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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, 1
August 8, 1908.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, and in accordance with the provisions of section 37 of the Greater New York Charter, I, Patrick F. McGowan, Acting Mayor of The City of New York, do hereby call a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen to be held in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Wednesday, August 12, 1908, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of;

I. Receiving and acting upon the Mayor's veto of the application of the Arverne Carnival Association, passed by the Board of Aldermen on the 21st day of July, 1908.

II. Receiving and acting upon the application of the Arverne Carnival Association to parade through the streets of Arverne, Long Island, on August 28 and 29, 1908, and erect and maintain a temporary arch on Remington avenue, near Story place, from the 28th to the 31st of August, 1908.

III. Extending an official welcome to the United States athletes who recently participated in the Olympic games in London.

(Signed) P. F. McGOWAN, Acting Mayor.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT,

NO. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

CALENDAR OF HEARINGS.

The following hearings will be held during the remainder of the week beginning Monday, August 10, 1908:

Tuesday, August 11—2:30 P. M.—Room 305.—Order No. 658.—NASSAU ELECTRIC RAILROAD Co.—Sarah Emmons, complainant.—"Why company does not stop cars at north end of bridge crossing Coney Island Creek."—Commissioner McCarron.

2:30 P. M.—Room 305.—Order No. 670.—ADRIAN H. JOLINE and DOUGLAS ROBINSON, RECEIVERS OF METROPOLITAN STREET RY. CO., and CENTRAL PARK, NORTH AND EAST RIVER RY. CO.—"Establishment of through routes and joint rates."—Commissioner Eustis.

3 P. M.—Room 310.—Order No. 665.—BROOKLYN, QUEENS COUNTY AND SUBURBAN RAILROAD COMPANY.—"Rehearing after Final Order No. 99 regarding service between Cypress Hills and Jamaica."—Commissioner McCarron.

Wednesday, August 12—2:30 P. M.—Commissioner Bassett's Room.—Order No. 615.—General railroad investigation.—"Inquiry into alleged non-fulfillment of franchise of New York & Portchester Railroad Company."—Commissioner Eustis.

Thursday, August 13—10:30 A. M.—Room 305.—Order No. 655.—LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY.—"Application to lay and operate additional tracks on Atlantic Avenue between Flatbush and Shepard Avenues, Brooklyn."—Commissioner McCarron.

2 P. M.—Room 305.—Order No. 649.—CENTRAL PARK, NORTH & EAST RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.—Motion of Commission.—"Service on Bell Line and 9th Street."—Chairman Willcox.

2:30 P. M.—Commissioner Eustis's Room.—Order No. 626.—INTERMANHATTAN RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY.—"Additions to platforms and stairways at Christopher Street station, Ninth Avenue Elevated."—Commissioner Eustis.

2:30 P. M.—Room 310.—Order No. 660.—BROOKLYN UNION ELEVATED RAILROAD COMPANY.—"Rehearing on Paragraph 6, Order No. 165, directing repair of station on Fulton Street line at Lafayette Avenue."—Commissioner McCarron.

3 P. M.—Room 310.—Order No. 612.—BROOKLYN HEIGHTS RAILROAD COMPANY.—"Rehearing after Order No. 610 regarding service on Flatbush Avenue line."—Commissioner McCarron.

Friday, August 14—2:30 P. M.—Commissioner Eustis's Room.—Order No. 698.—CENTRAL PARK, NORTH AND EAST RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.—"Guard rails on horse cars."—Commissioner Eustis.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1907.

TRIBUNE BUILDING, 154 NASSAU STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

Present—Chairman William R. Willcox, Commissioners William McCarron, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie, John E. Eustis.

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The Secretary presented a communication from the Secretary of the Public Service Commission for the Second District, stating that it had been decided, at a joint meeting of the two Commissions in Albany on December 18, to hold a public hearing at the rooms of the Commission for the First District in the matter of the complaint of the City of Yonkers as to vestibules on street railroads in Westchester County. The communication was ordered filed.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Counsel to the Commission, which was ordered filed:

December 19, 1907.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Esq., Secretary, Public Service Commission for the First District:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith two duplicate originals of the agreement dated 12th December, 1907, between the City, by the Commission, and John B. McDonald and Interborough Rapid Transit Company, modifying the provisions of the contract of 21st February, 1900, in respect to the arbitration provisions.

I think it proper that one of these duplicates be sent, in accordance with the usual custom, to the Comptroller of the City for his files.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) ABEL E. BLACKMAR,
Counsel to the Commission.

1907

Commissioner Eustis presented the following report in regard to the inspection work in connection with subway construction, which was ordered filed:

In the matter of the application of Hildreth & Company, of August 22nd, to do the inspection work of this department in connection with subway construction, and which was referred to me for investigation, I beg to report:

That, after receiving the communication of Hildreth & Company in August last, I had two or three interviews with one of their men, but he was not able to make any definite estimate or statement as to what they would do, so the matter was deferred until Mr. Hildreth himself returned to the city.

During this time I obtained from George S. Rice, the chief engineer of this Commission at that time, a written report in which he strongly recommended continuing the present system of doing our inspection, and asserted that inspection could not be done by an outside concern for any less cost to the city than the present method afforded.

Early in this month, after an interview with Mr. Hildreth personally, I received a long statement as to his ability to make this inspection and as to the cost, which was based as to iron inspection at fifty cents per ton for each inspection, and a sliding scale for inspection of cement, varying according to the quantities inspected during the year.

Your Committee had also had a talk with Henry B. Seaman, our present chief engineer, and has asked for his opinion, and the result of such interview with Mr. Seaman and his report, which in substance is that he thinks we can do our own as thoroughly if not better than an outsider and at less cost.

I beg, therefore, to report that, in my opinion, we should continue the inspection of the material for a time at least with our own inspectors as heretofore. I submit herewith the various communications and papers referring to this subject.

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The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 20, 1907, from Alfred A. Gardner, General Solicitor, requesting an extension of time until December 30, 1907, for the preparation of answers to Order No. 136 of the Commission, which had been served on various companies of which he was the legal representative. On motion, duly seconded, it was therefore ordered:

Resolved, That the request of Alfred A. Gardner, General Solicitor, for an extension of time until December 30, 1907, to prepare answers to Order No. 136 for various companies on which it had been served, and which he was representing, be granted.

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, McCarron, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.
Nays—None.
Carried.

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HUDSON AND MANHATTAN RAILROAD COMPANY—EXTENSION OF TIME.

Commissioner Bassett, to whom the matter of the extension of time to the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company had been referred by the Committee of the Whole, presented the following matter and papers:

HUDSON AND MANHATTAN RAILROAD COMPANY,

111 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK, December 17, 1907.

Public Service Commission, 1st District, 154 Nassau Street, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—This Company is the successor, by consolidation, to all the rights of the New York and Jersey Railroad Company.

The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners granted to said Company on the 10th day of July, 1902, the right to construct tunnels from the centre of the Hudson River to the corner of Christopher and Greenwich Streets. This line is indicated in red on the map hereto attached.

On the 4th day of October, 1906, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, by resolution, extended to January 7, 1908, the time within which the said line of the New York and Jersey Railroad should be completed and operated. This company is, therefore, under obligation to operate said line from the centre of the Hudson River to Christopher and Greenwich Streets on or before the 7th of January, 1908.

The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, on the 2nd of February, 1905, granted to the New York and Jersey Railroad Company the right to extend this line from the intersection of Greenwich and Christopher Streets to Sixth Avenue and 33rd Street, and from Sixth Avenue and 9th Street to Fourth Avenue and 9th Street. The time for the completion of this line expires on the 15th of June, 1910.

The green lines on the map, extending from Hoboken, N. J., to the centre of the Hudson River, indicate that portion of the tunnel lines in New Jersey now completed. The green line on the map, extending from Christopher and Greenwich Streets to 14th Street and Sixth Avenue, indicates that portion of the so-called Sixth Avenue extension which is now practically completed.

We are prepared to operate, as required by the franchise of the New York and Jersey Railroad Company, on or before the 7th day of January, 1908, that portion of

the line extending from the centre of the Hudson River to Christopher and Greenwich Streets, but we do not believe that such operation would be of advantage to the public. If the time for such operation be extended to the 7th day of March, 1908, we shall be prepared to operate a through line from Hoboken to 14th Street and Sixth Avenue. We believe that the interests of the public will be better conserved by an extension of the time for sixty days, enabling us to begin operation between Hoboken and 14th Street, rather than to begin to operate from the centre of the River to Greenwich and Christopher Streets on or before the 7th of January, 1908.

In this connection, we beg to assure you that at all times the work has been prosecuted in good faith and with all possible diligence. The completion has been delayed by unexpected obstacles and natural causes beyond our control. We feel that the interests of all concerned will be conserved by this short extension of time for operation. We therefore respectfully request your honorable body to extend the time for the completion and operation of such line from the 7th of January, 1908 to the 7th of March, 1908.

Very respectfully,
HUDSON AND MANHATTAN RAILROAD COMPANY,
By W. G. McAdoo, President.

23d December, 1907.

The Honorable EDWARD M. BASSETT, Commissioner, Public Service Commission for the First District:

DEAR SIR—In response to your inquiry,—so far as this department is concerned, there appears to be no reason why the time for opening the McAdoo Tunnel should not be extended from January 7, 1908 to March 7, 1908, as proposed.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) HENRY B. SEAMAN, Chief Engineer.

December 20th, 1907.

Public Service Commission for the First District:

DEAR SIRS—I have examined the application of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company of the 17th inst., for an extension of time to complete the construction and begin the operation of its railroad, extending from the centre line of the Hudson River to Christopher and Greenwich Streets, under the certificate granted by the Rapid Transit Board to the New York and Jersey Railroad Company on 10th July, 1902, and see no objection of a legal nature to such extension being granted.

In response to the Secretary's request, I therefore transmit herewith a form of resolution extending the time of the company to commence operation from January 7th, 1908, to March 7th, 1908, which, if the Commission so desires, may be adopted.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) ABEL E. BLACKMAR,
Counsel to the Commission.

The resolution mentioned in the Counsel's letter was as follows:

Whereas, Under the certificate heretofore and on or about the 10th day of July, 1902, granted to the New York and Jersey Railroad Company by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the City of New York, and an extension of time granted by said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners on or about the 4th day of October, 1906, the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company is required to complete the construction of its railroad authorized by such certificate and will begin the operation thereof on or before the 7th day of January, 1908, said railroad extending from the centre line of the Hudson River between the States of New York and New Jersey to the bulkhead nearly opposite Morton Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, and thence across West Street, and thence from Morton Street to Greenwich Street, and thence northwardly under Greenwich Street to Christopher Street, all in the said Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, A further certificate bearing date the 2nd day of February, 1905, and permitting an extension of the line of the said railroad company under certain streets in the Borough of Manhattan to a terminus at or near the intersection of 6th Avenue and West 33rd Street, in the said Borough of Manhattan, was executed and delivered by the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners; and

Whereas, The Hudson and Manhattan Railroad, as the successor to the New York and Jersey Railroad Company, has advised the Commission that it is prepared to operate the portion of its line extending from the centre line of the Hudson River to Christopher and Greenwich Streets on or before the time fixed for beginning such operation, to wit, the 7th day of January, 1908, and that it will be prepared to operate the portion of the extension of its line to 6th Avenue and West 14th Street on or before the 7th day of March, 1908, and requested the Commission to grant a further extension of time within which to begin the operation of the first named portion of its line until the 7th day of March, 1908, in order that when such operation is begun trains can be operated from West 14th Street and 6th Avenue instead of Greenwich and Christopher Streets; and

Whereas, The Commission deems it reasonable and proper that such extension be granted;

It is therefore

Resolved, That the time for the beginning of the operation of the portion of the route of the railroad company extending from the centre of the Hudson River to the corner of Christopher and Greenwich Streets, Borough of Manhattan, be and the same hereby is extended to and including the 7th day of March, 1908.

