to the public.

Botanical Garden in Bronx Park.

Considerable progress has been made in the development of all departments of the Botanical Garden during the past year. A large amount of additional construction work has been accomplished, which consists mainly of the following:

Rubble Stone Foot Bridge—A handsome rustic rubble stone boulder foot bridge has been erected, under contract, at the site of the old Blue Bridge, in the Botanical Garden. This is a great improvement on the old bridge, as it not only provides a unique permanent bridge, which is a most attractive feature in the garden, but it has also cleared the ground of boulders. These were culled from old stone walls in several parts of the garden. The path approach to the western end of this bridge had been previously built, and a temporary path approach to its eastern end has been made.

Greenhouses, Boiler House and Steam Trench—Early in the spring contracts were let for the construction of a range of greenhouses, a boiler house and a steam trench in the Botanical Garden. The boiler house and steam trench are nearly completed; and the masonry of the foundations of six of the range of greenhouses is about one-half completed. These greenhouses will supply a much-needed relief to the crowded condition of the first range of public conservatories, and, as soon as they have been completed, the necessary grading in the vicinity can be taken up. The drive-way and path approaches to these buildings have been partially built, and a water main has been laid for their supply.

Museum Buildings—During the summer a contract was let for the erection of sixty-three new museum cases for the Museum Building, as the capacity was entirely inadequate for the largely increased numbers of specimens. These cases have been completed, and final payment for the same will be rendered early in 1908.

The general plan of work in this Department has been the same as in preceding years, looking toward the more complete and satisfactory illustration of the various groups of objects, by the addition of fruits, seeds, barks, wood and other products, and of photographs and other illustrations. Continued attention has been given also to the labeling of the collections. The addition of six large floor cases, on the above contract, in the basement of the museum hall, permits the display of a large number of additional specimens of fossil plants which have been held in storage, and this installation is now in progress.

Comfort Station—Plans and specifications were prepared for the erection of a comfort building in the Botanical Garden. The work was advertised, and bids were received, but the contract will not be let at present, owing to financial conditions.

Road System—The river road extending from the east end of the Long Bridge northwardly along the east side of the Bronx River to the Newell avenue entrance, on which work has been prosecuted at intervals for several years, was completed and thrown open for use in November, completing the driveway system in the northeastern part of the grounds. This road has a total length of a little over 2,000 feet, and forms a noteworthy addition to the driveway system.

The main driveway at the Lake Bridge, which had been unfinished since the completion of that structure two years ago, was paved and surfaced during the autumn, thus completing the main north and south driveway through the western part of the grounds.

The road leading from the main driveway, near the Bleeker street entrance, on the east side of the grounds, to the new public conservatories now under construction, was graded and nearly all the telford foundation laid during the year; its completion requires trap rock and screenings. These were advertised for, but the contract was not let, on account of the financial conditions.

A beginning was made in grading the portion of the main driveway still to be constructed, from a point near the Bleeker street entrance to the southeastern corner of the grounds, in accordance with the original plan, and stone for the telford foundation of a part of this road is being assembled during the winter, taken from the quarry behind the museum building. This is now the only remaining portion of the driveway system to be built, a total length of about 1,800 feet.

Path System—The construction of the path system has been continued at a number of different points, and much progress has been made. The paths about the lakes north and east of the museum building, and those on the fruticetum plain, partially built in preceding years, were completed. The paths leading from the museum building and the herbaceous grounds, through the economic garden and adjoining areas, were completely built. The path leading from the herbaceous garden southward through the woods to the Bronx Park entrance, partially constructed in previous years, was also completed. A commencement was made in the construction of paths leading from the Long Bridge eastwardly toward the new public conservatories, and in those leading from the fruticetum northwardly through the north meadows to the upper driveway bridge.

The total length of paths built and completed during the year is about 8,000 feet.

All the previously constructed driveways and paths that needed resurfacing were covered with a layer of trap rock and screenings during the autumn, and thoroughly rolled, the entire driveway and path system, so far as constructed, being now in excellent condition, excepting at a few points where slight repairs and small amounts of additional construction are necessary.

It is very desirable that the work of path building be continued during the coming year, in the eastern part of the Botanical Garden, in order to connect the new public conservatories with the bridges over the Bronx river.

Grading—Continued progress has been made during the year in excavating earth and rock at the rear of the museum building, all the excavated material having been used for filling in at various parts of the grounds, or for the telford foundation of driveways and paths, and the work has been progressing during the winter. Much still remains to be done at this point in order to establish the grades called for in the general plan; but, inasmuch as all the earth and rock are needed for filling or for road and path building, double work is being accomplished. It is estimated that enough rock and earth to nearly or quite complete the road and path system remains. It will be possible in the spring to bring nearly an acre of the area behind the museum building to finished lawn.

The filling in and grading required at both ends of the Lake Bridge and at both ends of the Long Bridge was completed during the season. Considerable progress has been made in filling in low places in the north meadows, while building paths in that part of the grounds.

Much additional grading was done along the river road and along the road leading to the new public conservatories.

In the herbaceous grounds the sides of the brook, which runs north and south through the middle of the valley, were regraded, and the brook edges were stoned up, greatly improving the valley. The top soil needed for these grading operations was all obtained by carefully stripping and saving it from the lines of paths and roads.

Drainage—Accompanying the construction of roads and paths additional catch basins with drain pipe connections have been constructed, and the system of grass gutters along the driveways has been continued. The overflow from the bronze fountain in front of the museum building, which was temporarily discharged into one of the sewers and thus wasted was turned into the drain system which empties into the upper lake by means of a drain pipe connection about 400 feet long under the lawn south of the museum building; this waste water has kept the upper lake at overflow throughout the season, although the fountain has been played only about ten hours a day.

During grading work in the herbaceous gardens and in the establishment of the aquatic system in the economic garden, several hundred feet of tile drain were used, much improving the drainage of that valley.

At the power house of the new conservatories, a 12-inch vitrified tile drain was laid for a distance of about 150 feet, passing under the floor of that building; as the construction work proceeds at this point, much additional drain pipe will have to be laid, inasmuch as the excavations for the cellars both of the power house and of three of the green houses have shown the existence of springs.

Boundary Fences—A contract was awarded in October for a boundary wall and fence along the property line of Fordham University, extending from the elevated railway station on the west to the Southern boulevard entrance on the east, a distance of about 2,000 feet. Nothing has as yet been done on this contract, as all construction work was stopped by order of the Comptroller.

Plants and Planting—Planting was carried on at various parts of the Botanical Garden during the spring and fall, the Society taking advantage of the large amount of additional land prepared for planting during the past two years. This work included the completion of the west border along the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, which was broken by the construction of the approaches to the Mosholu parkway and to the Woodlawn road, and the filling in of the gap near the west end of the upper lake; the completion of the planting of the economic garden in the glade southwest of the museum building; the planting of flower gardens in the rectangular plots at the north side of the first range of public conservatories, and increasing the systematic collections in the herbaceous grounds, the fruticetum, the pinetum and the arboretum, together with the establishment of decorative groups of shrubs at several points.

Educational Work, etc.—The labelling of collections has been brought to a very efficient stage, and the educational work of the institution has been expanded. The use of the library by students and visitors is increasing, as the collection becomes more complete; 592 volumes were added during the year, the total number of volumes being now 20,458.

The laboratories have been used by many students pursuing special investigations during the year.

The public lectures delivered at the museum building on Saturday afternoons during spring and autumn have been continued to appreciative audiences. Consideration has been given to the desirability of extending these lectures into the summer, but this has not been attempted as yet. It does not seem probable that audiences could be assembled for such lectures during the winter months, but a course of summer lectures might prove desirable.

The lectures and demonstrations to children and teachers of the public schools, in connection with their nature studies, were continued during the spring, from April 19 to June 4, in co-operation with the Principals and District Superintendents of the Borough of The Bronx, and of the upper school districts of Manhattan.

Crotona Park.

(Area, 154.6 Acres.)

Improvement of Grounds North of Municipal Building—Plans and specifications were prepared for the improvement of this park north of the Municipal Building for a distance of 300 feet from Third avenue. This improvement includes the widening of the sidewalk by blasting away the rocks from the bank and the building of a low wall, and a flight of steps from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street up to the Municipal Building. The contract was awarded to A. L. Guidone in August; about half of the excavation is completed and about half of the wall built, excepting the coping. The work should be completed about June 1 of the following year.

Wall—A 375-foot wall with coping was built around a small pond near the lake and the pond was deepened and enlarged, and paths were built around the same, all work being done by park labor. About 340 feet of stone wall was also built around the grand stand in the north end of the park.

Walks, Paths, etc.—About 2,500 linear feet of paths and walks were built in this park during the past year, including two flights of stone steps, and about 8 acres were graded and filled in, including top soiling; all work was done by park labor.

General Improvement—About 125 feet of top soil was filled in and graded in front of the music stand, and 800 square feet of sod laid on same. Two flights of stone

steps, each consisting of twelve steps, were built leading up from Crotona avenue to the music stand, and two small telford paths, 25 feet long and 12 feet wide, were built, leading up to the new stone steps.

Three brick basins, with 15 lengths of vitrified drainpipes, were laid, extending out to Crotona avenue; also brick gutters were built leading to these basins.

Several new tennis courts and baseball diamonds were laid out in this park during the year, and the existing courts and diamonds were all cleaned, marked and put in first-class condition during the summer.

Flower beds were cleaned, watered and cultivated, shrubs cultivated and pruned, and the trees on Crotona avenue and Crotona parkway were cultivated and pruned.

Macomb's Dam Park.

(Area, 27 Acres.)

Cromwells Creek—The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company are now filling in the bed of Cromwells Creek, which work is being done by them without expense to the City.

Athletic Grounds, etc.—The athletic grounds were cleaned and repaired during the summer. The tennis courts were raised by putting on two or three loads of ashes and covering the same with a layer of clay; and the courts were marked and kept rolled daily.

Plans were prepared for the erection of an athletes' lodge on the athletic field, and application was made for funds to build the same, but the appropriation has not as yet been granted.

Drinking Fountain—Plans were prepared for a very handsome and elaborate stone drinking fountain to be erected at the junction of the approach to the Central Bridge and Jerome avenue, in this park. These plans have been submitted to the Municipal Art Commission; they have not as yet been approved by that body, but undoubtedly will be, as the original plans have been changed to meet the suggestions made by the Commission. The sum appropriated, \$3,000, is hardly adequate for the completion of the fountain upon the plans devised, and it is hoped that additional funds will be appropriated in the near future, as the necessity for a drinking fountain at this point, for both man and beast, is very generally conceded. The amount originally asked for was \$6,000.

Pipe Railing—About 1,800 linear feet of pipe railing has been erected in this park, the material being furnished by contract and the work of erection and painting being done by park employees. This is an excellent job, and is much appreciated by the public visiting this park, and is also a material aid to the proper policing and protecting of park grounds.

Minor Improvements—About 1½ acres of filling in and grading has been completed in this park during the past year, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, the material being brought from various points, and the work was prosecuted by park labor until stopped by request of the Comptroller.

A substantial iron fence has been erected along both sides of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, through the entire park.

The plantation in this park was thoroughly overhauled; dead and broken trees were removed and replaced with other trees and shrubs, thoroughly pruned and cultivated.

Claremont Park.

(Area, 38 Acres.)

Clay Avenue Side of Park—Considerable grading has been done on this side of the park, during the past year, both north and south of the Wendover avenue entrance to the park, all work being done by park labor. That portion of the easterly side of the park lying north of the Wendover avenue entrance has nearly all been graded and put into first class shape, except seeding and the construction of one path, which work should be continued to completion in the spring, as soon as the weather conditions will permit.

A walk was constructed from Clay avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-second street, for a distance of 250 feet, connecting with the steps west of Clay avenue.

The sidewalk on the west side of Clay avenue was graded and regulated north and south of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, for a distance of 200 feet.

It will be impossible to complete that portion south of the Wendover entrance, with the funds available at this time, and it is hoped that sufficient funds will be had in the near future, to put the whole of the easterly side of this park in presentable shape.

Paths, Walks, etc.—The old path leading from a point near the Mansion down the hill toward the north, was completely rebuilt, with a rustic wood railing and substantial gutters on both sides.

A new path was constructed near the northeasterly corner of the park, leading to the foot of the steps built on Belmont street, and the walks in the northeasterly part of the park, west of Clay avenue, were reconstructed for a distance of about 1,600 feet, and resurfaced with trap rock and screenings. All of the terraces at this part of the park were sodded, and gutters were laid along the new paths built.

In all, about 1,250 linear feet of paths, including several short flights of stone steps where necessary, were built in this park during the year.

Railing—About 1,000 linear feet of rustic and iron railing was placed along the different paths and walks in this park, during the year. The iron railing recently erected has not as yet been painted, as all work was discontinued, and it is in a very bad condition from rust, and should be painted at once, as a matter of economy.

All the walks in the park were sodded on both sides, about 12,000 square feet of sod having been placed thereon.

Trees, etc.—In this park over fifty dead and dying trees, ash, chestnut and some fruit trees, were cut down, and the wood disposed of at public auction. Wherever a tree was cut down or removed, a young tree was planted in its place.

St. Marys Park.

(Area, 28.7 Acres.)