It was thereupon moved and duly seconded that the foregoing resolution be adopted by the Commission.

Ayes—Commissioners Wilcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

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reasons for making these suggestions. The matter was referred to Commissioner Eustis.

On motion, duly seconded, it was

Resolved, That the Counsel be requested to prepare an opinion on the legal feasibility of operating an express service on local tracks in the subway during rush hours.

Ayes—Commissioners Wilcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

On motion, duly seconded, it was

Resolved, That the transfer be approved of Joseph F. Hawkes, Jr., from the position of Axeman in the office of this Commission to the office of the Topographical Bureau, Brooklyn.

Ayes—Commissioners Wilcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT,
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1907.
TRIBUNE BUILDING, 154 NASSAU STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

Present—Commissioner William McCarroll, Acting Chairman; Commissioners Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie, John E. Eustis.

2640
The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 17, 1907, from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, transmitting the following resolution:

Resolved, That, under the provisions of Civil Service Rule VIII, subdivision 5, the rule requiring competition be and hereby is suspended in the case of Delos F. Wilcox for appointment as franchise expert in the department of the Public Service Commission for the First District, it appearing that peculiar and exceptional qualifications of a professional and educational character are required for said position and that Mr. Wilcox is a person of high and recognized attainments and possesses such qualifications.

On motion, duly seconded, it was thereupon

Resolved, That the following appointment be approved:

Name.	Position.	Salary.	To Take Effect.
Delos F. Wilcox.....	Chief of the Bureau of Franchises	\$1600.00 per annum	December 9, 1907

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.
Nays—None.
Carried.

2532
The Secretary presented a communication from William M. Lawrence, Assistant Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting the following resolution adopted December 20, 1907, which was ordered filed:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of chapter 4 of the laws of 1891, as amended, and section 14 of chapter 429 of the laws of 1907, the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000.00) be and is hereby provided for the purpose of covering the requirements of the Public Service Commission for the First District, for the year 1908, contained in the requisition of said Commission for an appropriation of \$1,005,000.00, duly made by the Chairman and Secretary thereof, on December 3rd, 1907, and that the unexpended balance of any previous appropriation made by this Board upon the requisition of said Commission, or by the former Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, be applied to the same purpose; and

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing for the payment of so much thereof as is in excess of said unexpended balance the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell special revenue bonds of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand (\$200,000) dollars, redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

[For requisition referred to, see Proceedings of 1907, p. 770.]

1092
The Secretary presented a communication from William M. Lawrence, Assistant Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting the following resolution, adopted December 6th, 1907, which was ordered filed:

Whereas, at a meeting of this Board, held on the 8th day of November, 1907, resolutions were adopted proposing to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the grade of Centre Street from Chambers Street to Canal Street, and to change the grade of New Reade Street, Duane Street, Park Street, Pearl Street, Leonard Street and White Street at their intersection with Centre Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and appointing a hearing at a meeting of this Board to be held on the 6th day of December, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at which meeting such proposed action would be considered by this Board, and requesting a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed action would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 6th day of December, 1907.

And Whereas, it appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 6th day of December, 1907.

And Whereas, at the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons interested in such proposed change who appeared, and such proposed change was duly considered by this Board, now, therefore, he it

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 to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Centre Street from Chambers Street to Canal Street, and by changing the grade of New Reade Street, Duane Street, Park Street, Pearl Street, Leonard Street and White Street at their intersection with Centre Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor the same so as to make the aforesaid changes as follows:

Centre Street.

1. The elevation at the intersection of the centre line with the easterly prolongation of the southerly curb line of Reade Street, as laid out west of Centre Street, to be 26.00 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. The elevation at the intersection of the centre line with the southerly prolongation of the centre line of Park Street to be 25.00 feet.

3. The elevation at the intersection of the centre line with the westerly prolongation of the centre line of Duane Street, as laid out immediately east of Centre Street, to be 24.00 feet.

4. The elevation on the centre line 120 feet southerly from the intersection of the said centre line with the centre line of Pearl Street to be 22.00 feet.

5. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Centre Street with Pearl Street to be 17.50 feet.

6. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Centre Street with Worth Street to be 15.30 feet on the south, 15.20 feet on the west, 15.10 feet on the north, 15.10 feet on the east and 15.20 feet at the centre.

7. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Centre Street with Leonard Street to be 13.00 feet on the south, 13.75 feet on the west, 13.60 feet on the north, 13.80 feet on the east and 13.75 feet at the centre.

8. The elevation on the centre line 123 feet southerly from the intersection of the said centre line with the centre line of Franklin Street to be 14.30 feet.

O-144
The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 19, 1907, from the Brooklyn Union Elevated Railroad Company, answering Order No. 144, in the matter of the complaint of Robert E. Anthony, with regard to the condition of ties on the Brooklyn Bridge, near the Manhattan Terminal, stating that arrangements were being made for extensive improvements to the tracks on the Bridge, and that in the meantime they had arranged to keep the present tracks in safe condition. The matter was referred to Commissioner Bassett.

O-139
The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 19, 1907, from the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company, answering Order No. 139, in the matter of the complaint of J. F. Curtis, with regard to the poor condition of the track in the vicinity of the complainant's house, and asking that the complaint be dismissed, in view of the fact that while part of the allegations were reasonable and well-founded, the Company would correct the trouble as soon as possible, and of the fact that the remainder of the allegations were untrue. The matter was referred to Commissioner Bassett.

O-142
The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 20, 1907, from the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company, answering Order No. 142, in the matter of the complaint of Robert E. Anthony against certain frogs, switches and curves, and asking that the complaint be dismissed, inasmuch as the said appurtenances were the property of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company. The matter was referred to Commissioner Bassett.

O-143
The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 20, 1907, from the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company, answering Order No. 143, in the matter of the complaint of Robert E. Anthony against certain frogs, switches and curves, and asking that the complaint be dismissed, inasmuch as the said appurtenances were the property of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company. The matter was referred to Commissioner Bassett.

O-145
The Secretary presented a communication from Henry Wynans Jessup, of No. 31 Nassau Street, New York City, suggesting two routes for subway extension, one of these being from Times Square south along Seventh Avenue, Hudson Street and other streets to South Ferry, and the other being from Fourth Avenue and Grand Street northerly to Lexington Avenue, and up Lexington Avenue to the present northerly terminus of the Lenox Avenue branch; proposing that Grand Street be made an express stop on both lines, with shuttle service on that street; and giving his

9. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Centre Street with Franklin Street to be 13.75 feet on the south, centre and north, and 13.70 feet on the west and east.

10. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Centre Street with White Street to be 11.90 feet on the south and west, 11.65 feet at the north and east, and 11.80 feet at the centre.

11. The elevation on the centre line 128.00 feet northerly from the intersection of the said centre line with the centre line of White Street to be 12.25 feet.

12. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Centre Street with Walker Street to be 11.10 feet on the south, 11.20 feet on the west, 11.50 feet on the north, and 11.30 feet on the east and at the centre.

13. The elevation at the intersection of the prolongation of the southerly curb line of Canal Street with the centre line of Centre Street to be 12.70 feet, to coincide with the surface of the street as at present paved.

Park Street.

1. The elevation on the southerly prolongation of the centre line of a point distant 73.00 feet southerly from the intersection of the said centre line with the centre line of Centre Street to be 24.75 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. The elevation at the intersection of the said prolongation of the centre line with the centre line of Centre Street to be 25.00 feet, as hereinbefore described.

3. The elevation on the centre line 233 feet southerly from the intersection of the said centre line with the centre line of Pearl Street to be 23.95 feet.

4. The elevation on the centre line 66 feet northerly from the point last described to be 23.00 feet.

5. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Park Street with Pearl Street to be 15.50 feet.

6. The elevation on the centre line 123.00 feet northerly from its intersection with the centre line of Pearl Street to be 12.40 feet, to coincide with the surface of the street as at present paved.

Pearl Street.

1. The elevation at the intersection of the centre line with the prolongation of the easterly house line of Lafayette Street to be 17.50 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. The elevation at the intersection of the centre line with the prolongation of the easterly house line of Centre Street to be 17.50 feet.

3. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Pearl Street with Park Street to be 15.50 feet.

4. The elevation on the centre line 140 feet easterly from the intersection of the centre line of Park Street with the said centre line of Pearl Street to be 11.85 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

Duane Street.

1. Beginning at the intersection of the centre line with the centre line of City Hall Place the elevation to be 26.50 feet to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. Thence westwardly 73 feet along the centre line, the elevation to be 26.15 feet.

3. Thence westwardly 85 feet and still along the centre line, the elevation to be 25.80 feet.

4. Thence westwardly to the intersection of the prolongation of the centre line as laid out immediately easterly from Centre Street with the centre line of Centre Street, the elevation to be 24.60 feet.

5. Thence westwardly to the intersection of the easterly prolongation of the centre line as laid out immediately westerly from Lafayette Street with the centre line of Lafayette Street, the elevation to be 22.25 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

New Reade Street.

1. Beginning at the intersection of the centre line with the prolongation of the centre line of City Hall Place, as laid out immediately northerly from Duane Street, the elevation to be 28.25 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. Thence westwardly 72 feet along the centre line, the elevation to be 28.90 feet.

3. Thence westwardly to the intersection of the centre line with the southerly prolongation of the easterly curb line of Centre Street, the elevation to be 26.20 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

Leonard Street.

1. The elevation on the centre line 85 feet westerly from the intersection of the said centre line with the centre line of Centre Street to be 13.00 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of Leonard Street and Centre Street to be as hereinbefore described.

3. The elevation on the centre line 80 feet easterly from the centre line of Centre Street to be 14.25 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

White Street.

1. The elevation on the centre line 88 feet easterly from the intersection of the centre line with the centre line of Centre Street to be 12 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

2. The elevation of the platform at the intersection of White Street with Centre Street to be as hereinbefore described.

3. The elevation on the centre line 38 feet westerly from the centre line of Centre Street to be 11.80 feet, to coincide with the present surface of the street as paved.

All elevations referred to mean high water as established for the Borough of Manhattan.

[For requisition for above changes of grade, see Proceedings of 1907, p. 211 *et seq.*]

The Secretary presented notices of deposit from the Department of Finance, which were ordered filed, and which stated

(1) That on December 14, 1907, the sum of Five thousand, five hundred and fifty (\$5,550) Dollars was deposited to the credit of Rapid Transit Fund No. 2; authorized January 25, 1907, pursuant to Section 10, Chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and Section 7, Chapter 752, Laws of 1894, as amended;

(2) That on December 16, 1907, the sum of Three thousand Dollars (\$3,000) was deposited to the credit of Rapid Transit Fund No. 2 (For Public Service Commission) authorized January 25, 1907, pursuant to Section 10, Chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and Section 7, Chapter 752, Laws of 1894, as amended.

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STREET OPENINGS—PERMITS.

The Secretary presented a communication from Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx, referring to permits issued by Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer of the Commission, to John B. McDonald, contractor, to open streets in the Borough of The Bronx, in order to make sewer connections, and for the purpose of locating a leak in the subway; enclosing copies of correspondence with the Chief Engineer; stating that the Charter provisions relative to the duty of the Borough President gave him cognizance and control in relation to the issuance of permits to use or open streets and avenues; and insisting that such permits be obtained from himself.

On motion, duly seconded, the Secretary was directed to write to Borough President Haffen to the same effect as the Chief Engineer had written in response to a similar request made to him by Mr. Haffen.

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The Secretary presented a communication from the Counsel to the Commission in the matter of the claim made by the Raymond Concrete Pile Company that the method used in constructing piles under the Battery tunnel was an infringement of their patent. The Counsel stated in his letter that the work on these piles had been done by the contractor on his own initiative at his own expense and without the approval of the City, and that the City could hardly therefore be held responsible for any such infringement. The Counsel further suggested that it would be advisable to send a copy of the letter of the claimant's attorneys in the matter to the contractor, the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, and on motion, duly seconded, the Secretary was directed to send the following letter:

December 1907.
Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, Park Row Building, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I enclose herewith copy of a letter dated December 17th from Factor, Hibben & Davis, on behalf of their client, the Raymond Concrete Pile Company, which was referred to the Counsel of this Commission, who rendered an opinion to the Commission, which as a result instructed its Secretary to inform them of the conclusion of the Counsel to the Commission. A copy of this letter is also enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

The Secretary presented a communication from the General Inspector of Stations giving notice of the death of Charles H. Van Duyne (veteran) recently appointed as Transit Inspector. The communication was ordered filed.

On motion, duly seconded, it was

Resolved, That the following temporary appointments for a period not to exceed one month, in accordance with Section 14 of the Civil Service Law, be approved:

Name.	Position.	Salary.	To Take Effect.
Mary C. Maguire....	Stenographer (4th & 5th Gr.)....	\$75.00 per month	December 26, 1907
Margaret M. Smith....	Stenographer (4th & 5th Gr.)....	\$75.00 per month	December 24, 1907
May A. Halbert....	Stenographer (1st & 2nd Gr.)....	\$50.00 per month	December 25, 1907
Rose Reich.....	Stenographer (1st & 2nd Gr.)....	\$50.00 per month	December 30, 1907

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

On motion, duly seconded, it was

Resolved, That the following appointment be approved:

Name.	Position.	Salary.	To Take Effect.
William Neff, Jr....	Junior Assistant Counsel....	\$1,000.00 per annum	December 28, 1907

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The Secretary presented the following requisition of the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, together with the certificate of the Chief Engineer, approving the same, as approved by the Committee on Audit:

RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY,
OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTOR 13-21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 16th, 1907.

Requisition No. 10—Van Cortlandt Park Extension—For work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21st, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, to 30th day of November, 1907, as follows:

Total to date.....	\$724,333.50
Less previous requisitions.....	709,823.50
Balance due.....	\$14,510.00

(Signed) JOHN B. McDONALD, Contractor.
(By) AUGUST BELMONT CO., Attys.

Certificate No. 10—Van Cortlandt Park Extension—I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, for which requisition No. 10, V. C. Pk., of date December 16th, 1907, is made by John B. McDonald, the Contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of \$14,510.00 Fourteen thousand, five hundred ten and 00/100 Dollars; that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) HENRY B. SEAMAN,
Chief Engineer of the Public Service Commission for the First District.

The following resolution was thereupon moved and duly seconded:

Whereas, the Contractor, John B. McDonald, has made requisition on this Commission, numbered No. 10, and dated December 16, 1907, for work done and materials furnished under contract dated February 21, 1900, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, in the 30th day of November, 1907, amounting to Fourteen thousand, five hundred and ten (\$14,510) Dollars, and

Whereas, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer, has certified that the work done and the materials furnished have been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract, that the value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has been previously made for such work and materials,

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

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The Secretary presented the following requisition of the Bradley Contracting Company, together with the certificate of the Chief Engineer, approving the same, as approved by the Committee on Audit:

BRADLEY CONTRACTING COMPANY.

OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTOR, SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET AND NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, Dec. 3rd, 1907.

Requisition No. 4—For work done and materials furnished under contract dated June 27th, 1907, for the construction of section No. 9-0-4 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, to 30th day of November,

	For Month.	Total.
Total to date relative to the contract value of the whole work.....	\$26,923.00	\$26,923.75
Amount previously estimated.....	.....	1,630.75
Amount of present estimate.....	26,923.00	26,923.00
Deduct 10%.....	2,692.30	2,692.30
Requisition for amount due for work done and materials furnished during the month.....	\$24,230.70	\$24,230.70

BRADLEY CONTRACTING COMPANY.
By (Signed) FRANK BRADLEY, Pres., Contractor.

Certificate No. 4—I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated June 27th, 1907, for the construction of Section No. 9-0-4 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, for

which requisition No. 4, of date Dec. 3rd, 1907, is made by the Bradley Contracting Company, the Contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of Twenty-four thousand, two hundred and thirty dollars and seventy cents; that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) HENRY B. SEAMAN,
Chief Engineer of the Public Service Commission for the First District.

The following resolution was thereupon moved and duly seconded:

Whereas, The Contractor, The Bradley Contracting Company, has made requisition on this Commission, numbered No. 4, and dated June 27th, 1907, for the construction of Section No. 9-0-4 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, to the 30th day of November, 1907, amounting to Twenty-four thousand, two hundred and thirty and 70/100 (\$24,230.70) Dollars, and

Whereas, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer, has certified that the work done and the materials furnished have been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract, that the value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has been previously made for such work and materials;

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

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

FINAL ORDER (No. 168).
Thereupon, on motion made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 168) was adopted, dismissing complaint of Robert E. Anthony against the Brooklyn Union Elevated Railroad Company, in the matter of service on Brooklyn Bridge.

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COMPLAINT ORDER (No. 169).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Complaint Order (No. 169) was adopted for satisfaction or answer within ten days by the Union Railway Company, in the matter of complaint of the Claremont Heights Property Owners' Association regarding extension of the Morris Avenue Line.

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HEARING ORDER (No. 170).

On motion by Commissioner Eustis, duly seconded, a Hearing Order (No. 170) was adopted, directing a hearing on January 7th, 1908, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., in the matter of complaint of George A. Denholm and George W. M. Clark, service on Jerome Avenue beyond Woodlawn.

The Chairman designated Commissioner Eustis to conduct the hearing.

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NEW YORK CITY RAILWAY CO.—SERVICE ON EIGHTH AVENUE LINE.

The Secretary presented the following report and order of Commissioner Maltbie, relative to the improvement of service on the "Eighth Avenue Line":

Upon November 27th the Commission adopted an order directing that an inquiry be held upon December 11th, to determine the adequacy of the service and equipment of the New York City Railway Company upon the line currently called the "Eighth Avenue Line." The Company being in the hands of a receiver, a notice of the hearing was served upon Mr. Adrian H. Joline and Mr. Douglas Robinson, receivers for the Company, appointed by Judge LaCombe of the United States Circuit Court, as well as upon the Secretary of the New York City Railway Company. The receipt of this notice was duly acknowledged by the receivers and by the Secretary of the Company.

Upon December 11th the hearing was held and evidence taken, but no one representing the Company, or the receivers, appeared or offered to present any evidence to show that it would not be just, reasonable, proper and adequate to direct that the service of said New York City Railway Company, and the receivers of said Company aforesaid, be increased and supplemented at the points and times and in the particulars prescribed in the order for the hearing.

The "Eighth Avenue Line" has two northern terminals—one at Eighth Avenue and 159th Street, the other at McComb's Lane and 154th Street. From these two terminals the line runs south along McComb's Lane, Eighth Avenue and Central Park West to about 12th Street; thence down Hudson Street to Canal Street; through Canal Street to West Broadway; down West Broadway, Greenwich, Fulton, Church, Trinity Place, Battery Place and State Street to South Ferry. The cars going north run through Whitehall Street and Battery Place to Greenwich Street, and from thence follow the route just given, except that they go through Barclay Street from West Broadway to Church Street, instead of through Fulton Street. There is also a short branch of line extending from Greenwich Street, through Dey Street, Washington Street and Cortlandt Street to the Cortlandt Street Ferry, returning through Cortlandt Street to Greenwich Street. Ordinarily, all of the cars used upon this line pass over the section between 13th and 14th Streets, but occasionally a few are switched back at 11th Street and 50th Street.

No cars from other lines run over the tracks used by the Eighth Avenue cars north of Canal Street. The section on Canal Street is used by certain crosstown cars. The portion between Canal Street and Battery Place is used by the Sixth and Amsterdam Avenue cars, and a short section at the Battery is used as well by certain cars going down Broadway.

The only section of this line which is congested by vehicular and street car traffic is that on West Broadway, between Canal Street and Cortlandt Street; but as the present service is adequate upon this section of the route, and as it is not proposed to recommend that more cars be run below 13th Street, the fact of congestion upon West Broadway does not interfere with the proposed increase of service above 13th Street. In other words, there is no congestion of traffic upon any portion of the line which will interfere with the execution of the order recommended in this report (See pages 15-17 of Evidence).

The evidence taken at the hearing was given by Mr. M. H. Ryan of the Engineering staff of the Commission, who had made a careful and thorough investigation of the service and equipment of the line. The observations taken covered ten days in November and December, and were made by Mr. Ryan and seventeen assistants, all employees of the Commission. The Counsel also presented as a part of the evidence certain information prepared by Mr. Oren Root, General Manager under the receivers, at my request.

Summarizing the evidence presented, the following facts clearly appear (See especially Exhibits 2-5):

(1) The service upon the portion of the line south of 13th Street is adequate.

(2) During the hours between midnight and six in the morning, the operating schedule of the Company calls for a 20-minute headway most of the time. Although this schedule has been sufficient to give every passenger a seat, in my opinion such a service is not adequate for the district above 13th Street. Persons ought not to be required to wait 20 minutes upon a street corner, especially during the winter, for a car to take them home. If there were stations or some sort of structures to protect persons from the inclemency of the weather, it might be advisable to require more cars to be run, but in view of the present circumstances, I have recommended that at least six cars an hour be run, reducing the headway from 20 to 10 minutes, above 13th Street. Below 13th Street the district is almost wholly a business district and the traffic is so very light during the night that it does not seem reasonable to require an increased service even though the present schedule calls for a 20-minute headway.

(3) Upon Sundays the service north of 13th Street is more or less inadequate from 10 A. M. to 11 P. M., and there seems to be no reason, except in occasional instances which cannot be foreseen, why a sufficient number of cars should not be run to provide seats for all passengers.

(4) The south-bound service upon week days is inadequate during the morning rush hours and in the early part of the evening, when persons are going to the theatres or making social calls. The order recommended for adoption calls for certain reasonable increases in the number of cars run between 7 and 10 A. M. and between 6:30 and 8:30 P. M.

(5) The north-bound service is inadequate between 4:30 and 6:30 P. M.—the evening rush hours—and between 10:30 and 11:30 P. M., when persons are returning from the theatres. The increased service required in the order is not large in either of these cases, but will be sufficient to reduce the number of passengers standing to an inconsiderable amount.

The order submitted herewith for adoption differs somewhat from the order upon which the hearing was held, but in each case the increases in service called for in the order submitted herewith, are less than those in the order for the hearing. It would be unwise to require unnecessary increases in the service and in my opinion the increases now recommended will be sufficient, provided the Company carefully distributes the additional number of cars required so as to provide the additional facilities at the times when most needed. However, if the increases recommended shall prove not to be sufficient, another order may be issued at any time.

FINAL ORDER (No. 171).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 171) was adopted, directing that the service of the New York City Railway Company and of Douglas Robinson and of Adrian H. Joline, Receivers of the New York City Railway Company, on its Eighth Avenue line, be supplemented and changed as follows:

(1) By running south from 149th Street daily except Sundays cars as follows: Between 7 A. M. and 10 A. M. not less than one hundred and ten (110) cars to run at least as far south as 13th Street.

Between 6:30 P. M. and 8:30 P. M. not less than seventy (70) cars, to run at least as far south as 13th Street.

(2) By running north from 13th Street, daily except on Sunday, cars as follows: Between 4:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. not less than one hundred and thirty (130) cars, to run at least as far north as 149th Street.

Between 10 P. M. and 11:30 P. M. not less than fifty (50) cars, to run at least as far north as 149th Street.