Music Stand—A new and handsome music stand was erected in this park during the year, to take the place of the old and dilapidated one which was torn down. All of this work was done by park labor, and is a very good job and a much needed improvement.

Asphalting Existing Walks—About 10,000 square yards of the existing walks in this park have been surfaced with asphalt, the work being begun in the year 1905, and completed during the early part of the past year, under contract, final payment for which was rendered in May, 1907. The completion of this work was of great importance to the maintenance of this park, as the old cinder paths were frequently badly washed out, and in some instances destroyed, at every severe rain storm.

There is also a balance of funds available for the asphalting of existing walks in this park, which should be used as soon as the weather conditions will permit in the spring. This balance was due to the very low price bid for the asphalting of the walks, on the previous contract.

Paths, Walks, etc.—The work of resurfacing the Old Passage road was completed during the year, and a new walk partly completed from the southerly end to the northerly end of the park, along this road. Also about 1,000 linear feet of paths were constructed in other portions of the park, the screenings being furnished by contract, and the work being done by park labor.

A single strip of sod was placed along the newly asphalted walks, for a distance of 1,530 feet.

Grading, Filling in, etc.—Considerable grading and filling in has been done in the easterly and southeasterly portions of the park, and part of the ground has been leveled, and a baseball diamond laid out. Considerable grading is yet required in portions of the park, before the path system can be completed. This should be done as early as possible, or when the materials can be had for grading, without too great expense to the City.

Fencing—All of the existing fences around this park were painted during the year, by park labor. Funds for fencing a portion of the park were appropriated, and the work was about to be begun, the material to be furnished by contract and the work to be done by park labor, when all work on bond account was discontinued, at the request of the Finance Department.

The stone wall at the south end of the park was removed, and the bank graded and sodded.

Franz Sigel Park.
(Area, 17.5 Acres.)

Grading—Considerable filling in and grading was done in the southerly end of this park during the past year, but it is still in a very unfinished condition, and should be improved as soon as possible. Application for funds for this work was made early in the year, but no appropriation was granted, and the work done here during the year was done from funds of general park improvement.

Paths—The paths on the Walton avenue side of the park were rebuilt and put into first class condition during the past year.

Comfort Station—The material for remodeling the comfort station in this park, which was advertised for during the year 1906, but for which no bids were received, was furnished on contract during the past year, and the work of building was all done by park labor. The comfort station is completed, and presents a handsome appearance, a great improvement on the former unsightly building.

St. James Park.
(Area, 11.83 Acres.)

Foundation Wall—A decided change of grade along the Creston avenue side of this park, which change brought the elevation nearly up to the top of the wrought iron fence rendered it necessary that a retaining wall be constructed, and the fence re-erected thereon. This work was commenced by park employees, nearly all of the excavation made, and nearly all the foundation wall material delivered, when the Finance Department requested that work be stopped, on account of the money stringency. This work should go on at once, as the excavated wall trench and the material piled on the sidewalk are a source of inconvenience and danger.

Fence—The fence along the westerly side of the park was thoroughly cleaned and painted, the work being done by park labor.

Echo Park.
(Area, 4 Acres.)

Grading, Terracing, etc.—Half of the Burnside avenue side of this park was filled in and graded during the year. This work should be completed as soon as possible, as portions of the park are not only unsightly, but, in their present condition, dangerous.

The northerly end of the park was terraced and sodded. This much needed improvement was made by park labor, and has very much improved the appearance of this portion of the park. Considerable more work remains to be done here, which cannot be completed until such time as the grading of Ryer avenue has been finished.

Small Parks.

Railing—Nearly 12,000 linear feet of substantial wrought iron pipe railing, with malleable iron posts and cresting, has been erected by park labor around the major portions of the small parks and squares in The Bronx, a portion of which fencing has been painted; and the completed portion is a first class job, and a most decided improvement, converting the small squares into parks, instead of commons as they were prior to the erection of the railing.

The work of erecting and painting this railing was discontinued on account of financial conditions, but the painting, at least, should be proceeded with at once, as the portions that are not galvanized are rusting badly, and if they are left until spring in their present condition, the cost of painting will be very much increased.

The material for this railing was purchased under contract, and specifications were prepared and bids received for 10,000 feet additional, but the contract for this additional quantity has not yet received the assent of the Comptroller. It is hoped that such approval will be had in the near future, as the continuation of this improvement is a matter of much importance to our park system.

General Improvement—In a number of the small parks and squares dead and dying trees were removed and replaced with young trees from The Bronx nurseries, about one hundred trees having been planted in the different parks and squares.

Bronx and Pelham Parkway.

(Length, 11,861 Feet; Width, 400 Feet.)

A vast amount of work was done on this parkway during the past year by park labor. The parkway is at present in good condition, but it is due entirely to the constant attention and care given it. Much damage is done to this roadbed during every rain storm; the road is constructed with very little crown to it, for so great a width, and the inefficiency of the gutters allows the water to run over the roadway in many places, thus cutting up the road and making constant repairs necessary. In one part of the roadway, the road has been constructed on swamp land, and filled in with large rocks, and after every rain storm large sections of the paths and roadbed disappear, and the washouts cause constant annoyance and make it a very hard road to maintain. A great deal of this has been remedied by the construction of the new cobblestone gutters, over 2,000 linear feet of new gutters having been built during the past year, and about 10,650 feet of the old gutters having been taken up and the gutters widened to two feet, and relaid with cobblestone, with a curbing of rough stone. These gutters help to confine the water which flows along the sides to the catch basins and culverts.

Entire Length Resurfaced—During the year, the parkway has been resurfaced from White Plains road to the junction of the parkway with the Eastern Boulevard, near the entrance to the Athletic Fields. This work, which was performed by park labor, consisted for the greater part of picking up the old surface with one of our road rollers, the application of broken stone and screenings, which were thoroughly rolled, and the job of revamping this roadway was a good one; but the tremendous automobile traffic is again getting the surface in bad shape, even in portions where extraordinary care and a vast deal of time were expended, to make a telford macadam road as perfect as human ingenuity could devise.

This would seem to indicate that the telford macadam pavement on this parkway is a failure, under present conditions, and that some form of permanent paving must be resorted to, if this driveway is to be kept in proper shape. That portion west of the old Bear Swamp road, laid with asphalt, is in very good condition, but this new material has not been in use long enough to prove its wearing qualities.

Paths—About one-half mile of paths have been built on this parkway, by park labor, during the year. These paths extend from a point near the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to the junction of the parkway with Eastern Boulevard.

Trench, Top Soil, etc.—From the Eastchester road to the crossing of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, for the whole distance on the southerly side, and about one-third of the distance on the northerly side, trenches have been excavated for a width of 4 feet and a depth of 2 feet, and filled in with first class top soil.

New Roadway Along Southerly Boundary—The work of constructing a traffic road and sidewalk along the southerly boundary of this parkway was begun by park labor, and prosecuted vigorously with such force as could be spared from other park work, up to the time that we were obliged to discontinue work on account of the financial stringency. The road, as graded, has a width of 30 feet, with a sidewalk of 18 feet, and it is very much to be regretted that this work could not be continued to completion, as its necessity is unquestioned, and it would remove from the main driveway most of the business traffic, furnish a channel through which sewers and gas and water pipes could be laid, and afford an avenue of egress to people who are about to build residences along the southern boundary of this parkway. Its construction would, moreover, obviate the necessity of people now living along the parkway crossing over to the main driveway, to the great detriment of park lands.

Very many of the lands on the southern boundary are now in the hands of bona fide prospective builders of residences, who will undoubtedly proceed to build as soon as this road has been constructed. Up to the time of discontinuance of the work, we had graded fully two-thirds of the road and walk between the White Plains and Westchester roads, and had stripped all of the rock preparatory to drilling and blasting, which could be profitably done in the winter season. Between the Westchester and Eastchester roads, three-fourths of the clearing had been done, and upwards of 1,000 feet of roadway graded or partly graded, with the comparatively small force engaged on that portion. From the Eastchester road, easterly to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, all clearing had been completed, and several hundred feet of the roadway and walk had been graded. Much of the grading

done here was on that portion where the greatest excavation is necessary, and the amount of work done by the small force employed has been considerable.

In view of the great necessity for the completion of this work in the near future every effort should be made to have it continued as soon as possible, as few improvements that have been made in the past half-dozen years were more desirable and redounded more to the credit of the Department.

Rustic Stone Fountain—Plans were prepared for a handsome rustic stone fountain to be erected on this parkway at a point 1,000 feet easterly from the crossing over the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, which plans received the approval and commendation of the Municipal Art Commission. This fountain was constructed from large weathered rocks and boulders, on a very substantial concrete foundation, and when partially vine-covered, as the design contemplates, will be a very handsome ornament to the parkway; and the large drinking basin for horses, nearly 7 by 14 feet, and the drinking place in the rear for man, are features that will be very much appreciated. All work, including the plumbing, fittings, construction of paths adjacent, change in the roadway, etc., excepting the modelling and molding of the two fine lion heads, was performed by park labor.

Planting—The plantation along the easterly side of the parkway has been completed from Baychester road to Eastchester road, 50 elms and 5,000 shrubs having been used. Trees along the parkway have been cultivated, pruned and sprayed; four dead trees were removed and replaced with live trees, and the entire plantation along the parkway from Eastchester road to Pelham, a distance of about two miles, was pruned, cultivated and cleaned, and the grass was cut and borders were edged at various times during the year, as found necessary.

Moshulu Parkway.

(Length, 6,035 Feet; Width, 600 Feet.)

Completion of Improvement—The work of improving this parkway, under contract with John B. Malatesta, was begun in the year 1906, and finished in April of the past year. This improvement consisted of grading portions of the lands outside of the driveways, constructing brick culverts and road basins, levelling, seeding, etc. The work covered the major portions of the parkway from Webster avenue to Van Cortlandt Park, and has put a large portion of it in a very presentable shape.

There remains, however, a large amount of work still to be done, in order that the whole parkway shall be completed from Bronx Park to Van Cortlandt Park, and the small amount of funds now available will not suffice to complete it in proper shape.

Filling in Old Railroad and Swamp Lands—During the past year the old Jerome Park railroad, crossing this parkway about half way between Webster and Jerome avenues, has been abandoned; the rails and crossties were removed; the work of filling in the old railroad cut was immediately begun by park labor, and the roadways and part of the old cut were brought up to proper grades, a most decided improvement. A large portion of the swampy lands east of Jerome avenue has been filled in also, all work being done by park labor, but considerable still remains to be done.

The Glen—Work was begun by park labor on the improvement of the Glen, at Webster avenue and Moshulu Parkway South, but was discontinued on account of the financial trouble. This work, however, should be continued, as it is important that it be finished, since, in its present condition, it is both unsightly and unsanitary.

Railing—A heavy rustic cedar railing has been built on both sides of this parkway, between the Webster avenue bridge and the railroad bridge. This is a fine piece of work, and has all been done by park labor.

Baseball Ground—A baseball ground has been laid out on this parkway south of the road between the above named bridges and east of Webster avenue. This space could not for the present be made available for other park purposes; hence the construction of a baseball field there.

Spuyten Duyvil Parkway.

(Length, 11,500 Feet; Width, 60-180 Feet.)

Gutters—During the year 2,500 linear feet of gutters have been relaid on this parkway, and 1,800 linear feet of new gutters built, all work being done in a very satisfactory manner by park labor.

Parks, Grading, etc.—About 800 linear feet of paths have been constructed across the Glen at the large loop west of the road leading to Dash's lane. This improvement, which was made by park labor, has proven a great convenience to pedestrians.

The banks on both sides of portions of this parkway have been improved, the work consisting of grading, terracing, seeding, etc., all work being done by park labor.

Retaining Wall—Plans and specifications for a retaining wall, to be constructed at the big loop near the westerly terminus of this parkway, were prepared, bids received and a contract was entered into for its construction; but the contract has not as yet been approved by the Comptroller. As this work is very necessary, his approval is very much to be desired, as the work should be begun as early as possible in the coming spring.

Bridle Path—Application has been made for the construction of a bridle path along the southerly side of this parkway, and investigations are under way to ascertain whether the conditions are such that the building of this path is desirable—whether it can be made without the destruction of many parkway features or becoming a source of inconvenience, if not of positive danger.

I am informed that when the roadway of this parkway was completed the Department was unable, owing to insufficient funds, to construct the gutters to the full width for the whole length of the parkway. A large portion was made only eighteen inches wide, and all these narrow portions were of no use whatever. All portions not already rebuilt should be rebuilt at once, as great damage is being done to the roadway at every rainstorm.

Broken stone and screenings were purchased under contract for the resurfacing of the roadway, and delivery was begun, but had to be discontinued on account of financial troubles. This work should be prosecuted as early as possible in the spring, as the road, by reason of insufficient gutters, is in a rather dilapidated state at this time.

Tree Guards.

Fifteen hundred tree guards have been furnished under contract and placed around the trees on several of the parkways, where the trees were being greatly damaged by reason of a lack of proper protection; also around young trees on the city streets. There are still a number of trees on parkways that should be protected with guards, as soon as funds are available for their purchase.

Street Trees.