(3) By running on Sundays, south from 149th Street, cars as follows: Between 10 A. M. and 11:30 P. M. not less than six hundred (600) cars to run at least as far south as 13th Street.

which requisition No. 4, of date Dec. 3rd, 1907, is made by the Bradley Contracting Company, the Contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of Twenty-four thousand, two hundred and thirty dollars and seventy cents; that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) HENRY B. SEAMAN,
Chief Engineer of the Public Service Commission for the First District.

The following resolution was thereupon moved and duly seconded:

Whereas, The Contractor, The Bradley Contracting Company, has made requisition on this Commission, numbered No. 4, and dated June 27th, 1907, for the construction of Section No. 9-0-4 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, to the 30th day of November, 1907, amounting to Twenty-four thousand, two hundred and thirty and 70/100 (\$24,230.70) Dollars, and

Whereas, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer, has certified that the work done and the materials furnished have been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract, that the value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has been previously made for such work and materials;

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

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The Secretary presented the following requisition of the Bradley Contracting Company, together with the certificate of the Chief Engineer approving the same, as approved by the Committee on Audit:

BRADLEY CONTRACTING COMPANY—OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTOR,
68TH STREET & NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, December 3rd, 1907.

Requisition No. 3—For work done and materials furnished under contract dated June 27th, 1907, for the construction of Section No. 9-0-1 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, to 30th day of November.

	For Month.	Total
Total to date relative to the contract value of the whole work.	\$25,960.50	\$75,458.00
Amount previously estimated.		49,497.50
Amount of present estimate.	25,960.50	25,960.50
Deduct 10%.	2,596.05	2,596.05
Requisition for amount due for work done and materials furnished during the month.	\$23,364.45	\$23,364.45

BRADLEY CONTRACTING COMPANY, Contractor.
By FRANK BRADLEY, President.

Certificate No. 3—I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated June 27th, 1907, for the construction of Section No. 9-0-1, of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, for which requisition No. 3 of date December 3rd, 1907, is made by the Bradley Contracting Co., the Contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of Twenty-three thousand, three hundred and sixty-four dollars and forty-five cents; that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has been previously made for such work and materials.

(Signed) HENRY B. SEAMAN,

Chief Engineer of the Public Service Commission for the First District.

The following resolution was thereupon moved and duly seconded:

Whereas, The Contractor, The Bradley Contracting Company, has made requisition on this Commission, numbered No. 3, and dated December 3, 1907, for work done and materials furnished under contract dated June 27, 1907, for the construction of Section No. 9-0-1 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad of the City of New York, to the 30th day of November, 1907, amounting to twenty-three thousand three hundred and sixty-four and 45/100 (\$23,364.45) Dollars, and

Whereas, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer, has certified that the work done and the materials furnished have been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract, that the value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has been previously made for such work and materials.

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

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The Secretary presented a communication, dated December 29, 1907, from the Acting Corporation Counsel of the City of New York transmitting a bill of costs of Adams & Chambers, dated July 17, 1907, and amounting to \$54.20. On motion, duly seconded, it was

Resolved, That the bill of Adams & Chambers, amounting to \$54.20 for stenographic services in the Fourth Avenue and the Eighth and Ninth Street Rapid Transit proceedings, be approved, and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

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Nays—None.

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Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

TARIFF ORDER (No. 167).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Tariff Order (No. 167) was adopted, granting permission to the Long Island Railroad Company to change rate on chicory from Flushing, N. Y. to Long Island City, N. Y.

BROOKLYN BRIDGE—ELEVATED TRAINS, OPERATION IN RUSH HOUR.

The Secretary presented the following report of Commissioner Bassett with regard to the operation of elevated trains across the Brooklyn Bridge during rush hours:

The undersigned has held a number of hearings in accordance with Order No. 80 made upon the complaint of Robert E. Anthony against the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company touching the operation of elevated trains across the Brooklyn Bridge in rush hours. The evidence shows that the system of changing from through trains to bridge trains and back again is very nearly perfect, and that when it operates without accidents the public are carried about as rapidly and conveniently as the circumstances of an over-crowded structure will permit. Break-downs have been too frequent due to poor equipment on the bridge cars. These cars are owned by the city and operated by the Brooklyn Union Elevated Railroad Company. As their use is soon to be discontinued they have not been kept in perfect condition with the result that draw-bars pull out and other accidents frequently happen. This Commission has issued orders in these respects which have been complied with. On the recommendation of our experts minor changes have been made during the rush hours that have resulted in an improvement. These have to do with the prompt starting of trains, better policing, more intelligent management of the crowds and the lessening of intervals between trains while changing from the bridge local cars to the through service. On the whole the investigation based upon this order has been beneficial, but it is impossible or unjust to direct the specific fulfillment of any of the items of the complainant's complaint. On this account I recommend that the complaint be dismissed.

(4) By running not less than six (6) cars in each hour of the night and morning, daily and Sundays, from 13th Street north to 14th Street, and from 14th Street south at least to 13th Street, the cars to be as evenly distributed as possible, in each hour.

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FINAL ORDER (No. 172).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 172) was adopted, ordering and directing that paragraph No. 4 of Order 153 be modified and amended so as to read as follows:

(4) That the said Brooklyn Union Elevated Railroad Company place its present platforms at the Covert Avenue station of its Lutheran Cemetery line in good condition on or before the 10th day of January, 1908; and that on or before the 1st day of May, 1908, said company construct at this point a new platform or platforms of wood or cement of suitable and safe design.

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FINAL ORDER (No. 173).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 173) was adopted, ordering and directing the Brooklyn Union Elevated Railroad Company to make certain changes in its station at 36th St. and 5th Avenue, as follows:

(1) That said Brooklyn Union Elevated Railroad Company construct and maintain proper partitions to break the force of the wind on the westerly platform of the 36th Street station on the 5th Avenue Line of said company, the same to be completed on or before the 25th day of January, 1908.

(2) That said company reconstruct the waiting room at the northerly end of the westerly platform of said 36th Street station, making the same neat and accessible, with the interior light, and properly ventilated; and that said company shall maintain the same as a first-class passenger waiting room, and shall keep the same properly heated in cold weather. These changes and improvements shall be completed on or before the 25th day of January, 1908.

(3) That said company immediately renovate and properly repair and refit the waiting room on the southerly end of the easterly platform of said 36th Street station, and that said company shall maintain the same as a first-class passenger waiting room.

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FINAL ORDER (No. 174).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 174) was adopted, ordering and directing the Staten Island Railway Company to make changes in its service and equipment, as follows:

1. That the Staten Island Railway Company adopt the following precautions and install, at or near grade crossings and maintain the following appliances for the better protection of its employees and the public.

(A) *Bells and Signals*—At all double track crossings not provided with gates, the Company shall provide and maintain two automatic, electrically operated warning bells, one on each side of the track and diagonally opposite to each other, so that both bells, at any given crossing, shall be rung by every train passing that crossing, and one bell at all single track crossings, the Company to maintain all bells and signals in good working order and test same at each crossing at least once daily, in the morning, reports of such tests to be regularly made and promptly filed at the principal operating office of the Company.

The provisions of this subdivision to be completed not later than March 15, 1908.

(B) *Warning Signs*—At every grade crossing where double tracks occur, warning signs shall be properly located and maintained, one on either side of the track and diagonally opposite each other, and where one track only occurs, one such sign shall be properly located and maintained.

The provisions of this subdivision to be completed not later than February 10, 1908.

(C) *Planking*—Where there are two tracks, each crossing, specified below, shall be planked for the full width between the rails and have one twelve inch plank outside of each outer rail, such planking to extend across the full width of the highway and filling between guard planks to be kept evenly graded with the top of the rails and solidly packed.

Bay View Avenue
Richmond Valley Road
Church Street
East Broadway
Tompkins Avenue
Old Town Road
Sea View Avenue
Amboy Road (second crossing going south)
Washington Avenue and Coleaux Avenue
Whitlock Station (three crossings)
Amboy Road (First crossing going south)
Gifford's Lane
Eltingville Road
Annadale Road
Huguenot Avenue

The provisions of this subdivision to be completed not later than March 15, 1908.

(D) *Gates*—At the Lincoln Avenue crossing in Grant City, a single arm gate or bar shall be installed and a flagman shall be kept on duty at this point to operate it, during the months from May 1st to October 1st.

The provisions of this subdivision to be completed not later than May 1, 1908.

(E) *Flagman*—That a flagman shall be stationed at each of the grade crossings on William Street and Tyrrell Street, Tottenville, to remain on duty during all hours in which trains are scheduled to cross these streets.

The provisions of this subdivision to be completed with not later than May 1, 1908.

II. That all trains be so run as to connect with the Municipal Ferry boats at St. George.

The provisions of this section to take effect immediately.

III. *Smoke and Noise*—That the Staten Island Railway Company prohibit and take all necessary steps to prevent all unnecessary and unreasonable noises and smoke nuisances from engines or ships which it owns or controls at Clifton, St. George or Tottenville, or at any other point or points where engines run or are allowed to stand.

That all labor on Sunday, by or for the Company, be prohibited, excepting the works of necessity and charity. In works of necessity or charity is included whatever is needful during the day for the good order, health or comfort of the community.

The provisions of this section to take effect immediately.

IV. *Lamps and Lighting*—That the Staten Island Railway Company install, use and keep in good condition a sufficient number of new lamps of the so-called "Belgian" station lamp type, or other suitable lamps of at least equal candle power, similar to the lamp exhibited to the Commission at the hearing, adequately to light the stations and platforms at the following places:

Tottenville Great Kills
Richmond Valley New Dorp
Huguenot Grant City
Annadale Dongan Hills
Pleasant Plains Gramercy

The provisions of this section to be completed as soon as possible and not later than April 1, 1908.

V. That the following additions, changes and readjustment of service and time schedules be put in effect without unnecessary delay, but not later than February 1, 1908.

(A) By running a train of not less than three cars to leave Tottenville daily, except on Sundays and holidays, between trains shown as No. 3 and No. 5 on official time table dated October 14th, 1907, such train to run to St. George, making all stops between Tottenville and Gramercy, except that the stop at Whitlock may be on flag signal, the train to reach St. George in time to connect with the 7:30 boat from Manhattan.

(B) By running an additional train to leave St. George daily, except Sundays and holidays, between trains No. 34 and No. 36, shown on official time table dated October 14th, 1907, said train to leave after arrival of Municipal Ferry boat leaving Manhattan at 7 P. M., and to make all stops to Tottenville.

(C) By running an additional train to leave St. George after the arrival of the Municipal Ferry boat which leaves Manhattan at 12 o'clock midnight, and to make all stops, regular or on signal, to Tottenville.

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FINAL ORDER (No. 175).

On motion, made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 175) was adopted, ordering and directing the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company to make changes in its service and equipment, as follows:

I. That the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company adopt the following precautions and install and maintain the following appliances for the better protection of its employees and the public.

(A) *Bells and Signals*—At all double track crossings not provided with gates, the Company shall provide and maintain two automatic, electrically operated, warning bells, one on each side of the track and diagonally opposite to each other, so that both bells, at any given crossing, shall be rung by every train passing that crossing, and one bell at all single track crossings, the Company to maintain all bells and signals in good working order and test same at each crossing at least once daily, in the morning, reports of such tests to be regularly made and promptly filed at the principal operating office of the Company.

That warning bells be so installed and maintained as to ring for trains going in either direction at the following street crossings:

Jersey Street, New Brighton
Crossing to coal dock and shop yard at West Brighton
Broadway, Port Richmond
Maple Avenue
Elm Street
Sharpe Avenue
Lafayette Avenue
Morning Star Road
Van Pelt Avenue
Central Avenue
Union Avenue
South Avenue

—on the North Shore Division.

Arietta Street
Thompson Street
Dock Street
St. Mary's Avenue
Tompkins Avenue
Sand Lane

—on the South Shore Division. The provisions of this subdivision to be completed with not later than March 15, 1908.