The care of the trees in the city streets has been a harder task during the past year than it has been in previous years, the very dry spell during the summer, also several very heavy wind storms, having caused a large number of trees to die and to be damaged by the breaking of branches and uprooting of a large number of trees. The complaints in regard to dead and dangerous trees and requests to this Department to prune trees average eighteen to twenty a week. To attend to these requests an emergency gang of five men, with a horse and wagon and all necessary tools, is kept constantly busy, and considering the vast amount of territory to be covered, the work accomplished with the small number of men has been very satisfactory.

The spraying of trees was undertaken on a much larger scale during the summer than heretofore, two machines being in use in different sections of the borough.

A contract was awarded late in September for furnishing and planting trees in the streets of the borough, the work being supervised by the head gardener. About 800 trees have been planted and protected with tree guards, and the work will be continued as soon as the weather conditions will permit.

Forestry Work.

This branch of park improvement has been carried on very extensively during the past year. A gang of men has been employed in each park felling trees, cutting out broken branches and diseased trees and cleaning out underbrush wherever necessary. In Crotona Park over one hundred trees, mostly chestnut, have been cut down and disposed of at public auction.

A new departure has been made in cutting down these dead and dying trees in that wherever a tree has been removed or cut down a young tree has been planted in its place. Also, wherever it is found necessary to dig up a tree, unless in low swamp lands which have to be filled in, the roots are entirely cleaned away and the soil re-

placed and made ready to receive young trees in the spring. This work will prove of great value to the hundreds of acres of forests which lie within the park limits of The Bronx.

All dead wood removed from park lands was sold to the highest bidder at public auction.

During the year gangs of men have started at one end of a park to work the entire area of forest, marking dead, diseased, broken or uprooted trees, and making a record of the condition of the trees in the different parks. This work, as planned for the coming year, even on a much larger scale than during the past year, will, in the course of a few years, show such good results that it will undoubtedly become a permanent feature in the forestry work of the Department.

Permits.

The following permits were issued during the year for outdoor sports:

	Athletic Field.	Camping.	Baseball.	Croquet.	Football.	Golf.	Lawn Tennis.
Van Cortlandt Park.....	....	....	222	....	36	1,065	416
Crotona Park.....	....	....	143	2	15	....	831
Pelham Bay Park.....	72	300	52	....	1	....	25
Macombs Dam Park.....	70	....	111	....	26	....	685
Clarendon Park.....	....	....	21	35	4	....	273
St. Marys Park.....	....	....	2	7	7	....	80
St. James Park.....	....	....	5	....	3	....	44
Bronx Park.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	87
Franz Sigel Park.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25

	Athletic Field.	Camping.	Baseball.	Croquet.	Football.	Golf.	Lawn Tennis.
Poe Park.....	....	....	....	....	2	2	....
Moshulu Parkway.....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....
Total.....	142	300	560	46	94	1,065	2,486

In addition to the above 648 permits were granted for holding May parties, June walks and other outings in the various parks, the total attendance being 121,845, an increase of 23,095 over that of last year. About 200 permits were issued for cricket, basket ball, etc.

Band Concerts.

Commencing July 14 band concerts were given until September 15 on Sundays in Pelham Bay, Van Cortlandt, Bronx, Claremont, Macombs Dam, St. James and St. Marys parks, and on Saturday afternoons in Crotona and Franz Sigel parks.

There is no form of free amusement furnished by the City which is more appreciated and enjoyed by the public than are these free concerts. Each succeeding year witnesses a large increase in the attendance, and the concerts are instructive from a musical standpoint, consisting as they do of a mixed selection of classical and popular music, and being assisted, in most cases, by a professional soloist, vocal or instrumental.

Miscellaneous.

Considerable hay which was growing in park lands was cut down and sold at auction during the last quarter, the cutting being done by the purchaser, but supervised by a park inspector.

All rentals of buildings and privileges for the sale of refreshments, etc., on park lands which expired during the past year were advertised and let to the highest bidders, at prices considerably in advance of those formerly received.

Statement of Balances and Appropriations, Year Ending December 31, 1907.

Title of Appropriation.	Appropriation.	Transferred to.	Total.	Payments.	Transferred from.	Total.	Balance January 1, 1908.
Administration, 1907.....	\$11,100 00	.....	\$11,100 00	\$10,178 57	\$915 18	\$11,093 75	\$6 25
Maintenance and Construction, 1907.....	289,774 68	.....	289,774 68	285,031 47	.....	285,031 47	4,743 21
Music, 1907	9,000 00	.....	9,000 00	8,995 00	5 00	9,000 00	.....
Supplies and Contingencies, 1907.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00	1,009 10	400 00	1,409 10	90 90
Surveys, Maps and Plans, 1907.....	750 00	.....	750 00	287 39	462 61	750 00	.....
Forestry Work, 1907.....	4,000 00	\$2,736 40	6,736 40	6,736 40	.....	6,736 40	.....
Salaries of Chief Engineer and Employees, 1907.....	16,030 00	.....	16,030 00	15,076 39	953 61	16,030 00	.....
Maintenance of Botanical Gardens, 1907.....	75,000 00	.....	75,000 00	69,982 96	.....	69,982 96	5,017 04
Maintenance of Zoological Gardens, 1907.....	141,558 75	.....	141,558 75	125,658 84	.....	125,658 84	15,899 91
Care of Trees in City Streets, 1907.....	20,000 00	.....	20,000 00	20,000 00	.....	20,000 00	.....
Revenue Bond Fund.							
Maintenance and Construction, Deficiency in Appropriation, 1907.....	46,000 00	.....	46,000 00	46,000 00	.....	46,000 00	.....

Receipts.

From rents, privileges, rent for lockers, building projections, etc..... \$11,216 42

Expenditures, Bond Accounts.

New York Zoological Garden Fund.....	\$217,698 38
Botanical Garden in Bronx Park, Improving, etc.....	61,256 17
Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways, Playgrounds, Boulevards and Driveways.....	151,997 84
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives.....	1,613 10

General Title: Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways, Playgrounds, Boulevards and Driveways.

Subtitle—

Construction of plantations, two side paths, etc., Moshulu parkway..	\$21,242 11
Construction of comfort station and shelter house on Polo Grounds, Van Cortlandt Park.....	12,027 72
Regulating, grading and filling Macombs Dam Park.....	4,392 61
Construction of new macadam road from Grand avenue, Van Cortlandt Park, about 6,500 feet to city line.....	5,308 44
Construction of ditches and drains, etc., vicinity of Rockwood drive, Van Cortlandt Park.....	56 87
Laying asphalt walks on concrete foundation in St. Marys Park....	7,954 19

Widening and reconstructing Boston road from the bridge across the Bronx river to One Hundred and Eightieth street.....

Improvement of Clay avenue side of Claremont Park, south of the main entrance.....

Construction of railings and fences around small parks.....

Reconstruction and equipment of comfort building, Franz Sigel Park

Furnishing, erecting and connecting drinking fountain on the Bronx and Pelham parkway.....

Improvement of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street side of Crotona Park, from Third avenue.....

6,924 48

12,440 46

14,080 94

2,534 15

5,521 92

4,924 51

General Title: Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Subtitle—

Improvement of Moshulu Parkway.....	\$4,016 84
Improvement of Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	20,093 25
Improvement of St. James Park.....	3,245 45
Improvement of Claremont Park on the Clay avenue side.....	2,217 05
Construction of bathhouses and shelter house at Orchard Beach, Pelham Bay Park	2,312 17
Improvement of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway.....	5,571 01

Street Improvement Fund.

Work contracted for after January 1, 1898..... 7,558 37

BOARD OF PAROLE.

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY OF MISDEMEANANTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Department of Correction,
No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
New York, February 17, 1908.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor of The City of New York, City Hall:

Dear Sir—I beg to transmit herewith a copy of the Second Annual Report of the Board of Parole of The New York City Reformatory of Misdemeanants.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN V. COGGEY,
Commissioner.

January 1, 1908.

To the Honorable Board of Parole, New York City Reformatory of Misdemeanants:

Gentlemen—I beg herewith to submit my annual report of the New York City Reformatory of Misdemeanants for the year ending December 31, 1907, that closing the second year of the institution's existence. The history of the past twelve months in tangible production and, to a certain extent, in the reformation of our inmates will be found in the statistics furnished herewith, these, now that the Reformatory is no longer an experiment, forming the major part of my report.

You will note the greatest number of commitments occurred during the months of May, June and July, this having been due to the unusual large number of arrests by the police of misdemeanants suspected chiefly of pocket picking. The large paroles in October, November and December together with the present decreased number of commitments, have placed us again on a normal footing, the previous crowded conditions having been relieved, thereby giving us ample dormitory space.

More important is the fact that since the first of July we have been working under chapter 516 of the Laws of 1907, which amended chapter 305 of the Laws of 1905, so that now only first offenders are proper commitments to this institution;

this also tends to a decreased census and more satisfactory conditions, as it gives us an improved and less vicious class of boys, and makes the problem of moral classification a less difficult one.

During the year we have erected (1) a cement building for use as a gas generating plant; (2) one story of a proposed three-story cement building, 26 by 100 feet, the first story to be used for our tin industry, even before the completion of the entire structure, and (3) a frame building, 30 by 200 feet, almost ready for occupancy as storeroom and cement industry. Our inmates took part in the erection of these buildings.

Another industry has been established, that of tinsmithing. The extent of the work performed will be found in the appended tables, and, I may add, it is the purpose of this Institution to manufacture all the tinware for the Department of Correction. The other industrial schools remain as at the time of my last report, their progress has been good and a satisfactory condition as to production is shown in statistics of the year.

With another twelve months of practical experience I feel that the recommendations made one year ago should again be emphasized as being needed for the greater efficiency of the institution. This applies most strongly to the matter of new buildings for dormitories and workshops, increased trade industries, school rooms, and more especially the placing of the institution under military discipline. That we may properly fulfil our duty to the boys and attain the ends for which this institution was established, the reformation of its inmates, an increased minimum term of sentence is imperative, and when the change is made, our census will be greatly increased, and if we are not prepared for this it will result in most deplorable overcrowding and cause great difficulty in carrying on this very important work.

In my report to the Commissioner of the Department of Correction, I have already acknowledged my gratitude for the interest his Honor and the Deputy Commissioner have evinced throughout the year in trying to better conditions, also of the efficient and commendable work of officers in my charge; and finally, I desire to gratefully acknowledge the cordial support and friendly spirit shown at all times in my dealings with the members of the Honorable Board of Parole.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. VAN DE CARR,
Overseer.

Inmate Population.	
Number of inmates at Reformatory December 31, 1906.....	185
Number of inmates received at Reformatory from January 1, 1907, to December 31, 1907.....	654
Number rearrested and returned for violation of parole.....	54
	893

Of which number there were:

Discharged upon various writs and Court orders.....	16
Discharged by Board and returned to other institutions on warrants.....	4
Discharged by Board and delivered to United States Naval authorities for desertion.....	1
Discharged by Board and delivered to authorities of New York State Reformatory at Elmira.....	1
Discharged by Board and transferred to Asylum for Criminal Insane at Matteawan, N. Y.....	2
Transferred to Workhouse, Blackwells Island, by committing Magistrate; defective commitment.....	2
Returned to City Prison to be resentenced.....	11
*Escaped.....	4
Died.....	2
Paroled during the year.....	651
	694

Leaving number of inmates in Reformatory on December 31, 1907.....	199
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* Of the four inmates who escaped, three were recaptured and returned to the Reformatory, and the fourth was arrested and sent to the State Reformatory at Elmira.

Health of Inmates.

It is gratifying to state that the health of the inmates has been excellent. There have been no epidemics.

Hospital cases treated:

Pulmonary tuberculosis.....	6
Malaria.....	15
Nephritis.....	1
Death from tuberculosis.....	1
Death from nephritis.....	1

Many minor conditions requiring treatment but not of such a nature as to require admission to the hospital have occurred.

Spiritual Welfare.

Their spiritual welfare has been faithfully cared for by the Catholic, Protestant and Hebrew Chaplains of the Department of Correction, and attendance at religious services has been usually large though not compulsory.

Scholastic Education.

In the school connected with the Reformatory there have been two sessions each day. The average attendance at each session was about 60, but as some of the inmates attend both in the morning and afternoon, it makes the average daily attendance about 100 inmates. The course of instruction is of an elementary character and confined mostly to reading, spelling, writing and arithmetic. Yet in addition to these subjects an effort was made to teach grammar, composition, history, geography, physiology and drawing. Many of the inmates have attended either the public schools of New York City or parochial schools and hence in scholarship they fairly represent the various grades from the primary to the high school.

Some of the inmates over 16 years of age born in New York City claim they have never attended school at any time in their lives. Again, there are quite a number who cannot speak English and also unable to read or write. Many of these illiterates are anxious to learn and most of them succeed in learning to read and write fairly before they leave the institution.

The instruction given has been of a practical character and an effort has been made to improve the mental and moral needs of the inmates.

Shoemaking Industry.

In the matter of production I desire to call special attention to what has been accomplished in this industry. We are now manufacturing shoes sufficient to meet the demands of the Department of Correction, and if we had not been handicapped at times by lack of motor power the following report would show much greater results, but the aptitude shown by boys who never had any experience in this trade is certainly gratifying:

Average number of inmates employed daily.....	66
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Men's shoes made, pairs.....	9,080
Women's shoes made, pairs.....	2,999
Children's shoes made, pairs.....	58

Total pairs made.....	12,137
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Unfinished.