(B) *Warning Signs*—At Snug Harbor, a suitable sign to be installed, warning the engineer of trains approaching in either direction of the crossing to the coal dock and freight platform of Sailors' Snug Harbor.

At Broadway
Maple Avenue
Elm Street
Sharpe Avenue
John Street

suitable street crossing signs.

At Nicholas Street, signs for both sides of the track, the sign now in place to be repaired.

At Maple Avenue
St. Mary's Avenue

suitable street crossing signs.

Chestnut Avenue sign to be put in good repair. The provisions of this subdivision to be completed with not later than February 10, 1908.

(C) *Gates*—That the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company install, maintain and operate at all regular hours of traffic, over the company's tracks, suitable double arm gates, at the Broadway Crossing, Port Richmond, and single arm gates at Lafayette Avenue and Douglas Street and Newark Avenue.

At Tompkins Avenue and at Sand Lane (South Beach Station) double arm gates to be maintained and operated at all hours of regular traffic, during the months from May 1st to October 1st. The provisions of this subdivision to be completed with not later than March 15, 1908.

(D) *Lamps and Lighting*—That the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company install, maintain and use new lamps of the so-called "Belgian" station lamp type or other suitable lamp of at least equal candle power to the lamp produced by the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company at the hearing before the Commission in sufficient numbers adequately to light the stations and platforms at

New Brighton
Snug Harbor
Livingston
West New Brighton
Port Richmond
Elm Park
Tompkinsville
Stapleton

The provisions of this subdivision to be completed with not later than February 15, 1908.

2. That all passenger cars used by the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company be adequately lighted. The provisions of this subdivision to take effect at once.

3. *Train Schedules*—That all trains operated by the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, either on the North Shore or South Shore Divisions, connect at St. George with boats of the Municipal Ferry. The provisions of this section to take effect not later than January 15, 1908.

4. *Smoke and Noise*—That the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company prohibit and take all necessary steps to prevent all unnecessary and unreasonable noises and smoke nuisances from engines or ships which it owns or controls at Clifton and St. George, or at any other point or points where engines run or are allowed to stand.

That all labor on Sunday, by or for the Company, be prohibited, excepting the works of necessity and charity. In works of necessity or charity is included whatever is needful during the day for the good order, health or comfort of the community.

The provisions of this section to take effect immediately.

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FINAL ORDER (No. 176).

On motion made and duly seconded, a Final Order (No. 176) was adopted, ordering and directing the New York City Interborough Railway Company to run cars on its Aqueduct Avenue line, as follows:

That the said New York City Interborough Railway Company be and it hereby is directed and required to run one line of cars on its Aqueduct Avenue line, through and from Kingsbridge Road, over its Aqueduct Avenue line and over its Ogden Avenue line in a continuous passage, without change, to the 155th Street terminus of the Sixth and Ninth Avenues elevated roads, and connecting with the cars of the elevated roads at that point; and a continuous passage, without change, from the 155th Street terminus of the said elevated lines over the said Ogden Avenue line and the said Aqueduct Avenue line to and through said Kingsbridge Road, and that said cars be run between the hours of 6 A. M. and 8 P. M. at intervals of not more than ten minutes, from 8 P. M. to one A. M. at intervals of not more than 15 minutes, and from one A. M. to six A. M. at intervals of not more than thirty minutes.

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The Secretary presented the following resolution, which was moved and duly seconded:

Whereas the stairway at the northeast corner of Vanderbilt Avenue and 44th Street, constructed and used as a part of the Grand Central Subway Station, under the contract of 21st February, 1900, between the City and John H. McDonald, is in the opinion of the Commission inadequate to accommodate the traffic at this point, and

Whereas such contract provided for the authorization of extra work as a part thereof,

Now, therefore, be it Resolved: That the contractor be and hereby is authorized to alter such stairway in accordance with the plans submitted, being entitled "Interborough Rapid Transit Company Subway Division, Grand Central Station, Change of Stairway, Drawing No. 7697," as extra work under said contract, at the expense of

the City, such expense to be added to the cost of constructing the said Subway, upon which the contractor is to pay rental, as in such contract provided.
 Ayes—Commissioners McCarron, Bassett, Maltbie, Eastis.
 Nays—None.
 Carried.

The Secretary presented the following list of bills and expense accounts, which had been passed upon by Chairman Wilcox, as Committee on Audit for December, and it was moved and duly seconded that the bills, as enumerated below, be approved by the Commission and forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:
 Ayes—Commissioners McCarron, Bassett, Maltbie, Eastis.
 Nays—None.
 Carried.

Name	Service or Material	Amount of Bill
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1 typewriters, Bill Nov. 1.	\$405.50
Chambers Printing Co.	Letter heads, blanks, etc., Bills Nov. 30, Dec. 10, 11.	304.25
M. A. O'Connor	Printing, Bills Sept. 30, Oct. 12, 22.	28.50
Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	Stationery and Supplies, Bills Oct. 16, Nov. 1, 11, 19, Dec. 3, 10.	304.37
Finley & Handford	Bulletin board, making drawer for table, Bills Nov. 27, Dec. 4.	13.00
A. Nebrask & Son	Binding 1 vol. gas cases, Bill Nov. 30.	1.25
Library Bureau	Books, supplies, etc., Bills Nov. 13, 21, 28 (2).	95.22
The Macey Co.	Book section, Bill Nov. 23.	194.30
Standard Engineering Co.	Change bell work, Bill Dec. 1.	7.35
Law Reporting Co.	Binders, Bill Dec. 1.	1.00
Union Towel Supply Co.	Service for November, Bill Nov. 30 (2).	26.44
N. Y. Telephone Co.	Service, Bills July 1, August 1, Sept. 1, Oct. 1, 12, Nov. 1 (1st), Dec. 1.	148.65
Pittsburg & Allegheny Telephone Co.	Service Pittsburg office, Bill Nov. 14.	11.25
Central Union Gas Co.	Gas, Bill Oct. 10.	1.40
Keuffel & Esser Co.	Supplies, Bills Oct. 8, Dec. 2.	42.71
Empire City Savings Bank	Rent—231 W. 225 St., Bill Dec. 1.	83.33
Empire Square Realty Co.	Rent—2d flv. Office, Bill Dec. 1.	100.00
Powder Mfg. Co.	Toilet Service (Engr. Dept.), Bill Nov. 30.	20.13
Initial Towel Supply Co.	Toilet Service (Engr. Dept.), Bill Dec. 1.	27.94
Wm. G. Pigueron	Rent (Sewer Div.), Bill Dec. 1.	148.16
American Ice Co.	Ice, Bills Oct. 31, Nov. 30 (2).	5.93
Finn Brothers	Repairing chairs, making book case, Bills Nov. 30.	62.85
Globe-Wernicke Co.	Stationery, boxes and guides, Bills Dec. 3, 6.	25.50
Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	Brass pins, plumb bobs, etc., Bills Oct. 24, 26, Nov. 9.	11.00
Yavman & Erbe Mfg. Co.	Filing cabinet, Bill Nov. 7.	19.00
S. V. & N. J. Tel. Co.	Service, Bill Oct. 31.	27.28
Central District & Printing Telegraph Co.	Service, Pittsburg office, Bill Nov. 12.	13.25
John R. Sparrow & Co.	Professional services examining accounts of H. R. T. Co. Oct. 1—Nov. 30, Bill Dec. 9.	3,567.50
Marvin Scudder	Professional services Inter-Met. Investigation, Nov. 1—30, Bill Dec. 2.	2,335.99
The Tribune Assn.	Rent, Bills Nov. 30, Dec. 1.	6,495.84
Law Reporting Co.	Typewriting testimony, Bills Nov. 18, 27.	1,219.61
Vanil Chemical Co.	Platinum paper, Bill Nov. 16.	162.24
Chas. G. Willoughby	Photographic material, Bills Nov. 10.	112.50
Am. Dist. Tel. Co.	Service, Bill Nov. 30.	1.60
Union Dist. Messenger Co.	Service, Bill Dec. 1.	14.35
C. Scott Forington	Lettering on door, Bill Dec. 1.	1.68
Schapiagraph Co.	Schapiagraph No. 2, Bill Nov. 20.	6.00
E. Belcher Hyde	Man, Borough of Richmond, Bill Dec. 2.	6.00
A. A. Weeks-Hoskins Co.	Supplies, Bills Oct. 15, 21, 22, 28, Nov. 20, 21, 26.	1,322.99
E. J. Brooks & Co.	Lead seals for cement laboratory, Bill Nov. 12.	177.40
Douglas Robinson, Chas. S. Brown & Co.	Advertising property, consultations, etc., Bills Nov. 11, 12.	450.00
Mail & Express Job Print.	40 250 meter test record books, Bill Nov. 21.	192.00
Stephen J. Mitchell	Bevels, Bill Nov. 30.	16.50
S. V. Improved Meter Co.	Service rendered in gas testing, Bill Nov. 3.	79.50
John Wanamaker	Desks, chairs and tables, Bills Nov. 10, 12, 22.	187.28
McGraw Pub. Co.	1 copy, Railway Accounting, Bill Dec. 2.	1.25
G. E. Stecher & Co.	Books for library, Bills Dec. 3, 5 (2).	105.50
Scientific Materials Co.	Sulphur flasks for steel chemist, Bill Nov. 20.	2.49
Philip Price	Janitorial service, Bills Oct. 31, Nov. 30, Dec. 1.	45.00
Wm. H. Miller	Janitorial service, Bills Dec. 31, Nov. 30, Dec. 2.	78.00
John Jensen	Janitorial service, Bills Dec. 1.	10.00
Scranton & Lehigh Coal Co.	Ceil. Bills Apr. 23, Nov. 4.	28.00
Geo. W. White	Rent, 321 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Bills Nov. 30, Dec. 10.	64.00
The Thos. Jefferson Bldg.	Rent, 4 Court Square, Bill Oct. 1.	264.00
Riverside Bldg.	Rent, 317 Furman St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Bill Dec. 5.	13.00

Disbursement (Expense) Accounts

C. V. V. Powers	Division Engr., September, October.	\$84.89
Fred. C. Noble	Division Engr., October.	13.49
Sidney W. Gay	Transit Inspector, October.	200.30
Wm. McCarron	Commissioner, November.	2.65
Miles E. Maltbie	Commissioner, November.	19.10
H. A. D. Hallmann	Office Accounts, November.	21.00
Arthur Du Bois	Legal Dept., November.	28.41
A. McKinney	Third Assistant Secy., November.	46.25
D. L. Turner	Transit Inspector, November.	172.92
A. W. McLimont	Electrical Engr., November.	41.25
Geo. F. Daggett	Accident Inspector, November.	78.13
Thomas D. Hosney	Gas Meter Inspector, November.	39.02
M. J. Farrell	Serv. to Chief Engr., November.	13.22

Name	Service or Material	Amount of Bill
W. A. Aiken	Gen'l Inspector Materials, November.	97.60
Geo. H. Clark	Division Engr., November.	18.40
John H. Myers	Division Engr., November.	11.85
Amos L. Schaeffer	Division Engr., November.	30.03
O. L. Turner	Gen'l Inspector Stations, July, August, September, October, November.	180.60

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

ART COMMISSION.

MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING OF ART COMMISSION HELD AT ITS OFFICE, ROOM 21, CITY HALL, ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, 1908, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK P. M.

Present—Vice-President Millet (presiding), Acting Mayor McGowan, Commissioners Mansfield, Boyle and Brunner.
 On communications from Commissioners de Forest, Bigelow, Healy, Russell and Pine, explaining their absences, they were excused.

The minutes of meeting of July 1 were presented and approved.
 The President's report was presented, stating that the following Committees had been appointed since the last meeting, July 1:

Submission 778.

Washington Irving High School—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Millet and Pine. Appointed July 10, 1908.