Unfinished men's shoes, pairs.....	1,014
Unfinished women's shoes, pairs.....	201
Men's uppers cut, pairs.....	3,300
Women's uppers cut, pairs.....	550

Shoes repaired, pairs.....	327
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Tailoring Industry.

Average number of inmates employed daily.....	12
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This industry has continued along without an Instructor with very creditable results from an economical standpoint as well as that of reformation in teaching the boys a trade. Production as follows:

Made New.	
Inmates' coats.....	259
Inmates' pants.....	491
Inmates' vests.....	101
Inmates' top-shirts.....	734
Inmates' night shirts.....	463

Tailoring Industry.

Repaired.	
Pillow slips.....	299
Pillow cases.....	303
Carpenters' aprons.....	53
Rack towels.....	61
Inmates' small towels.....	1,133
Barbers' coats.....	6
Painters' coats.....	11
Tags.....	300

Old coats.....	689
Old pants.....	1,234
Old vests.....	562
Top-shirts.....	1,170
Night shirts.....	313
Undershirts.....	600
Underdrawers.....	473
Aprons.....	140
Pillow slips.....	235

Repairing, Cleaning and Pressing.	
Inmates' street suits.....	696
Cement and Concrete Industry.	
Average number of inmates employed daily.....	40

This I consider one of the best industries connected with our institution. With stock on hand and facilities for manufacturing we can not only complete a three-story building in progress of erection but produce enough material for the construction of a large dormitory during the coming season. The following tables show what has already been accomplished:

Cement blocks.....	13,548
Cement bricks.....	62,680
Sills.....	46
Lintels.....	55
Water table, running feet.....	600
Sidewalks, square feet.....	1,800
Concrete flooring, square feet.....	2,416
Excavating and putting in concrete foundation for extension of new boiler house, cubic feet.....	1,500
Erected building for gas generating plant, 13 feet high by 13 feet 8 inches by 11 feet.....	1
Made foundation and nearly completed first story of a three-story building, 100 by 26 feet.....	1
Built concrete piers, walls 15 inches thick, 6 feet high, 75 feet long, one each side of sewer pipe, from sea wall to high water mark.....	2
Cement copings around shoe shop windows.....	14
Excavating and concreting for manholes, cubic feet.....	384
Cement arches put in.....	19
Sewer pipe laid, feet.....	140
Iron lintels set in new tin shop for doors.....	3
Iron lintels set in new tin shop for windows.....	26
Excavations made and brick work built up for electric poles, concreting around same.....	12
Excavation made and 5-inch pipe laid from roof drains of shoe shop to main sewer, feet.....	75

Carpentry Industry.

The work performed in this industry has been done by inmates who had some knowledge of carpentry before being committed to the Reformatory, and from now on a school will be formed and the trade taught by a Foreman Carpenter assigned to this institution from the Department of Correction. We have made the following:

Doors.....	8
Floors.....	2
Wheelbarrows.....	45
Shelving, feet.....	150
Wall in dormitory, 36 feet of lumber.....	1
Benches.....	102
High chairs for use in shop.....	2
Wooden pallets for use in cement industry.....	615
Mortar boxes.....	3
Screen doors.....	7
Window screens.....	12
Sashcords put in.....	40
Packing boxes for shoes.....	11
Partition in office.....	1
Shed, extension to Overseer's quarters.....	1
Clothes closets.....	7
Tool boxes.....	7

Tinsmithing Industry.

Average number of inmates employed daily.....	15
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This is another important industry not only in the matter of production, but in the matter of teaching a trade as well, which can be of great service to a boy in seeking employment when released from the Reformatory. As previously stated, we expect to manufacture all tinware used in the Department of Correction. We have made as follows:

Mess pans.....	5,900
Quart cups.....	4,700
Dustpans.....	248
Pails, assorted sizes.....	193
Coal hods.....	100
Ash and garbage cans.....	96
Roofing repaired, square feet.....	1,400
New roofing, square feet.....	200
Kitchen ware, pieces.....	36
Galvanized iron cornice, feet.....	250
Galvanized iron roof flashing, feet.....	500
Measures, assorted sizes.....	132
Sprinkling cans.....	6
Five-gallon cans.....	3
Five-gallon cans, with spouts.....	3

Among our inmates we frequently find representatives of almost every trade, such as barbers, electricians, plasterers, plumbers, etc., and usually there is work enough to keep each employed in his own line. Other inmates were employed during the year in excavating, hauling dirt, stone, sand, cement and ice, so that when the weather was favorable for outside labor all were kept busy at work of some kind.

Board of Parole of the New York City Reformatory of Misdemeanants,
No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
New York, January 1, 1908.

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

Gentlemen—I enclose herewith statistical report for the year 1907, which has been compiled from the records of the Board of Parole, together with a summary of record of the conduct of paroled inmates, compiled from the records and with the assistance of Parole Officers Bliss and Hogan.

Respectfully submitted,	
THOS. R. MINNICK, Secretary.	

*Escaped	4	
Died	2	
Paroled during the year	651	694
Leaving number of inmates in Reformatory on December 31, 1907	199	

* Three recaptured; one sent to Elmira.

Summary of Record of Paroled Inmates During the Year 1907.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Served well and earned final discharge from parole.....	250	31.21
In foreign countries.....	2	.25
In hospitals.....	1	.12
Employed, reporting regularly and making good reports.....	255	31.84
Not working at present, but reporting regularly.....	59	7.37
Conduct on parole satisfactory.....	567	70.79
Returned to Reformatory for violation of parole.....	54	6.74
Ordered rearrested for violation of parole, but not yet apprehended..	91	11.36
Under investigation or temporarily lost sight of.....	38	4.74
Conduct on parole more or less unsatisfactory.....	183	22.84
Returned to the Reformatory on a new charge.....	8	1.00
In other prisons.....	40	4.99
Returned to crime.....	48	5.99
Died	3	.38
Total.....	801	100.00

Reports Made by Inmates While on Parole.

Number of reports made by paroled inmates at inmates' homes.....	4,177
Number of reports made by paroled inmates at homes of Parole Officers.....	1,363
Number of reports made by paroled inmates at office of Board of Parole.....	1,235
Number of reports made by paroled inmates at all other places.....	1,937

Number of reports made in person by paroled inmates.....	8,712
Number of reports made by letter or through any other source.....	1,249

Total number of reports made by paroled inmates.....	9,961
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Number of applications for parole investigated.....	932
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Biographical Tables Compiled from Information Relating to Six Hundred and Fifty-four Inmates Sentenced to the New York City Reformatory During the Year 1907.

In Relation to Inmates Themselves.

Educational.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Without any education (illiterate).....	39	5.96
Night school (simply read or write with difficulty).....	9	1.38
Attended school in foreign countries.....	52	7.95
Schooling received in various prison institutions.....	22	3.36
Primary grade, ordinary common school.....	94	14.37
Grammar grade, ordinary common school.....	415	63.46
High school	9	1.38
Various schools in other states.....	12	1.83
College and university graduates.....	2	.31

Nominal Religious Faith or Training.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Protestant	126	19.27
Catholic	349	53.36
Hebrew	179	27.37

Character of Associations.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Bad	397	60.70
Doubtful	86	13.15
Fair	27	4.13
Good	144	22.02

Industrial.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Worked at trades.....	205	31.35
Clerks, bookkeepers and office help.....	51	7.80
Salesmen	4	.62

	Number.	Per Cent.
Messenger, cash, tool and wagon boys, newsboys, bootblacks and elevator runners	125	19.10
Barbers, waiters, servants and restaurant help.....	25	3.82
Peddlers, fruit stand attendant, etc.....	14	2.14
Laborers and truck drivers.....	143	21.87
Farm hands.....	1	.15
Actor	1	.15
Miscellaneous	83	12.69
No occupation.....	2	.31

Nature of Offenses.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Petit larceny.....	358	54.74
Attempted petit larceny.....	4	
Unlawful entry.....	34	
Carrying burglars' tools.....	2	
Defacing and destroying property.....	7	
Offenses against property.....	405	61.92
Assault, third degree.....	35	
Fighting	3	
Carrying concealed weapons.....	9	
Offenses against the person.....	47	7.19
Disorderly conduct.....	87	
Disorderly conduct and incorrigible.....	6	
Incorrigible	22	
Vagrancy	29	
Vagrancy, disorderly conduct and incorrigible.....	1	
Loitering and acting suspiciously.....	9	
Suspicious person.....	38	
Intoxication	4	
Degenerate habits.....	5	
Vicious associations.....	1	
Offenses against the peace.....	202	30.89
Total.....	654	100.00

Age on Admission.

Inmates at 16 years of age.....	111
Inmates at 17 years of age.....	157
Inmates at 18 years of age.....	115
Inmates at 19 years of age.....	108
Inmates at 20 years of age.....	43
Inmates at 21 years of age.....	40
Inmates at 22 years of age.....	28
Inmates at 23 years of age.....	15
Inmates at 24 years of age.....	9
Inmates at 25 years of age.....	7
Inmates at 26 years of age.....	3
Inmates at 27 years of age.....	3
Inmates at 28 years of age.....	7
Inmates at 29 years of age.....	5
Inmates at 31 years of age.....	2
Inmates at 32 years of age.....	1

Youngest inmate was 16 years of age.

Oldest inmate was 32 years of age.

Average age on admission was 17 years and 1½ months.

Lightest inmate weighed 69 pounds.

Heaviest inmate weighed 172 pounds.

Average weight of inmates, 123½ pounds.

Shortest inmate was 4 feet in height.

Tallest inmate was 6 feet 1¼ inches in height.

Average height of 654 inmates was 5 feet 3½ inches.

Physical Condition on Admission.

	Number.	Per Cent.
In poor health.....	4	.61
In somewhat impaired health.....	20	3.06
In good health.....	630	96.33

Nativity of Inmates.

	Number.	Per Cent.
United States.....	458	70.03
Austria-Hungary	24	
Russia	69	
Germany	9	

	Number.	Per Cent.
England	11	
Italy	53	
Ireland	8	
Roumania	3	
France	1	
Canada	4	
Poland	3	
West Indies	6	
Norway	1	
Belgium	1	
Brazil	1	
Finland	1	
Mexico	1	
Foreign born	196	29.97
Total	654	100.00

Nativity of Parents of Inmates.

	Number.	Per Cent.
United States	148	22.65
Austria-Hungary	51	
Russia	107	
Germany	50	
England	9	
Italy	84	
Ireland	88	
Roumania	6	
France	1	
Canada	3	
Sweden	1	
Poland	3	
Bohemia	3	
Scotland	3	
Norway	2	
Holland	1	
Denmark	1	
Mexico	1	
Morocco-Tangiers	1	
West Indies	8	
Unknown foreign country	2	
Both parents born in same foreign country	425	64.98

	Number.	Per Cent.
Ireland—England	6	
Ireland—Germany	2	
Ireland—Scotland	3	
Ireland—Denmark	1	
Ireland—Norway	1	
Ireland—France	1	
Roumania—Russia	1	
Austria—Germany	3	
Austria—Sweden	1	
Germany—Spain	1	
Germany—Hungary	1	
Bohemia—Austria	1	
Scotland—Germany	1	
Parents born in foreign countries of different nationalities	23	3.51
United States—Canada	2	
United States—England	4	
United States—France	3	
United States—Germany	12	
United States—Ireland	30	
United States—Russia	3	
United States—Belgium	1	
United States—Scotland	1	
United States—Mexico	1	
United States—China	1	
One parent born in the United States and the other parent in foreign country	58	8.86
Total	654	100.00

	Commitments.	Number.	Per Cent.
Judge O'Sullivan	55		
Judge Rosalsky	32		
Judge Crain	17		
Judge McAvoy	13		
Judge Whitman	9		
Judge Blanchard	4		
Judge Giegerich	1		
Judge Dowling	1		
Total number committed from Court of General Sessions and Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court	132	20.18	
Judge Dyke	14		
Judge Fawcett	8		
Total number committed from Kings County Court	22	3.36	
Court of Special Sessions, First Division	215	32.87	
Court of Special Sessions, Second Division	91	13.92	
Magistrate Walsh	3		
Magistrate Crane	13		
Magistrate Breen	5		
Magistrate Baker	5		
Magistrate Barlow	17		
Magistrate House	5		
Magistrate Moss	3		
Magistrate Kernochan	2		
Magistrate Harris	4		
Magistrate Droege	16		
Magistrate Corrigan	19		
Magistrate Herman	4		
Magistrate Steinert	1		
Magistrate Wahle	58		
Magistrate Finelite	1		
Magistrate Whitman	5		
Magistrate Sweetzer	4		
Total number committed by City Magistrates, First Division	165	25.23	
Magistrate Dooley	4		
Magistrate Voorhis	1		
Magistrate Higginbotham	3		
Magistrate O'Reilly	8		
Magistrate Steers	1		
Magistrate Connerton	1		
Magistrate Hyland	2		
Magistrate Greismar	7		
Magistrate Gilroy	2		
Total number committed by City Magistrates, Second Division	29	4.44	
Total number of commitments	654	100.00	
	Previous Criminal History.	Number.	Per Cent.
Never convicted of any previous charge	402	61.47	
Convicted for second offense	193	29.51	
Convicted for third offense	43	6.58	
Convicted for fourth offense	10	1.53	
Convicted for fifth offense	5	.76	
Convicted for eleventh offense	1	.15	
So far as can be ascertained, about 34.25 per cent. of inmates sentenced to the Reformatory had previously served time in other institutions, as follows:			
Truant School	14		
New York Juvenile Asylum	20		
New York Catholic Protectory, one term	60		
New York Catholic Protectory, two terms	8		
New York House of Refuge, one term	6		
New York House of Refuge, two terms	1		
City Prison	9		
Workhouse, Blackwells Island	24		
Harts Island Reform School—Branch Workhouse, one term	44		
New York County Penitentiary, Blackwells Island	3		
Kings County Penitentiary	4		
Raymond Street Jail, Brooklyn	10		
New York State Reformatory at Elmira	4		
Workhouse, St. Louis, Mo.	1		
County Prison, Philadelphia, Pa.	1		
Jail at Washington, D. C.	1		
White Plains Jail	1		
Training School	8		
Richmond County Jail	1		
Queens County Jail	2		
Buffalo City Prison	1		
Hartford Jail	1		
Previously paroled under various authorities	38		
Fined	20		

In Relation to Parents of Inmates.