Submission 779.

Wallabout Market Comfort Station—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Healy and Russell. Appointed July 10, 1908.

Submission 780.

Flushing Avenue Engine House, Astoria—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Healy and Boyle. Appointed July 10, 1908.

Submission 781.

Bronx Park Drinking Fountain—Commissioners Boyle, Chairman; Healy and Mansfield. Appointed July 10, 1908.

Submission 782.

Van Cortlandt Park Drinking Fountain—Commissioners Boyle, Chairman; Healy and Mansfield. Appointed July 10, 1908.

Submission 783.

Neptune Avenue Stable, Coney Island—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; de Forest and Mansfield. Appointed July 10, 1908.

Submission 784.

Public School 84, Brooklyn—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Russell and Pine. Appointed July 14, 1908.

Submission 785.

A Bridge Connecting the Third and Fourth Stories of the Wanamaker and Stewart Buildings—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Millet and Mansfield. Appointed July 15, 1908.

Submission 786.

Polished Granite Horse Trough on East Fourteenth Street—Commissioners Boyle, Chairman; Brunner and Mansfield. Appointed July 16, 1908.

Submission 787.

A Two Story and Attic Laundry for Department of Health—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Mansfield and Boyle. Appointed July 23, 1908.

Submission 788.

Three Story Hook and Ladder House—Commissioners Brunner, Chairman; Boyle and Mansfield. Appointed July 23, 1908.

Submission 789.

Aquarium Memorial Tablet—Commissioners Millet, Chairman; Brunner and Mansfield. Appointed July 28, 1908.

Submission 778.

The Committee on Washington Irving High School recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Egerton L. Winthrop, Jr., President of the Board of Education be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate 761.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of the Washington Irving High School, represented by Exhibits "359-A," "359-B," "359-C," "359-D," "359-E," "359-F," "359-G" and "359-H," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Egerton L. Winthrop, Jr., President of the Board of Education.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to notify President Winthrop that when working drawings shall have been prepared they should be submitted to the Art Commission for final approval, as the foregoing resolution is only preliminary action thereon.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 785.

The Committee on a bridge connecting the third and fourth stories of the Wanamaker and Stewart Buildings recommended that the designs submitted by Mr. Rodman Wanamaker, vice-president of the A. T. Stewart Realty Company, be disapproved.

Mr. W. C. Haddock, representing Mr. Wanamaker, appeared before the Commission, and was heard.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 762.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs for a bridge connecting the third and fourth stories of the Wanamaker and Stewart Buildings, represented by Exhibits "362-A," "362-B" and "362-C," of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mr. Rodman Wanamaker, who made the submission.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 780.

The Committee on Engine and Hook and Ladder House recommended that the designs submitted by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings of the New York Fire Department, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 763.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of Engine and Hook and Ladder House represented by Exhibits "361-A," "361-B," "361-C," "361-D" and "361-E," of record in this matter; and that the action of the

Commission be certified with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings of the New York Fire Department.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 788.

The Committee on Hook and Ladder House recommended that the designs submitted by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings of New York Fire Department, be disapproved.

Mr. Alexander Stevens and Deputy Fire Commissioner P. A. Whitney, appeared before the Commission and were heard.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 764.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs and location for the Hook and Ladder House at Hancock place near Manhattan avenue, Borough of Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "303-A," "303-B," "303-C," "303-D" and "303-E," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings of New York Fire Department.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 784.

The Committee on Public School 84, Brooklyn, recommended that the designs submitted by Mr. C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 765.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of Public School 84, in the Borough of Brooklyn, represented by Exhibits "352-F," "352-G," "352-H," "352-I" and "352-J," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mr. C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of Public School Buildings.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 779.

The Committee on Wallabout Market Comfort Station recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. John H. McCooey, Deputy and Acting Comptroller, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 766.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the Wallabout Market Comfort Station, represented by Exhibits "360-A," "360-B," "360-C," "360-D," "360-E," "360-F," "360-G" and "360-H," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Herman A. Metz, Comptroller.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 781.

The Committee on Bronx Park Drinking Fountain recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 767.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the bronze drinking fountain to be placed in the Bronx Park, represented by Exhibits "289-C," "289-G" and "289-H," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 782.

The Committee on Van Cortlandt Park Drinking Fountain recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks, for the Borough of The Bronx, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 768.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the bronze drinking fountain to be placed in Van Cortlandt Park, represented by Exhibits "289-C," "289-H" and "289-I," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 786.

On motion, action on Submission 786 was postponed pending an investigation into the danger which the congestion of traffic caused by such a fountain would be to the children of Grace Church Chapel Settlement.

Submission 787.

The Committee on a Laundry for the Kingsism Avenue Hospital recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Thomas Darlington, Commissioner of Department of Health, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 769.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of Laundry for Kingsism Avenue Hospital, represented by Exhibits "213-AX," "213-AY," "213-AZ," "213-BA," "213-BB" and "213-BC," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Thomas Darlington, Commissioner of Department of Health.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 789.

The Committee on Aquarium Memorial Tablets recommended that the design (of a new work of art) submitted by Mrs. Emma M. H. Slade, President of the National Society of the United States Daughters of 1812, State of New York, be disapproved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 770.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the design for a Memorial Tablet to be placed on the Aquarium, represented by Exhibits "334-F," "334-G" and "334-H," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mrs. Emma M. H. Slade, President of the National Society of the United States Daughters of 1812, State of New York, who made the submission.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submission 783.

The Committee on Neptune Avenue Stable, Coney Island, recommended that the new location submitted by Hon. Foster Crowell, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 771.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the new location for Neptune avenue stable, Coney Island, represented by Exhibit "288-J," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicate of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Foster Crowell, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

The Committee was therupon discharged.

Submissions 790 and 791.

The Acting President presented submissions for the Subway Tablets to be placed in the Borough Hall Station of the Brooklyn Subway, submitted by Mr. Travis H. Whitney, Secretary of the Public Service Commission.

On motion, the submissions were immediately considered and the following resolutions were adopted:

Certificate 772.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the design for a Subway Tablet in the Borough Hall Station of the Brooklyn Subway represented by Exhibits "304-L" and "304-M," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. William R. Willcox, Chairman of the Public Service Commission.

Certificate 773.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the design for a Subway Tablet in the Borough Hall Station of the Brooklyn Subway represented by Exhibits "304-N" and "304-O," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. William R. Willcox, Chairman of the Public Service Commission.

The following Committees reported progress:

Committee on Catalogue of Works of Art Belonging to the City.

Committee on Quarters and Staff.

Committee on Restoration of Governor's Room.

Committee on Relocation of Portraits, Brooklyn Borough.

The Acting President presented a communication from his Honor Charles H. Gans, Mayor of Albany, N. Y., requesting the loan of photographs of public and private memorials, these to be used for the guidance of a Commission having charge of the erection in Albany of a memorial to the soldiers and sailors of the Civil War.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Assistant Secretary with power.

On motion, the meeting adjourned until Tuesday, August 28, 1908.

J. Q. ADAMS, Assistant Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1907, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the week ending July 29, 1908:

Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring and repaving pavement—General Account	\$4,974.75
For redemption of obstructions seized	5.00
For vault permits	6,693.15
For shed permits	45.00
For sewer connections	226.00
For bay window permits	209.77

Permits Issued.

Permits to place building material on streets	96
Permits to construct street vaults	7
Permits to construct sheds	9
Permits to cross sidewalks	8
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections	297
Permits for railway construction and repairs	6
Permits to repair sidewalks	126
Permits for sewer connections	13
Permits for sewer repairs	17
Permits for bay windows	17

Obstructions Removed.

Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues	14
Complaints received and attended to by Bureau of Incumbrances	50
Permits extended by Bureau of Incumbrances	130

Permits revoked by Bureau of Incumbrances	3
Inspection Division, Bureau of Highways	
Complaints received	1,032
Repairs made	667
Police complaints received	1,010

Repairs to Pavement.

Square yards of pavement repaired	5,543
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Repairs to Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer built	5,78
Linear feet of sewer cleaned	23,526
Linear feet of sewer examined	9,871
Basins cleaned	244
Basins examined	106
Linear feet of pipe sewer relieved	4,220
Cuts opened and refilled	190
Manhole covers put on	3
Manholes built	1
Basins relieved	7
Linear feet of pipe culvert laid	0
Basin hoods put on	2
Manhole covers set and reset	3

General Offices, Commissioner of Public Works.

Orders numbering from 2929 to 3029, inclusive, were issued	
100 requisitions were received and acted upon	
16 requisitions, including 161 vouchers, amounting to \$96,407.08 were drawn on the Comptroller	

Statement of Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

Repaving and Renewal of Pavements—	
Mechanics	23
Laborers	196
Teams	4
Carts	10
Bonelyards, Roads and Avenues (Maintenance of)—	
Mechanics	6
Laborers	61
Teams	29
Carts	18
Roads, Streets and Avenues—	
Laborers	23
Teams	10
Carts	5
Sewers, Maintenance, Cleaning, etc.—	
Mechanics	82
Laborers	58
Teams	49

Carts	12
Cleaners	68
Cleaning Public Buildings, Baths, etc.—	
Mechanics	184
Laborers	112
Carts	30
Bath Attendants	271
Cleaners	253

Report of Changes for the Week Ending August 1, 1908.

Bureau of Highways—

One Assistant Foreman, transferred to Foreman.
One Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving appointed.
One Laborer, deceased.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—

One Stoker, deceased.
One Elevator Attendant resigned.
Two Attendants appointed.
Two Assistant Foremen transferred to Foreman.
Two Attendants dropped.
One Cleaner dropped.
One Foreman transferred to Storekeeper.

JOHN CLOUGHEN,
Acting President, Borough of Manhattan,
and Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
July 24, 1908.

Hon. THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 as amended, the following report will show the names of the persons to whom licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same, during the twenty-four hours ending 12 midnight, July 24, 1908:

First Class.

Edward J. Byrne, No. 9 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.
Charles A. Hynes, No. 551 West Thirty-fifth street.
William C. Morningstar, No. 455 West Broadway.
Frank H. Schmitz, No. 946 Franklin avenue, Brooklyn.
William Sillman, foot of Thirty-ninth street, Brooklyn.
Patrick O'Dea, Franklin avenue and Dean street, Brooklyn.

Second Class.

Michael Antonow, foot of East Twenty-first street.
Patrick Conlon, No. 121 Madison avenue.
John Kerwin, No. 542 First avenue.
Frank Kisselher, No. 71 Beekman street.
Thurkel Olsen, No. 305 Broadway.
Frank J. Mueller, No. 34 West Thirteenth street.
Hugh McClatchey, No. 149 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
John Sanders, No. 49 Dey street.
John Thompson, No. 59 West Forty-third street.
Suly L. Pratt, No. 700 Hicks street, Brooklyn.
Joseph Quis, No. 307 Johnson avenue, Brooklyn.

Third Class.

John J. Dunn, No. 559 West Fifty-fifth street.
Frank Deer, No. 51 Maiden lane.
John A. Egan, Pier 15, East River.
John A. Lawson, No. 111 Quinlan street, Brooklyn.
John A. Dias, foot Fifty-second street, Brooklyn.
George Ackerman, Douglaston, Long Island.
John A. Neff, No. 1032 Dean street, Brooklyn.
Philip M. Waller, Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.
Albert Haase, No. 134 Classon avenue, Brooklyn.
William Anderson, No. 1632 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn.
James Stray, No. 144 Spencer street, Brooklyn.
Clarence Manning, No. 27 Fleet street, Brooklyn.
Thomas Fay, Morris Park avenue and West Farms road.
Thomas Gleason, No. 113 West Forty-second street.
George K. Gunn, No. 182 Centre street.
Henry M. Hatch, No. 407 Pearl street.
John H. Jones, No. 388 West Twelfth street.
Frank Killien, No. 211 Washington street.
John J. Morrissey, Hunts Point road.
Peter Popp, No. 1102 Broadway.
Ralph Savarese, No. 552 West Twenty-third street.
Max Teber, No. 205 East Ninety-second street.
Henry Vogtlander, foot of Christopher street.
Peter J. Weller, Tottenville, Staten Island.