	Number.	Per Cent.
Inmates had both parents living.....	187	28.60
Inmates with mother dead and father remarried.....	29	4.43
Inmates with father dead and mother remarried.....	37	5.66
Inmates with parents divorced and mother remarried.....	2	.31
Inmates with a stepfather or a stepmother.....	68	10.40
Inmates half orphans by death of mother.....	74	11.32
Inmates half orphans by death of father.....	108	16.52
Inmate with father in New York and mother in foreign country...	1	.15
Inmate with mother in New York and father in foreign country...	1	.15
Inmates with mother in New York and father's address unknown..	5	.76
Inmate with father in New York and mother in insane asylum....	1	.15
Inmate with mother in hospital and father's address unknown....	1	.15
Inmate with mother in foreign country and father's address un-known	1	.15
Inmates with one parent residing outside New York.....	5	.76
Inmates who are under the guidance of only one parent	197	30.11
Inmates with father dead and mother residing outside New York..	7	1.07
Inmates with father unknown and mother in insane asylum.....	2	.31
Inmates with father dead and mother in foreign country.....	10	1.53
Inmate with father dead and mother's address unknown.....	1	.15
Inmates with mother dead, father in foreign country.....	14	2.14
Inmates with mother dead, father residing outside New York.....	11	1.68
Inmates with mother dead, father's address unknown.....	16	2.45
Inmates with the address of both parents unknown.....	3	.46
Inmates with both parents residing outside New York.....	13	1.99
Inmates with both parents living in foreign countries.....	38	5.81
Inmates with both parents dead.....	87	13.30
Inmates who are without the guidance of either parent	202	30.89
Inmates.....	654	100.00

	Number.	Per Cent.
Insanity in ancestry.....	29	4.43
Epilepsy in ancestry.....	15	2.29
Drunkenness	35	5.35
Number of colored inmates.....	18	2.75
Number of married inmates.....	26	3.98

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Changes in the Service of the Department of Public Charities During the Week Ending February 22, 1908.

March 1—Berris, Michael, salary increased, \$360 to \$420 per annum; hospital Helper, Central Office, Manhattan.
February 16—Brazell, Mary, dismissed, Hospital Helper, New York City Home, Blackwells Island, \$180 per annum; absence without leave.
February 13—Carlin, Charles, discharged, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$240 per annum; absence without leave.
February 5—Clark, Irene, appointed, Hospital Helper, New York City Training School, \$240 per annum; certified February 5.
February 18—Deering, Anthony F., appointed, Clerical Assistant, storehouse, \$240 per annum; certified February 18.
January 31—Dowd, Helen F., salary increased, \$360 to \$420 per annum, Pupil Examiner; Central Office, Brooklyn.
February 19—Duffy, Mary, appointed, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$180 per annum; certified February 19.
February 2—Edwards, Robert C., discharged, Hospital Helper, Cumberland Street Hospital, \$240 per annum; absence without leave.
February 19—Folger, Alwina, appointed, Hospital Helper, New York City Training School, \$300 per annum; certified February 17.
February 11—Franklin, Saul, resigned, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$240 per annum.
February 9—Flynn, Thos. F., dismissed, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$300 per annum; absence without leave.
February 7—Johnson, Esther, Reappointed, Seamstress, Randalls Island, \$204 per annum.
March 1—Knowles, Patrick J., promoted, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$360 to \$420 per annum.
February 9—Koenig, George, dismissed, Hospital Helper, \$360 per annum, Metropolitan Hospital; intoxication.
January 31—Latimer, Rose, dropped, Waitress, New York City Training School, \$240 per annum; illness.
February 12—Lee, Patrick, dismissed, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum; absence without leave.
February 10—Levine, Kate C., appointed, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum; certified February 10.
January 31—Little, Sarah, dropped, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum; illness.
February 5—Little, Sarah, reappointed, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum.
February 13—McGuire, Bernard, resigned, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Hospital, \$480 per annum.
February 13—McGuire, John, discharged, Hospital Helper, New York City Home, Brooklyn, \$300 per annum; intoxication.
February 10—Meyer, Kate, appointed, Hospital Helper, steamboats, \$180 per annum; certified February 10.

February 11—Monahan, Thomas, dropped, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum; own request.

February 10—Morley, Bertha, appointed, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$180 per annum; certified February 10.

February 19—Morgan, L. M., promoted, Pupil Examiner, Children's Bureau, \$360 to \$420 per annum.

February 15—Mullens, Annie, dropped, Hospital Helper, Farm Colony, \$180 per annum; resigned.

February 11—Nelson, Lars, discharged, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$240 per annum; intoxication.

February 3—Olpherts, Clara, reappointed, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum.

February 10—Pagain, Joseph, dismissed, Cook, Metropolitan Hospital, \$360 per annum; certified February 4.

February 10—Pagain, Joseph, dismissed, Cook, Metropolitan Hospital, \$360 per annum; incompetency.

February 14—O'Mullane, Joseph, appointed, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Hospital, \$360 per annum; Certified February 14.

February 10—Reilly, Patrick, appointed, Baker, storehouse, \$700 per annum; certified February 10.

February 11—Roesch, Frank, appointed, Cook, Metropolitan Hospital, \$420 per annum; certified February 11.

February 18—Seidel, Ernest, dropped, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$180 per annum; own request.

February 12—Singewald, Oscar, appointed, Cook, Metropolitan Hospital, \$360 per annum; certified February 12.

January 19—Sullivan, Timothy, dismissed, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240 per annum; disorderly conduct.

February 12—Young, Margaret, appointed, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$300 per annum; certified February 12.

J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Morgue,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
New York, February 20, 1908.

Description of unknown man from foot of West Fifty-sixth street, North River—Age, about 40 years; height, 5 feet 8 inches; weight, about 150 pounds; color, white; eyes, can't tell; hair, dark brown; mustache, dark brown; good teeth. Clothing: Dark gray herring-bone stripe overcoat, black cloth double-breasted sack coat, blue serge vest, one pair blue serge pants and one pair black worsted pants, white bosom shirt, white turnover collar, size 14½, black four-in-hand tie, three undershirts, laundry mark W. H. W. XX 123, white suspenders, black striped gray cotton socks, red striped black laced blucher shoes; about three months in water. Condition of body: Fair. Remarks: Leather strap around right wrist, name written on inside of overcoat collar, Geo. H. Miller, Newark, N. J. No. 7591. Coroner, Shady. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

Morgue,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
New York, February 20, 1908.

Description of unknown man from Presbyterian Hospital, City—Age, about 30 years; height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, about 165 pounds; color, white; eyes, brown; hair, brown; mustache, brown; good teeth. Clothing: Dark mixed goods overcoat, large gray check stripes, tag on collar marked Woroskin, 94 Canal street, dark gray sack coat, black stripes, black cloth vest and pants, blue flannel shirt and blue and white striped shirt, laundry mark NW 651, pink and white striped cotton drawers, black cotton socks, black laced Douglas shoes, black four-in-hand tie, red stripes, light brown derby hat. Condition of body: Good. No. 7590. Coroner, Shady. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

Morgue,
No. 256 Willoughby Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y., February 21, 1908.

Description of unknown man from foot of Clymer street—Age about 40 years; height, 5 feet 11 inches; weight, about 190 pounds; color, white; eyes, blue; hair, brown; mustache, none; beard, none; teeth, good. Clothing: Gray and black mixed sack coat, gray and black mixed vest, blue serge trousers, blue flannel shirt, gray cotton underwear, black cotton socks, black laced blucher shoes, size 10, black and white striped suspenders. Condition of body: Bad. Remarks: Letter F tattooed on left forearm. P. Maguire, Superintendent.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

Francis J. Rourke, Clerk in the Division of Bookkeeping and Awards, died February 21, 1908.

May P. Thompson, Clerk in the Auditing Bureau, died February 27, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

February 29—Patrick Brady, No. 151 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan, is promoted from the position of Laborer to that of Bridge Tender, and his compensation fixed at \$900 per annum, to date from March 1, 1908.

The compensation of William Tompkins, No. 373 Marion street, Brooklyn, Painter, is fixed at \$24 per week, to date from March 1, 1908.

Death of Cornelius Twomey, No. 1118 Third avenue, New York City, Carpenter, on February 27, 1908.

The compensation of Louis Snell, No. 545 Forty-fifth street, Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter, is fixed at \$1,500 per annum, and to date from March 1, 1908.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

February 26—At a meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held on the 25th inst., Frederick B. Faitoute, of Brewsters, N. Y., was reinstated as Inspector of Masonry, with salary at \$5 per day, to take effect on said date.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Borough of Brooklyn.

March 2—In conformity with certificate of the Municipal Civil Service Commission have approved of the transfer of Bernard McFadden, Office Boy, from the Department of Finance to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The transfer takes effect March 1, 1908.



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Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt. Patrick Derry, Chief of Bureau.

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 Part V.
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 Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Joseph Fitch, Maurice E. Connolly, Eugene C. Gilroy.

Courts

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.
 Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.
 Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.

Courts

First District—Lafayette place, New Brighton, Staten Island.
 Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—The First District embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.
 Wauhoo Lynn, William F. Moore, John J. Hover Justices.

Thomas O'Connell, Clerk; Francis Mangin, Deputy Clerk.
 Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, No. 70 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Additional Parts of Court are now held in No. 128 Prince street, Tenth street and Sixth avenue, and No. 59 Madison street.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.

George F. Roesch, Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Justices.
 James J. Devlin, Clerk; Michael H. Looney, Deputy Clerk.
 Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 296 Orchard.
 Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Central Park West to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough; including, however, all of Blackwell's Island.

Michael Skelly, Clerk; Henry Merzbach, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.
 Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwell's Island.

Michael F. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.

Abram Bernard, Clerk; James Foley, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Part I., No. 407 Second avenue, northwest corner of Second avenue and Twenty-third street. Part II., No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 4570 Gramercy.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borough.

Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.

James V. Gilloon, Clerk; John H. Servis, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwell's Island.

Herman Joseph, Jacob Marks, Justices.

Edward A. McQuade, Clerk; Thomas M. Campbell, Deputy Clerk; John J. Dietz, Frederick J. Stroh, Assistant Clerks.

Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 4343 79-Street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly terminus thereof, and north of the northerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem river on a line conterminous with the easterly boundary of said borough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borough.

Phillip J. Sinnott, David L. Weil, John R. Davies, Justices.

Heman B. Wilson, Clerk; Robert Andrews, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the centre line of Fifth avenue, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borough, including Randall's Island and the whole of Ward's Island.

Joseph P. Fallon, Leopold Prince, Justices.

William J. Kennedy, Clerk; Patrick J. Ryan, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of Central Park West, on the east by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Fifth avenue and by One Hundred and Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.

Edgar J. Lauer, Frederick De Witt Wells, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.

William J. Chamberlain, Clerk; Charles Healy, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.

William W. Penfield and Peter A. Sheil, Justices.

Thomas F. Delahanty, Clerk.

Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, closing at 12 m.

John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.

Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navv street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.

John J. Walsh, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twenty-third Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.

Court-room, No. 405 Gates avenue.

Gerard B. Van Wart and Edward C. Dowling, Justices.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 128, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock p.m., until further notice.

Dated New York City, October 12, 1907.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
GEORGE C. NORTON,
LEWIS A. ABRAMS,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10:30 o'clock a.m.
JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday at 11 a.m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.

HENRY J. STORRS,
Chief Clerk.

The Board of City Record meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.
PATRICK J. TRACY,
Supervisor, Secretary.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Independent."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Island World," "Richmond County Herald."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Freie Presse."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Tammany Times" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts), "New York Daily News."

Designed by Board of City Record June 19, 1906.

Amended June 20, 1906; July 1, 1907; September 30, 1907; February 24, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH W. SAVAGE,
Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1908.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT HUNDRED AND TEN (810) CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK, AND TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY (270) CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

The above material to be delivered on the roadway of Lincoln road, between Washington and Rogers avenues.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

NO. 2. FOR LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FIFTY-THIRD STREET, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH AVENUES, AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

NO. 3. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF BELMONT AVENUE, BETWEEN SNEDIKER AVENUE AND HINSDALE STREET, ETC., AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

2,816 linear feet of fence.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

NO. 4. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF BLAKE AVENUE, BETWEEN SACKMAN AND POWELL STREETS, ETC., AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

3,004 linear feet of fence.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is five hundred Dollars (\$500).

NO. 5. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF LINCOLN PLACE, BETWEEN ROGERS AND NOSTRAND AVENUES, AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

3,638 linear feet of fence.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

NO. 6. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ATLANTIC AVENUE, BETWEEN PERRY PLACE AND NOSTRAND AVENUE, ETC., AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,078 linear feet of fence.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

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

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 Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 14 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,
President.

Dated March 2, 1908.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 2. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF POPLAR STREET, BETWEEN HICKS STREET AND HENRY STREET, AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

2,990 linear feet of fence.

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 Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, linear foot 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.

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 Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 14, Municipal Building.

BIRD S. COLER,
President.

Dated February 24, 1908.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE FOR USE OF BUREAU OF SEWERS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of same and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1908.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

NO. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,250 TONS BEST GRADE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE PEA COAL, 2,240 POUNDS TO TON.

The time allowed for the delivery of same and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1908.

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LIME, CEMENT, BRICK AND OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS TO VARIOUS DISPOSAL WORKS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of same and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1908.

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

NO. 4. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF BELMONT AVENUE, BETWEEN SNEDIKER AVENUE AND HINSDALE STREET, ETC., AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

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The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

32,214 square feet cement sidewalk.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days from the date of such notification.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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Item 4— 715 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 7. FOR PAVING THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET (CEDAR PLACE), FROM CAUDWELL AVENUE TO JACKSON AVENUE, AND FROM FOREST AVENUE TO UNION AVENUE, WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO FOREST AVENUE WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—2,580 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

Item 2— 525 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

Item 3— 900 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

Item 4—1,430 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

Item 5— 495 square yards of new granite block pavement on a concrete foundation, laid with paving cement joints, and keeping the same in repair for one year from date of acceptance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 8. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ST. MARY'S STREET, FROM ST. ANNS AVENUE TO ROBBINS AVENUE, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—4,710 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

Item 2— 763 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

Item 3— 800 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

Item 4—1,900 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No. 9. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, FROM ST. ANNS AVENUE TO CYPRESS AVENUE, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—2,810 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

Item 2— 455 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

Item 3— 700 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

Item 4—1,000 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BRIGGS AVENUE (GUN HILL ROAD), FROM WHITE PLAINS ROAD TO BAYCHESTER AVENUE, AT OR NEAR PELHAM BAY PARK.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1— 52,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Item 2— 31,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.

Item 3—275,000 cubic yards of filling, exclusive of all material sinking below the surface of the marsh, as indicated on the plan.

Item 3a—A lump sum bid for all material sinking below the surface of the marsh, as indicated on the plan.

Item 4—21,450 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

Item 5—76,200 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

Item 6—23,500 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

Item 7—1,500 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

Item 8—200 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

Item 9—10 cubic yards of brick masonry.

Item 10—400 cubic yards of concrete.

Item 11—2,700 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

Item 12—1,900 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 18 inches in diameter.

Item 13—500 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 20 inches in diameter.

Item 14—1,150 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 24 inches in diameter.

Item 15—10,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

Item 16—30 drainage inlets, type "A."

Item 17—50 drainage inlets, type "B."

Item 18—3,000 linear feet of piles, driven and cut off.

Item 19—3,000 pounds of steel rods in place.

Item 20—3,000 pounds of cast iron in inlet frames and covers, in place.

Item 21—1 tidegate, complete.

Item 22—140 linear feet of reinforced concrete, 10 feet by 6 feet.

Item 23—840 linear feet of reinforced concrete, 6 feet by 5 feet.

Item 24—13,500 linear feet of guard rails.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be five hundred (500) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

No. 11. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND RE-REGULATING, GRADING AND REGRADING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING AND RELAYING CROSSWALKS IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, FROM WEST FARMS ROAD TO BOSTON ROAD, AND PAVING THE ROADWAY THEREOF WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A SAND FOUNDATION.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—1,940 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Item 2—1,160 cubic yards of rock excavation.

Item 3—460 cubic yards of filling.

Item 4—850 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

Item 5—600 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed and set.

Item 6—3,460 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

Item 7—2,550 square feet of old flagging, re-jointed and relaid.

Item 8—50 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

Item 9—1,300 square feet of old bridgestone, re-jointed and relaid.

Item 10—10 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

Item 11—20 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

Item 12—3,170 square yards of new granite block pavement on a sand foundation, laid with sand joints, and keeping the pavement in repair for one year from date of acceptance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be seventy-five (75) working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirtysix Hundred Dollars (\$3,600).

No. 12. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN EXTERIOR STREET, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET TO JEROME AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—1,450 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.

Item 2—57,600 cubic yards of filling, exclusive of all material sinking below the surface of the marsh, as indicated on the plan.

Item 3—6,670 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

Item 4—26,340 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

Item 5—1,850 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

Item 6—220 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

Item 7—100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

Item 8—1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

Item 9—3,000 linear feet of new guard rail in place.

Item 10—A lump sum bid for all material sinking below the surface of the marsh, as indicated on the plan.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be three hundred (300) days.

The amount of security required will be Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000).

No. 13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN CITY ISLAND AVENUE (MAIN STREET), FROM THE APPROACH TO THE BRIDGE 300 FEET NORTH OF ELIZABETH STREET TO THE LONG ISLAND SOUND AT THE SOUTHERLY END OF CITY ISLAND.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—6,200 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Item 2—500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

Item 3—60,800 cubic yards of filling.

Item 4—13,700 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

Item 5—250 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed and reset.

Item 6—50,200 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

Item 7—9,200 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

Item 8—2,600 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

Item 9—100 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

Item 10—800 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

Item 11—3,000 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 18 inches in diameter.

Item 12—450 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 24 inches in diameter.

Item 13—1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

Item 14—3,500 linear feet of new guard rail.

Item 15—105 linear feet of old iron fence, taken up and reset.

Item 16—18 drainage inlets, type "A."

Item 17—30 drainage inlets, type "B."

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be two hundred and fifty (250) working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirtysix Thousand Dollars (\$36,000).

No. 14. FOR REBUILDING A PORTION OF THE SEWER IN WHITLOCK AVENUE, NEAR BANCROFT STREET.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—725 cubic yards of brick work, in place.

Item 2—4,500 pounds of steel bars, 1/2-inch, furnished and in place.

Item 3—120 pounds of steel bars, 5/8-inch, furnished and in place.

Item 4—1,540 pounds of steel I-beams, furnished and in place.

Item 5—15 square feet of wire netting, No. 14 gauge, mesh 2-inch by 1-inch, furnished and in place.

Item 6—12 cubic yards of Class "A" concrete, in place.

Item 7—10 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete, in place.

Item 8—69 spurs for house connections, furnished and in place.

Item 9—1 manhole, complete.

Item 10—1 ventilator, complete.

Item 11—1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

Item 12—600 linear feet of 6-inch pipe as risers for house connections, including the supporting and surrounding Class "A" concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be two hundred (200) working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500).

No. 15. FOR REBUILDING A PORTION OF THE SEWER IN TIFFANY STREET, BETWEEN RANDALL AVENUE AND A POINT ABOUT 230 FEET NORTH THEREFROM.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—650 cubic yards of Class "A" concrete, in place.

Item 2—61,500 pounds of steel bars, 1/2-inch to 1-inch, furnished and in place.

Item 3—1,008 pounds of steel I-beams, furnished and in place.

Item 4—34 pounds of steel plates, furnished and in place.

Item 5—36 square feet of wire netting, No. 14 gauge, mesh 2-inch by 1-inch, furnished and in place.

Item 6—1 manhole, complete.

Item 7—58 spurs for house connections, furnished and in place.

Item 8—12,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be five hundred (500) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND RE-REGULATING, GRADING AND REGRADING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING AND RELAYING CROSSWALKS IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, FROM WEST FARMS ROAD TO BOSTON ROAD, AND PAVING THE ROADWAY THEREOF WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A SAND FOUNDATION.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—1,940 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Item 2—1,160 cubic yards of rock excavation.

Item 3—460 cubic yards of filling.

Item 4—850 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 17. FOR PAVING THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET (CEDAR PLACE), FROM CAUDWELL AVENUE TO JACKSON AVENUE, AND FROM FOREST AVENUE TO UNION AVENUE, WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO FOREST AVENUE WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

Item 1—2,580 square yards of completed asphalt block

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

FOX STREET—OPENING, from Prospect avenue to Leggett avenue. Confirmed December 30, 1907; entered February 26, 1908. 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 a line parallel to the northwesterly side of Wales avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; running thence easterly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of the Southern boulevard; thence easterly and northeasterly along the last-mentioned parallel line and its continuation northeasterly parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of the Southern boulevard to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue; thence northwesterly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side of Fox street; thence southwesterly and westerly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side of Wales avenue; thence southerly along the last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVENTH STREET—OPENING, from Bainbridge avenue to Creston avenue. Confirmed December 30, 1907; entered February 26, 1908. 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 prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Creston avenue; running thence northerly along the last-mentioned parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Bainbridge avenue; thence southerly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street; thence westerly along the last-mentioned easterly prolongation and middle line of the block and its prolongation westwardly to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessments were entered on the date 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." * * *

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 26, 1908.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

NOTICES 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 avenues in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 14.

WILLIAMS AVENUE—OPENING, from Livonia avenue to Fresh Creek. Confirmed December 30, 1907; entered February 26, 1908. 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.:

On the north by the southerly side of Livonia avenue; on the east by a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Williams avenue and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom; on the

south by the bulkhead line of Fresh Creek basin, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet westerly of the westerly side of Williams avenue.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 21.

AVENUE T—OPENING, from Coney Island avenue to Ocean parkway. Confirmed December 13, 1907; entered February 26, 1908. 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 Ocean parkway where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Avenue T and Avenue S; running thence easterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Avenue T and Avenue S to the westerly side of Coney Island avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Coney Island avenue to the centre line of the block between Avenue T and Avenue U; running thence westerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Avenue T and Avenue U to the easterly side of Ocean parkway; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of Ocean parkway to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the day 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, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 Mechanics' Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 27, 1908, 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 such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 26, 1908.

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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 assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

FIRST WARD.

REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING THE ROADWAY OF COLLEGE AVENUE, from Jewett avenue to the second proposed street east; **W**ATERS AVENUE, from Livermore avenue to Jewett avenue, and **WILLARD AVENUE**, from Watchogue road to Indiana avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Waters avenue, from Jewett avenue to Livermore avenue; both sides of Willard avenue, from Watchogue road to Indiana avenue; both sides of College avenue, from Jewett avenue to the second proposed street east, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

— that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 25, 1908, and entered on February 25, 1908, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 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, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 25, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 25, 1908.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

NOTICES 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 assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenues in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND RECURBING, between Amsterdam avenue and Morningside Avenue West. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Morningside Avenue

West, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

— that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 25, 1908, and entered February 25, 1908, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 25, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 25, 1908.

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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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11.

COLLEGE AVENUE—OPENING, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Teller avenue. Confirmed January 25, 1908; entered February 21, 1908. 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 a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue with a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; running thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Grant avenue and Sherman avenue; thence northerly along said middle line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with the easterly line of Sheridan avenue; thence still northerly along the easterly line of Sheridan avenue and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant two hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of Belmont street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence still southerly along said last mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date 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 1016 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 entitled assessment was entered on the date 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 1016 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 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 April 21, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 25, 1908.

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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 BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

DITMAS AVENUE AND ELEVENTH AVENUE—CONSTRUCTING CATCH BASINS on the southeast corner. Area of assessment: South side of Eleventh avenue, from Potter avenue to Ditmas avenue, and east side of Potter avenue, between Sound street and Eleventh avenue,

— that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 25, 1908, and entered on February 25, 1908, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 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 April 21, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 21, 1908.

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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 Assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

PURDY STREET—OPENING, from Flushing avenue to Riker avenue. Confirmed April 30, 1907; entered February 21, 1908. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises

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 entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1016 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 21, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 21, 1908.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles and 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 April 20, 1908, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 20, 1908.

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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 April 18, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 18, 1908.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

NOTICES 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 Assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue and street in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

GRANT AVENUE—OPENING, from Atlantic avenue to Liberty avenue. Confirmed December 13, 1907; entered February 15, 1908. 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 on the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Grant avenue and Elderts lane; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Grant avenue and Elderts lane to the northerly side of Liberty avenue; running thence westerly and along the northerly side of Liberty avenue to the centre line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue to the southwesterly side of Atlantic avenue; running thence easterly and along the southerly side of Atlantic avenue to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 3 AND 17.