Special.

James T. Keeling, No. 99 Wooster street.
Harry Schoen, No. 269 Henry street.
Charles McNally, Rogers avenue, Brooklyn.
Charles A. Dougherty, Boulevard, Rockaway Beach.

Respectfully,

HENRY BREEN, Lieutenant in Command.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
July 25, 1908.

Hon. THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 as amended, the following report will show the names of the persons to whom licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same, during the twenty-four hours ending 12 midnight, July 25, 1908:

First Class.

Peter J. Cullen, Rossville, S. I.

Third Class.

John H. Allen, No. 370 Gerard avenue.
Guiseppe Desesa, No. 315 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.
James Gray, Southern boulevard and Brown place.
Constantin Hauschel, No. 11 Wall street.
Alexander M. Kemp, No. 722 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.
Michael Kavens, No. 616 East Nineteenth street.
John Morrissey, No. 142 West Forty-ninth street.
Joseph Schusfield, No. 6 Bond street.
John Singer, No. 143 Liberty street.
Charles W. Stuhling, No. 722 East Eleventh street.
Charles C. Strothkamp, No. 215 West Thirty-third street.
Samuel Furman, No. 161 Third street, Long Island City.
Berger S. Williams, No. 309 Johnson avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

HENRY BREEN, Lieutenant in Command.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
July 27, 1908.

Hon. THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended, the following report will show the names of the persons to whom licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same during the twenty-four hours ending 12 midnight, July 27, 1908:

First Class.

Charles A. Brown, No. 132-138 Lafayette street.
Thomas J. Sheehan, No. 444 West Seventeenth street.
Julius Rebstock, No. 682 Franklin avenue, Brooklyn.

Second Class.

Joseph Coco, No. 733 First avenue.
Herbert S. Devine, No. 180 Duane street.
Isaac Kral, No. 529 Pearl street.
Frederick Stenglein, No. 406 East Fifty-third street.
John J. Rogers, No. 1305 Broadway.
Emmett Kelly, No. 85 Sedgwick avenue, Brooklyn.
John Fleming, No. 484 Pacific street, Brooklyn.

Third Class.

John Anderson, Broadway, Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets.
Michael Clancy, No. 1131 Broadway.
Frederick H. Croker, No. 226 Fourth avenue.
Joseph W. Colburn, No. 7 Harrison street.
David D. Donovan, No. 18 Union square.
Otto Deckert, No. 621 Broadway.
James N. Dages, No. 195 Broadway.
Michael Ferris, No. 141 Columbus avenue.
John Knudsen, No. 365 Broadway.
Harry Lockwood, No. 107 Pearl street.
William C. Mott, No. 95 Liberty street.
Thomas Monaghan, No. 43 West Eighteenth street.
William Moran, Shooters Island, S. I.
Oscar Patterson, No. 81 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
Alexander Radenberg, No. 35 North Moore street.
Charles B. Streibel, No. 56 West Sixty-sixth street.
Simon Torkelson, No. 147 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
August Tumber, No. 51 East Forty-first street.
Gus Burney, Pier 34, Brooklyn.
Ludwig Komorowski, Ward street and Curtis avenue, Brooklyn.
Richard Embleton, Pier 4, Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn.
Axel Swanson, Fort Washington avenue, Brooklyn.
Arthur Burke, No. 120 South Eighth street, Brooklyn.

Special.

Edward J. Dumphy, West New Brighton, S. I.
Joseph B. Fish, Spring and Houston streets.
Michael Hart, No. 50 East Broadway.
William P. Lawless, Central avenue, Mariners Harbor.
John L. Reamer, Liberty avenue and Euclid street, Brooklyn.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY BREEN, Lieutenant in Command.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Department,
Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
July 28, 1908.

Hon. THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended, the following report will show the names of persons to whom licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same during the twenty-four hours ending 12 midnight, July 28, 1908:

First Class.

Richard H. Lent, No. 227 West Twenty-sixth street.
John H. Port, No. 1552 Bergen street.

Second Class.

George W. Ford, No. 174 East One Hundred and Fifth street.
John Weeks, No. 51 Maiden lane.
Patrick F. Manning, No. 362 Avenue A.
John McArdle, Southern boulevard and Crotona avenue.
Richard McKittrick, East One Hundred and Forty-first street and Southern boulevard.
James Wallace, No. 326 West Fifty-ninth street.
James J. Oliver, No. 169 Covert street, Brooklyn.
Andrew Lynott, No. 497 Columbia street, Brooklyn.
John Sorenson, No. 377 Keap street, Brooklyn.
Chas. H. Clemens, Kings highway, Brooklyn.

Third Class.

Wm. Anderson, No. 1236 Madison avenue.
Frank J. Breame, No. 1181 Broadway.
John Calahan, No. 53 East Forty-ninth street.
John P. Christie, No. 333 West Forty-ninth street.
John Darcy, No. 113 West Forty-second street.
John E. Diamond, No. 60 Wall street.
Martin Dolan, No. 117 Mercer street.
Chas. P. Finney, No. 195 Rider avenue.
Joseph Goldstein, Pier 10, North River.
Chas. Hollwig, No. 57 West Fifty-eighth street.
Thomas F. Jones, No. 16 West Forty-fourth street.
Chas. P. Cook, One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Mott avenue.
Joseph A. McGuiness, No. 20 Broad street.
Peter S. McQuillan, No. 23 Beach street.
Clarence Phillips, No. 90 West street.
Bernard Traynor, No. 40 West Forty-fifth street.
Jacob Wilson, Pier 10, North River.
Adam Weidner, No. 413 East One Hundred and Eighth street.
Thomas Ward, Sixth avenue and Forty-second street.
Joseph Finley, Hopkins avenue, Brooklyn.
Frank Burke, No. 99 Sutton place, Brooklyn.
Joseph W. Gusius, foot of Ninth street, Long Island City.
Wm. J. Skanies, Newtown Creek.
Wm. M. Stanton, No. 89 Main street, Flushing.
Joseph P. Smith, No. 156 Sixth street, Brooklyn.
W. Hollers, No. 34 Union Hall place, Brooklyn.
Joseph Gleeson, Smith street, Brooklyn.

Special.

Patrick Herlihy, No. 81 West One Hundred and Fifteenth street.
A. A. McFaull, No. 173 Franklin street.
Anthonie O'Neill, No. 87 Lafayette street.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY BREEN, Lieutenant in Command.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending July 3, 1908:

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury	\$1,548,976.68
To the credit of the Sinking Funds	1,197,466.31
Total	\$2,746,442.99

Warrants Registered for Payment.	
Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants	\$1,301,864.10
Special and Trust Accounts, "B" Warrants	1,239,779.77
Additional Water Fund, "C" Warrants	8,041.66
Total	\$3,549,785.47

Stock and Bonds Issued.	
Three per cent. Stock	\$51,000.00
Four per cent. Stock	204,825.18
Three and five-eighths per cent. Bonds	550,000.00
Total	\$805,825.18

Summary Statement of the Bonded Indebtedness of The City of New York on June 30, 1908, as Recorded in the Books of the Department of Finance.

	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.	ISSUED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS HELD AS INVESTMENTS BY THE SINKING FUNDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1908.
I.					
FUNDED DEBT.					
A.—FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS NOW CONSTITUTED, ISSUED SUBSEQUENT TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 306 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended	\$375,700,262.84	\$44,000,000.00	-----	\$64,000,000.00	\$10,772,216.84
(2) Payable from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 10, article 8, of the Constitution of the State of New York, and section 306 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended	50,200,169.00	6,000,000.00	-----	18,312,342.00	28,898,653.00
(3) Payable from Taxation, under the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 100 of the Laws of 1903	54,250,000.00	-----	-----	54,250,000.00	54,250,000.00
(4) Payable from Assessments	24,948,132.75	3,420,000.00	-----	1,913,000.00	28,370,632.75
(5) Payable from Taxation	3,300,000.00	3,000,000.00	\$3,420,000.00	1,075,000.00	6,545,000.00
B.—FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898, ISSUED PRIOR TO SAID DATE.					
<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, City of New York.</i>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (1st Lien), under Ordinances of the Common Council	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----	-----
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (2d Lien), under the provisions of section 913 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended	9,700,000.00	-----	-----	-----	9,700,000.00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, under the provisions of section 306 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended	99,803,110.41	-----	-----	37,320,649.18	62,482,460.41
(4) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 79 of the Laws of 1889	9,823,100.00	-----	-----	17,750,000.00	9,823,100.00
(5) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2, under the provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884, and of section 10, article 8, of the Constitution of the State of New York	12,955,000.00	-----	31,000.00	6,400,000.00	16,504,000.00
(6) Payable from Taxation	3,358,719.32	-----	20,743.00	306,850.00	3,318,175.32
(7) Payable from Assessments	170,336.21	-----	-----	180,336.21	180,336.21
<i>County of New York.</i>					
(8) Payable from Taxation	8,699,000.00	-----	-----	-----	8,699,000.00
C.—FUNDED DEBT OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, INCLUDING KINGS COUNTY, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898 (EXCEPTING \$300,000 OF BONDS OF TOWN OF GRAVERSEND, ISSUED IN 1898 UNDER AN ORDER OF COURT).					
<i>City of Brooklyn, including Annexed Towns.</i>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 489 of the Laws of 1860 and amendments thereto	5,602,000.00	-----	-----	-----	5,602,000.00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 352 of the Laws of 1880, and chapter 443 of the Laws of 1881	850,000.00	-----	-----	150,000.00	600,000.00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 448 of the Laws of 1885	6,483,507.41	-----	-----	1,200,000.00	5,283,507.41
(4) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 396 of the Laws of 1889, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto	10,770,749.75	-----	-----	6,441,393.75	10,770,749.75
(5) Payable from Taxation	21,357,358.00	-----	10,000.00	348,000.00	21,357,000.00
(6) Payable from Assessments	5,710,000.00	-----	15,000.00	300,000.00	5,354,000.00
<i>County of Kings.</i>					
(7) Payable from Taxation	8,554,000.00	-----	350,000.00	-----	8,204,000.00
D.—FUNDED DEBT OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, INCLUDING THE PROPORTION OF THE DEBT OF THE COUNTY OF QUEENS IMPOSED UPON THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
<i>Corporations other than Queens County.</i>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of chapter 782 of the Laws of 1892	77,000.00	-----	-----	-----	77,000.00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds, under the provisions of chapter 125 of the Laws of 1894	31,000.00	-----	-----	-----	31,000.00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds, under the provisions of section 10, article 8, of the Constitution of the State of New York	19,000.00	-----	-----	19,000.00	19,000.00
(4) Payable from Water Revenue	137,000.00	-----	300.00	-----	137,000.00
(5) Payable from Taxation	5,169,000.00	-----	58,500.00	-----	5,160,500.00
(6) Payable from Assessments	781,164.59	-----	5,500.00	3,000.00	775,664.59
<i>County of Queens.</i>					
(7) Payable from Taxation	3,551,279.64	-----	-----	-----	3,551,279.64
E.—FUNDED DEBT OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, INCLUDING RICHMOND COUNTY, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
<i>Corporations other than Richmond County.</i>					
(1) Payable from Taxation	993,411.41	-----	3,725.00	-----	989,686.41
(2) Payable from Taxation	1,363,000.00	-----	40,000.00	-----	1,323,000.00
Total Funded Debt	\$235,014,965.85	\$37,094,392.00	\$5,124,116.00	\$197,194,674.00	\$195,193,118.85
II.					
TEMPORARY DEBT.					
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1902	-----	-----	-----	-----	100,000.00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1903	-----	-----	-----	-----	5,000,000.00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1904	-----	-----	-----	-----	3,750,000.00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1905	-----	-----	-----	-----	7,000,000.00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1906	-----	-----	-----	-----	0,170,000.00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1907	-----	-----	-----	-----	10,731,776.92
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1908	-----	-----	-----	-----	23,000,000.00
Total Bonded Debt	\$198,691,601.57	\$137,614,394.00	\$30,835,186.00	\$198,354,664.00	\$195,069,115.57

*Transferred from Revenue Bonds of 1907. †Transferred to Revenue Bonds of 1904.