FORTY-FIRST STREET—OPENING, from New Utrecht avenue to the old city line. Confirmed December 30, 1907; entered February 15, 1908. 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 line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards where the centre line of the block between Forty-first and Fortieth streets intersects said line; running thence southerly and parallel with Forty-first street to the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Tenth avenue; running thence southwesterly along the northwesterly side of Tenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Forty-first street and Forty-second street; running thence northwesterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Forty-first street and Forty-second street to the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards; running thence northeasterly along the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the day 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, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 Mechanics' Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 20, 1908, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 20, 1908.

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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 BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

TRINITY AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from Westchester avenue to Dater street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Trinity avenue, from Westchester avenue to Dater street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

CRESTON AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Minerva place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Creston avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Minerva place, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, PLACING FENCES AND BUILDING APPROACHES, from Moshulu parkway to Jerome avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Two Hundred and Fifth street, from Moshulu parkway to Jerome avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on February 20, 1908, and entered February 20, 1908, in the record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between

the expense of examination, advertising, etc. The sale of the 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 further sum of \$100 on such parcel as above provided for, and also the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale. 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 the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held February 5, 1908.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,

Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 14, 1908.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 14, 1906.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case surely companies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, including Gas and Electricity—

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$200,000.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements—

Two companies on a bond up to \$50,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Regulating, Grading, Paving, Sewers, Water Mains, Dredging, Construction of Parks, Parkways, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

New Docks, Buildings, Bridges, Aqueducts, Tunnels, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

On bonds regarded as hazardous risks additional surety will be required as the Comptroller sees fit in each instance.

All bonds exceeding \$250,000 will by that fact alone be considered hazardous risks, no matter what the nature of the work.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."

Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."

Weekly—"Democracy," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1906. Amended March 1, 1906, November 20, 1906, and February 20, 1907.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

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

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED TO INSTALL A COMPLETE NEW PLUMBING SYSTEM IN THE MALE PRISON AND ADMINISTRATION BUILDING OF THE KINGS COUNTY JAIL, RAYMOND STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 250 consecutive working days.

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

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 Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

JOHN V. COGGEY,
Commissioner.

Dated February 25, 1908.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, held February 7, 1908, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, a communication was received from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting resolutions as to routes and general plan of rapid transit railways, as follows:

(a) Modification of Lexington avenue route;

(b) Modification of Gerard avenue route;

(c) Canal street route;

and requesting the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Whereupon the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the communication be received, and, in pursuance of law, this Board hereby appoints Friday, the 14th day of February, 1908, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the place, when and where such plans and conclusions will be considered; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to cause notice of such consideration to be published in the City Record.

At the meeting of February 14, 1908, the consideration was continued until the meeting of February 28, 1908, at the same time and place.

street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Overlook terrace, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Overlook terrace; thence northwardly along a line always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Overlook terrace as laid out north of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to the intersection with a line distant 450 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Overlook terrace as laid out east of and adjacent to Fort Washington avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Overlook terrace; thence westwardly and parallel with the said line of Overlook terrace as laid out east of Fort Washington avenue to the intersection with a line always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Fort Washington avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Fort Washington avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Fort Washington avenue to the intersection with a line distant 750 feet northerly from the northerly line of Overlook terrace as laid out immediately east of Fort Washington avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Overlook terrace; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Overlook terrace to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with Overlook terrace as laid out southerly from the angle point east of Fort Washington avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Overlook terrace; thence southwardly along a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Overlook terrace as laid out south of the angle point east of Fort Washington avenue, and along the prolongation of the said course to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the prolongations of the centre lines of Overlook terrace and Bennett avenue as laid out immediately northerly from West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence southwardly along the said line bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and the first street northerly therefrom as laid out between Broadway and Overlook terrace; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and the first street northerly therefrom to the centre line of Broadway; thence southwardly along the centre line of Broadway to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street as laid out between Wadsworth avenue and Broadway; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Broadway; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Broadway to the intersection with a line midway between West One Hundred and Eighty-third street and West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between West One Hundred and Eighty-third street and West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with the centre line of Broadway; thence southwardly along the centre line of Broadway to the intersection with a line parallel with West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street as laid out between Broadway and Overlook terrace, and passing through a point on the westerly line of Bennett avenue distant 330 feet southerly from the intersection of the westerly line of Bennett avenue with the prolongations of the centre lines of Bennett avenue and the unnamed street meeting West One Hundred and Eighty-first street westerly therefrom; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406.
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thence southwardly along the said centre line of Louisiana avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Vienna avenue and Stanley avenue, as laid out between East Ninety-eighth street and Stone avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Vienna avenue and Stanley avenue and the prolongation of the same to the easterly line of East Ninety-eighth street; thence westwardly at right angles to East Ninety-eighth street a distance of 180 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with East Ninety-eighth street to the intersection with a line at right angles to East Ninety-eighth street and passing through the point described as the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to East Ninety-eighth street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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thence with the centre line of Wakeman place; thence northwestwardly along the centre line of Wakeman place to a point distant 100 feet northwestwardly from the northwesterly line of First avenue; thence southwardly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from First avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-seventh street and Senator street; thence eastwardly and always midway between Sixty-seventh street and Senator street, to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Third avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Third avenue; thence northeastwardly and always parallel with Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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allel with East One Hundred and Forty-first street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Rider avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Rider avenue; thence southwestwardly and parallel with Rider avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between East One Hundred and Forty-first street and East One Hundred and Forty-first street, as the said streets are laid out between Park avenue and Canal place; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between East One Hundred and Forty-first street and East One Hundred and Forty-first street and the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 14, 1908, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Garrison avenue, from Leggett avenue to Longwood avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the line midway between Midwood street and Rutland road distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of New York avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Midwood street and Rutland road and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line which is midway between Utica avenue and East Fifty-first street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Utica avenue and East Fifty-first street to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the prolongation of the southerly line of East New York avenue and the northerly line of Rutland road as the said streets are laid out east of Remsen avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line which is midway between East Ninety-second street and East Ninety-third street; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between East Ninety-second and East Ninety-third streets, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line which is midway between Crown street and Montgomery street; thence westwardly and along the said line midway between Crown street and Montgomery street to the intersection with a line which is midway between Kingston avenue and Albany avenue; thence southwardly and along the said line midway between Kingston avenue and Albany avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Malbone street; thence westwardly and always parallel with the northerly line of Malbone street and distant 100 feet therefrom to the intersection with a line passing through the point of beginning and parallel with New York avenue as laid out south of Malbone street; thence southwardly in a straight line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 14, 1908, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Wakeman place, from First avenue to Third avenue, where not already acquired by the City for parkway purposes, and Sixty-seventh street, from First to Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of East Ninety-eighth street where it is intersected by a line midway between Hegeman avenue and Vienna avenue, as laid out between East Ninety-eighth street and Williams avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Hegeman avenue and Vienna avenue, as laid out between Williams avenue and Fountain avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Hegeman avenue and Vienna avenue and the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fountain avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Fountain avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Vienna avenue and Stanley avenue, as laid out between Fountain avenue and Louisiana avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Vienna avenue and Stanley avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Louisiana avenue;

thence with the centre line of Wakeman place; thence northwestwardly along the centre line of Wakeman place to a point distant 100 feet northwestwardly from the northwesterly line of First avenue; thence southwardly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from First avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-seventh street and Senator street; thence eastwardly and always midway between Sixty-seventh street and Senator street, to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Third avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Third avenue; thence northeastwardly and always parallel with Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 14, 1908, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Two Hundred and Fifth street (Adee avenue), from White Plains road to Boston Post road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between the Southern boulevard and Whitlock avenue, as laid out between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Longwood avenue, distant 100 feet southwesterly from its intersection with the southwesterly line of Leggett avenue, and running thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between the Southern boulevard and Whitlock avenue and the prolongations of the said line, to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lafayette avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Lafayette avenue to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the centre lines of Garrison avenue and Tiffany street; thence southwardly along the said line bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lafayette avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Lafayette avenue to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of East New York avenue and the northerly line of Rutland road as the said streets are laid out east of Remsen avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line which is midway between East Ninety-second street and East Ninety-third street; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between East Ninety-second and East Ninety-third streets, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line which is midway between Crown street and Montgomery street; thence westwardly and along the said line midway between Crown street and Montgomery street to the intersection with a line which is midway between Kingston avenue and Albany avenue; thence southwardly and along the said line midway between Kingston avenue and Albany avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Malbone street; thence westwardly and always parallel with the northerly line of Malbone street and distant 100 feet therefrom to the intersection with a line passing through the point of beginning and parallel with New York avenue as laid out south of Malbone street; thence southwardly in a straight line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406.
Telephone, 2280 Worth.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 14, 1908, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Bragaw street, from Skillman avenue to Borden avenue, in the First Ward in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning on the northwest by a line midway between Adee avenue and Burke avenue; on the east by a line parallel with and always distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Boston Post road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boston Post road; on the south by a line midway between Adee avenue and Arnow avenue, and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of White Plains road.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

JOSEPH HAAG,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 14, 1908, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Wilson avenue, from the Old Bowery Bay road to Tenth avenue, in the First Ward, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to

fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Bound on the northeast by a line which is the bisector of the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Wilson avenue and Flushing avenue; on the southeast by a line parallel with and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southwesterly line of the Old Bowery Bay road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the Old Bowery Bay road; on the southwest by a line midway between Wilson avenue and Vandeventer avenue and the prolongations of the said line, and on the northwest by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Tenth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Tenth avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

JOSEPH HAAG,

Secretary,

No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a tentative street plan and fix street grades for the proposed street system within a territory located in portions of the First, Second, Third and Fourth wards, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on March 13, 1908, 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 February 14, 1908, 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 tentative street plan and fixing grades for the proposed street system within a territory located in portions of the First, Second, Third and Fourth wards, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

A tentative street system is to be laid out within the territory bounded by Bowery Bay, Flushing Bay, Flushing River, Riverside avenue, Union turnpike, Forest Park, Myrtle avenue, Olmstead place, Central avenue, Proctor street, Cook street, Morton avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Van Dusen street, Satterlee avenue, Thew avenue, Penelope avenue, Florence avenue, Corinth street, Locust avenue, Brown place, Mueller street, Jay avenue, Carroll place, Garfield street, Columbia avenue, main line of the Long Island Railroad, Grout avenue, Sixth street, Polk avenue, New street, Woodside avenue, Newtown road, Nineteenth avenue, Grand avenue and Seventeenth avenue, and grades are to be established therefor. The lines and grades to be fixed are shown upon a map prepared by the President of the Borough of Queens, bearing date of June 1, 1907.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1908, 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 13th day of March, 1908.

Dated February 29, 1908.

JOSEPH HAAG,

Secretary,

No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406.

Telephone, 2280 Worth.

f29,m11

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That this Board hereby sets March 6, 1908, at 10:30 a. m., in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place for a public hearing on the petition of Herbert S. Worthley, President of the Flatbush Board of Trade, protesting against the construction of a freight yard by the Long Island Railroad Company at Avenue I and East Sixteenth and East Seventeenth streets, Borough of Brooklyn; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he hereby is directed to publish these resolutions in the City Record for ten (10) days prior to such date, and notify the Flatbush Board of Trade and the Long Island Railroad Company of the adoption of same.

JOSEPH HAAG,

Secretary.

Dated New York, February 7, 1908.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held this day in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the public hearing on the proposed form of contract consenting to certain modifications and alterations in the line of the route of the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company in the Borough of The Bronx, as laid down in the contract dated May 31, 1906, granting a franchise to said company, which, by resolution adopted July 8, 1907, was fixed for September 20, 1907, and on that date continued to November 1, 1907, and on that date continued to December 13, 1907, and on that date continued until January 10, 1908, when it was continued until January 24, 1908, was continued until February 21, 1908.

At the meeting of January 31, 1908, the hearing was continued until March 6, 1908, at the same time and place.

JOSEPH HAAG,

Secretary.

Dated New York, January 31, 1908.

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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, MARCH 4, 1908.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING IRON CASTINGS.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract is until December 31, 1908.

The amount of security shall be Eight Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Patterns are in possession of the Department, and bidders must examine same.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 28, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner of Water Supply,
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, February 19, 1908.

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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 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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, MARCH 4, 1908.
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR EXCAVATING AND REMOVING ROCK IN HYDRANT TRENCHES, ETC.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred and fifty working days.

The amount of security will be One Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 322, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner of Water Supply,
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, February 18, 1908.

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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 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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, MARCH 4, 1908.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CORPORATION COCKS.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract is until December 31, 1908.

The amount of security shall be Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 28, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner of Water Supply,
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, February 18, 1908.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the City of New York at the Bookkeeper's office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1908.

FOR SUPPLYING GENERAL STATIONERY, PRINTERS' AND SURGEONS' SUPPLIES FOR THE USE OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1908.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and the Police Department reserves the right to award the contract by the entire schedule or to award for each item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

Dated February 18, 1908.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

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.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

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. 200 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1908.

FOR REBUILDING THE INTERIOR OF THE QUEENS COUNTY COURT HOUSE AT LONG ISLAND CITY, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, EXCEPTING ALL THAT PROVIDED FOR IN THE PREVIOUS CONTRACT.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred and eighty (180) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

NO. 2, FOR BUILDING AN INTERIOR PUBLIC BATH IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot 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 a total.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, February 21, 1908.

JOSEPH BERMEL,

President of the Borough of Queens.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department until 3 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1908.

FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO LAWN MOWERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time for the completion of the contract will be on or before November 15, 1908.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1908.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TIMBER (NO. 1, 1908) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the completion of the contract will be before May 1, 1908.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, New York City.
 HENRY SMITH, President;
 JOSEPH I. BERRY,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
 Commissioners of Parks.
 Dated January 31, 1908.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1908.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, IRON AND TOOLS (NO. 1, 1908) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.
 The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, The Bronx.

HENRY SMITH, President;
 JOSEPH I. BERRY,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1908.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS AND OILS (NO. 1, 1908) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, The Bronx.

HENRY SMITH, President;
 JOSEPH I. BERRY,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1908.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING THREE RAIL PIPE FENCES AROUND THE GRASS PLOTS IN CITY HALL PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract will be forty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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, Arsenal, Central Park, New York City.

HENRY SMITH, President;
 JOSEPH I. BERRY,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated February 15, 1908.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF AN ADDITION TO THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, TO BE KNOWN AS THE LIBRARY WING (ADDITION G), LOCATED IN CENTRAL PARK, ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE.

The amount of security required is Thirty Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Plans may be seen and blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan, and also at the office of the architects, McKim, Mead & White, No. 160 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan.

HENRY SMITH, President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated February 15, 1908.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE FOR HIGH PRESSURE SYSTEM, SIX-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWENTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 11. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 12. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 13. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 14. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 15. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FOUR-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

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The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

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

HUGH BONNER,
 Fire Commissioner.

Dated February 17, 1908.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

NO. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY THOUSAND FEET OF 3-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE, FIVE-PLY.

The time for the delivery of the articles

No. 4. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Grand avenue to Flushing avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Hallett street, from Hoyt avenue to Flushing avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of North Henry street, from Newtown avenue to Flushing avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 24, 1908, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,
PAUL WEIMANN,
JAMES H. KENNEDY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
February 27, 1908.

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

Borough of Manhattan.

List 9426, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Thirty-ninth street, between the Hudson River and Eleventh avenue, and new outlet sewer under the pier at the foot of Thirty-ninth street.

Borough of The Bronx.

List 9449, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences in Kelly street, between Westchester avenue and Intervale avenue, north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

List 9450, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences in Depot Square South, from Webster avenue to Depot Square East; in Depot Square East, from Depot Square South to Depot Square North, and in Depot Square North, from Depot Square East to Webster avenue.

List 9452, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Ogden avenue to Woodycrest avenue.

List 9575, No. 5. Paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Beck street to the Southern boulevard.

Borough of Queens.

List 9423, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Vandeventer avenue, from Sixth avenue to Tenth avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 9570, No. 7. Sewer in Academy street, from Broadway to Jamaica avenue.

Borough of Richmond.

List 9443, No. 8. Regulating, grading and paving with macadam and brick pavement Maine avenue, from Jewett avenue to the second proposed street east; Ohio place, from College avenue to Maine avenue; New York avenue, from Jewett avenue to station 10 plus 36; Boulevard, from Jewett avenue to Clinton B. Fisk avenue; Dakota place, from Washington place to Waters avenue; Deems avenue, from Washington place to Boulevard; Neal Dow avenue, from Watchogue road to Indiana avenue; St. John avenue, from Watchogue road to Lathrop avenue; Wardwell place, from Washington place to Indiana avenue; Washington place, from Jewett avenue to Wardwell avenue, and Woodbridge place, from Willard avenue to Clinton B. Fisk avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Thirty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson River; west side of Tenth avenue and both sides of Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, between Thirty-eighth and Forty-first streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to Intervale avenue, north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Depot Square East, Depot Square North and Depot Square South, running from Webster avenue in a semi-circle back to Webster avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Ogden to Woodycrest avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Beck street to the Southern boulevard and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Vandeventer avenue, from Sixth to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Academy street, from Broadway to Jamaica avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Maine avenue and New York avenue, from Jewett avenue to the second proposed street east; both sides of Ohio place, from Maine to College avenue; both sides of Washington place, from Jewett avenue to Wardwell avenue; both sides of Dakota place, from Washington place to Waters avenue; both sides of Deems avenue, from Washington place to the Boulevard; both sides of Wardwell avenue, from Washington avenue to Indiana avenue; both sides of the Boulevard, from Jewett avenue to Clinton B. Fisk avenue; both sides of Woodbridge place, from Clinton B. Fisk to Willard avenue; both sides of St. John avenue, from Watchogue road to Lathrop avenue, and both sides of Neal Dow avenue, from Watchogue road to Indiana avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 24, 1908, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,
PAUL WEIMANN,
JAMES H. KENNEDY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
February 20, 1908.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 3:30 p. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR PUPILS' DESKS AND SEATS FOR VARIOUS HIGH SCHOOL ANNEXES IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

The proposal to be submitted must include the entire work and award will be made thereon.

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

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Supreme Court, First Judicial Department, made and entered on or about the 12th day of March, 1907, which railroad is further described in the contract for the construction thereof made by The City of New York, acting for the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, and the Degenon Contracting Company, dated May 9, 1907, the subway or subways for said railroad to be constructed substantially as shown in said contract and upon the maps or plans adopted by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York on the 17th day of December, 1907.

The premises, in which an estate in fee simple is to be acquired, in this proceeding, are briefly described as certain lots or parcels of land designated upon the said maps adopted by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York on the 17th day of December, 1907, as Lots Nos. 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in Block 198, which lots taken together form a parcel of land situated at the southeast corner of Centre and Walker streets, with a frontage on the easterly side of Centre street, extending about 127 feet, 11 inches southerly from the southerly side of Walker street, and with a frontage on the southerly side of Walker street extending about 141 feet 2 inches easterly from the easterly side of Centre street, said Lot No. 3 being also designated upon said maps as No. 142 Centre street; said Lot No. 4 being also designated upon said maps as No. 144 Centre street; said Lot No. 5 being also designated upon said maps as No. 146 Centre street and Nos. 111, 113 and 115 Walker street; said Lot No. 7 being also designated upon said maps as No. 117 Walker street; said Lot No. 8 being also designated upon said maps as No. 119 Walker street, and said Lot No. 9 being also designated upon said maps as No. 121 Walker street, all in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York.

The premises to be subject to such permanent and perpetual underground right, easement and right of way, and also to such temporary right or easement, are briefly described as a portion of certain lots or parcels of land designated upon the said maps adopted by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York on the 17th day of December, 1907, as Lots Nos. 10 and 11 in Block 198, also designated as Nos. 123 and 125 Walker street, which lots, taken together, form a parcel of land situated at the southwesterly corner of Baxter and Walker streets, with a frontage on the southerly side of Walker street, extending about 50 feet westerly from the westerly side of Baxter street, and with a frontage on the westerly side of Baxter street, extending about 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Walker street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York.

A fuller statement setting forth the location and boundaries of the several lots or parcels of land and rights, franchises, easements or privileges sought to be taken or affected, and a brief statement as to each of said lots or parcels of the title, interest, rights, easements, terms or privileges therein or appurtenant thereto, sought to be acquired by The City of New York, is annexed to each of three similar maps adopted by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York on the 17th day of December, 1907, which said maps were filed, one in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1907, and one in the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York, at No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1907, and one in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 26th day of December, 1907.

Dated New York, February 10, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx River to Hutchinson River; also the PUBLIC PLACE at the intersection of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and Morris Park avenue, and the PUBLIC PLACE at the eastern terminus of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and Hutchinson River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, as amended by an order entered herein discontinuing the above-entitled proceeding, so far as the same affects that part of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street lying between the westerly side of Baychester avenue and Hutchinson River.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 28, 1908.

T. ELLETT HODGSKIN,
JOHN W. WARD,
DANIEL CORCORAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of the strip of land on the east side of BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE, at or near Durando's lane, as laid out for use as a public park, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate for damage and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 2nd day of March, 1908, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of March, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate for damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, 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 28th day of March, 1908.

Third—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of May, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fourth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate for damage, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 24, 1908.

DANIEL P. HAY,

Chairman;
ALEXANDER SCHLESINGER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the SOUTHEASTERLY SIDE OF BROADWAY, between Elizabeth and Vreeland streets, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of Frederick S. Mullin, Edward Sidney Rawson and James G. Timotak, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 8th day of November, 1908, was filed in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York on the 28th day of February, 1908, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the same day.

Notice is further given that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in the Second Judicial District, at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, February 28, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CHURCH AVENUE, from Flatbush avenue to East Eleventh street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of March, 1908, 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 19th day of March, 1908, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits,

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III. thereof, to be held in

of 1908.

estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of March, 1908.

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 Flatbush avenue where the same is intersected by a line drawn parallel with Church avenue and distant two hundred feet northerly of the northerly side of Church avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with Church avenue to the easterly side of East Eleventh street or Stratford road; running thence southerly and along the easterly side of East Eleventh street or Stratford road to where a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of Church avenue and distant two hundred feet southerly therefrom would intersect the easterly side of said Stratford road; running thence easterly and parallel with Church avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly side of Flatbush avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final 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 Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of May, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth.—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD and in the corporation newspapers, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, February 28, 1908.

JOHN M. ZURN,
GEO. W. PALMER,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to NEW-ELL STREET, from Meserole avenue to Greenpoint avenue, in the Seventeenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 12th day of November, 1907, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 7th day of December, 1907, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 9, Blocks 2577, 2578, 2600, 2601, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises, and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the Acts or parts of Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 16th day of March, 1908, 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 proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, February 19, 1908.

OTTO G. FOELKER,
ELISHA T. EVERETT,
AARON SHERK,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending EAST TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Foster avenue to Flatbush 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 Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1908, 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 chap-

ter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, February 19, 1908.

H. DE SELDING,
J. HERBERT WATSON,
A. MCKINNEY,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BAY RIDGE PARKWAY, between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and extending from a few feet east of Ninth avenue for a distance of 434 feet to a point about midway between Eighth and Ninth avenues, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of March, 1908, 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 March, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of March, 1908.

Third.—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fourth.—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD and in the corporation newspapers, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, February 28, 1908.

J. EDW. SWANSTROM,
Chairman;
ROBERT STEWART,
ARCHIBALD J. QUAIL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Eighteenth avenue to Gravesend avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested, 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 9th day of March, 1908, 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 10th day of March, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstracts 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 the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of March, 1908.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Gravesend avenue and southerly line of Eighteenth avenue, and running thence southerly along said westerly line of Gravesend avenue to its intersection with the northerly line of Avenue I; thence westerly along said northerly line of Avenue I to its intersection with the easterly line of West street, and thence northerly along said easterly line of West street to its intersection with the northerly line of Forty-eighth street; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and northerly line of Forty-eighth street to its intersection with the southerly side of Nineteenth avenue; thence northerly to a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Nineteenth avenue with the centre line of the blocks between Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth streets; thence northerly along said centre line to its intersection with the southerly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly and easterly along said southerly line of Eighteenth avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final 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 Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth.—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD and in the corporation newspapers, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, February 18, 1908.

THEODORE B. GATES,
Chairman;
R. H. ABERCROMBIE,
ARTHUR R. SEWARD,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FIFTIETH STREET, from the old City line to New Utrecht avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of March, 1908, 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 10th day of March, 1908, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of March, 1908.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of New Utrecht avenue and a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the southerly line of Fiftieth street, and running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the old City line; thence northeasterly along said old City line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet northerly from the northerly line of Fiftieth street; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of New Utrecht avenue; thence southerly along said last mentioned line to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final 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 Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth.—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD and in the corporation newspapers, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, February 18, 1908.

A. I. NOVA,
Chairman;
GEO. E. GLENDENNING,
OTTO WETZEL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

HILL VIEW RESERVOIR.

Section No. 1.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the City of Yonkers, Westchester County, N. Y., for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the first separate report of George N. Rigby, Bernard F. Martin and James P. Agar, Commissioners of Appraisal herein, appointed on May 4, 1907, was filed in the office of the County Clerk of Westchester County on January 17, 1908.

Said report covers and includes the parcels of land designated on the map filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on February 18, 1907, as Map No. 1700, designated thereon by the numbers 16, 18, 24, 47, 48 and 49.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, in and for the Ninth Judicial District, to be held at the Court House at White Plains, N. Y., on the 7th day of March, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as to the Court shall seem just and proper.

Dated February 6, 1908.

FRANCIS KEY PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.
Hall of Records, Corner Chambers and Centre Streets, New York City.

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NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

CATSKILL AQUEDUCT.

Section No. 1.

YORKTOWN and CORTLAND, Westchester County.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles A. Shaw and Charles N. Chadwick, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Towns of Yorktown and Cortland, Westchester County, N. Y., for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the fourth separate report of Edward G. Whitaker, William C. Kellogg and Arthur W. Lawrence, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 19, 1907, was filed in the office of the County Clerk of Westchester County, February 6, 1908.

Said report includes parcels of land shown on the map in this proceeding, filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on October 17, 1906, as Map No. 1605, designated thereon as Parcels 7, 11, 16, 22, 29, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43 and 50.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House, in White Plains, N. Y., on the 7th day of March, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just and proper.

Dated February 6, 1908.

FRANCIS KEY PENDLETON,
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Office and Post-office Address, Hall of Records, Corner Chambers and Centre Streets, New York City.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office,