SUMMARY.

Total Gross Funded Debt..... \$198,691,601.57

Less Amounts held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

For Account of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	\$1,030,371.07
For Account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.....	3,414,329.54
For Account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2.....	12,951,612.55
For Account of the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	7,126,000.00
For Account of the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	10,374,209.35
For Account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City, for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	30,000.00
For Account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City, for the Redemption of Water Bonds.....	12,000.00
For Account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City, for the Redemption of Fire Bonds.....	10,000.00

\$16,104,004.00

Net Funded Debt..... \$182,587,597.53

Temporary Debt (Revenue Bonds issued in Anticipation of Taxes)..... \$19,274,000.00

\$173,313,597.53

Net Bonded Debt..... \$173,313,597.53

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.					Court.	Title of Action.	Amount.	Subject Matter.	Attorney.
Supreme, Kings....	Manhattan Bridge ....	.....	Copy of affidavit, order entered July 1, 1908, re payment of award to Geo. Powers	Fred. Ingraham.	Municipal, Manhattan.	John W. Cunningham.	\$89 67	Transcript of judgment entered April 7, 1908.	Grant & Reuss.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	People State of New York vs. West Rollins	.....	Copies of affidavit, order, certificate assigning Rob. H. Hibbard and others counsel, etc.	C. J. Campbell.	Municipal, The Bronx.	Jahmey Folivo.	\$3 75	Transcript of judgment entered June 29, 1908.	M. E. Gates, Jr.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	M. W. Sermonson against Mary Antogni and another	.....	Five notices of levy.		Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	People State of New York vs. Samuel Cohen	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 3, 1908, directing Chamberlain to pay Morris Cohen.	A. L. Levy.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	C. J. L. Lynch	.....	Copy of petition, order entered July 3, 1908.	F. P. O'Connor.					
Supreme, Kings....	Maria E. Hatfield	.....	Copy of affidavit, motion.	C. S. Aronstam.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Robert L. Morrell	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 25, 1908, reducing assessment. 1906 Morrell, Bates & Topping.						
Supreme, Kings....	Seventy-seventh street	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 30, 1908, directing payment of award to Thomas H. Thomas.	Spencer, Ordway & Wierum.					
Supreme, Kings....	Seventy-seventh street	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 30, 1908, directing payment of award to Eliza H. Janeway.	Spencer, Ordway & Wierum.					
Appellate Division.,	Seventy-seventh street	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 28, 1908, reversing order of Thos. H. Thomas.	Spencer, Ordway & Wierum.					
Appellate Division.,	Seventyseventh street	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 18, 1908, reversing order of Eliza H. Janeway.	Spencer, Ordway & Wierum.					
Supreme, Kings....	N. Ryan Company	.....	Certified copy of judgment entered June 30, 1908, re balance on contract.	G. W. Thibomb.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Wm. Goetz, infant, vs. City of New York	.....	Copy of summons.	J. A. Shay.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Townsend Wandell and another	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 15, 1908, reducing assessments for 1904-5.	Goeller, Schaefer & Eisler.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Townsend Wandell and another	\$1,142 78	Certified copy of judgment entered June 26, 1908.	Goeller, Schaefer & Eisler.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Morris avenue	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 29, 1908, directing payment of award to Louis C. Hahn and another.	Kirk & Conry.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Summit avenue	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 29, 1908, directing payment of award to Mary H. O'Reilly.	Kirk & Conry.					
Supreme, Kings....	Butler street	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 1, 1908, directing payment of award to Valentine S. Walrus.	L. C. Grover.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Herman M. Stoffers against James J. Kerr et al.	.....	Copy of summons and complaint.	C. M. Beattie.					
General Sessions.	People State of New York against Wm. J. Reach	.....	Copy of affidavit, order, certificate assigning Page & Booth counsel, etc.	Page & Booth.					
Supreme, Kings....	Martense street	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 26, 1908, directing payment of award to Geo. B. Mullin et al.	Nathan Burkman.					
Supreme Court.,	Beckie Silverberg	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 5, 1908, affirming judgment.	Gainsburg & Solomon.					
Municipal, Manhattan.	Beckie Silverberg	\$57 55	Transcript of judgment entered June 12, 1908.	Gainsburg & Solomon.					
Municipal, Manhattan.	Blanche P. Webster	\$16 41	Transcript of judgment entered May 27, 1908.	Gainsburg and another.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Harry Benjamin, ad. minister	979 23	Transcript of judgment entered July 1, 1908.	M. P. O'Connor.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Chas. B. Bacon against City of New York	.....	Copy of summons and complaint.	Spencer, Ordway and another.					
Supreme, Kings....	Barber street	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 3, 1908, directing payment of award to Louise C. Moore, executrix.	Hugo Hirsh.					
Supreme, Kings....	Barber street	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 3, 1908, directing payment of award to Geo. W. Weber.	Hugo Hirsh.					
Supreme, Kings....	Barber street	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 3, 1908, directing payment of award to Philip Heintz.	Hugo Hirsh.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Mary H. Lester	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 1, 1908, reducing assessment.	S. H. Molleson.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Maria W. Dittmar against City of New York	.....	Two copies of summons and complaint.	James Kearney.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Maria W. Dittmar	.....	Two notices of pendency of action.	James Kearney.					
Supreme, Kings....	Cora A. Cook against Howard E. Wheeler et al.	.....	Copy of summons and notice.	H. J. Davenport.					
Supreme, N. Y. Co.,	Alexander Purvis	\$142 56	Transcript of judgment entered June 6, 1908.	J. E. Cavanagh.					
Claims Filed.									
Date Filed.	Claimant.	Amount.	Nature of Claim.		Attorney.				
June 29	Phen. L. Electric Company	\$427 46	Automobile tubes and shores delivered to Fire Department, January 29, 1908.						
June 29	Edward Sheehan, infant.	10,000 00	Personal injuries sustained June 12, 1908, opposite No. 314 Berry street, Brooklyn, by a horse and wagon owned by the City.						
June 29	Arthur M. McCrillis	1,518 27	Award for Damage No. 20, in the matter of acquiring title for opening of Lawrence avenue, from Liud avenue to West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, The Bronx.						
June 30	P. J. Carlin & Co.	5,003 00	For additional and extra work rendered in pumping in and about tank, pan and caisson for boilers, March 29, 1902, to December 2, 1902.						
June 30	Oscar F. Carquist	.....	Award for Damage No. 19A, in the matter of acquiring title to Lafayette avenue, from Hatfield avenue to Blackford avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	William F. Cordier	.....	Award for Damage No. 19, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Mary Hurley	.....	Award for Damage No. 32, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	James H. Murphy	.....	Award for Damage No. 12, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	James H. Murphy	.....	Award for Damage No. 13, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	John W. MacCormac	.....	Award for Damage No. 33, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Mary A. Pelcher	.....	Award for Damage No. 17, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Mary A. Pelcher	.....	Award for Damage No. 45, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Bernard Tyen	.....	Award for Damage No. 35, in the matter of acquiring title to Charles avenue, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Joseph Johnson	.....	Award for Damage No. 20, in the matter of acquiring title to Lafayette avenue, from Hatfield avenue to Blackford avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Andrew Knapp	.....	Award for Damage No. 18B, in the matter of acquiring title to Lafayette avenue, from Hatfield avenue to Blackford avenue, Borough of Richmond.						
June 30	Casualty Company of America	78 40	Two lights of glass broken by horses of Hook and Ladder Company 64, at No. 319 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn, April 4, 1908.						
June 30	Casualty Company of America	23 20	One light of glass broken by a horse of Mechanical Engineers, Department of Street Cleaning, at No. 1 Vesey street, Manhattan, June 27, 1908.						
June 30	H. P. Quinn & Sons	1,213 60	Material and labor furnished Bureau of Buildings and Offices, Queens, from September 24, 1906, to March 1, 1907.						
June 30	H. P. Quinn & Sons	608 00	Merchandise furnished Bureau of Buildings and Offices, Queens, from January 26, 1907, to July 22, 1907.						
June 30	Luke Carroll	7,751 00	Prevailing rate of wages, Engineer, Sheriff's Office, New York County, July 1, 1901, to April 8, 1908.						
June 30	Thomas F. Gooley	108 53	Damages for breach of contract, employee, Department of Charities, by reduction of salary from \$1,000 to \$600 per year, January 1, 1904, to June 26, 1908.						
July 1	Michael Martha	302 28	Award for Damage No. 6F, in matter of opening Steuben avenue, from Mosholu parkway to Gau Hill road, The Bronx.						
July 1	Michael Martha	302 48	Award for Damage No. 6G, in matter of opening Steuben avenue, from Mosholu parkway to Gau Hill road, The Bronx.						
July 1	Michael Martha	304 40	Award for Damage No. 6H, in matter of opening Steuben avenue, from Mosholu parkway to Gau Hill road, The Bronx.						

Date Filed.	Claimant.	Amount.	Nature of Claim.	Attorney.	Date Filed.	Claimant.	Amount.	Nature of Claim.	Attorney.
1908. July 1	Michael Murtha.....	\$105.00	Award for Damage No. 61, in matter of opening Steuben avenue, from Mosholu parkway to Gun Hill road, The Bronx.....	Stimson & Williams	1908. July 2	Hugh Rogers	\$100.00	Damages to property, No. 263 Hoyt street, by negligence of John Pierce Company, constructing Gowanus Canal improvement.....	
July 1	Michael Murtha.....	\$106.58	Award for Damage No. 61, in matter of opening Steuben avenue, from Mosholu parkway to Gun Hill road, The Bronx.....	Stimson & Williams	July 3	William P. Schmidt.....	\$1,077.00	Damages to property, Town of Hempstead, by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	
July 1	John and James Dobson.....	120.00	Carpet furnished and laid by order of President, Borough of Manhattan.....	Stimson & Williams	July 3	Henry Ultsch	\$1,000.00	Damages to property at Wantagh, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Amos R. E. Pinchot and Clifford Pinchot, executors of Jas. W. Pinchot.....	\$25,000.00	Damages to property, east side of Depew place, by the closing of Depew place, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, Manhattan.....	Merle L. St. John	July 3	Henry Ultsch	\$19,300.00	Damages to property at Wantagh, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Max Samowitz .....	.....	Damages for loss of services and moneys expended for medical treatment of his wife Hannah, by reason of personal injuries sustained January 5, 1908.....	Fried & Fried	July 3	Henry Ultsch	\$10,000.00	Damages to property at Wantagh, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Ellen McGiloway, administratrix of Neil McGiloway.....	\$20,000.00	Personal injuries sustained March 2, 1908, by falling on defective sidewalk, in front of No. 221 Bridge street, Brooklyn, resulting in the death of Neil McGiloway.....	J. Arthur Hilton	July 3	Adam Gaenger	\$1,041.66	Damages to property at Town of Hempstead, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Elizabeth Johnson	\$20,000.00	Personal injuries sustained May 22, 1908, by falling on defective sidewalk, in front of No. 132 Harrison avenue, Brooklyn.....	J. Arthur Hilton	July 3	Adam Gaenger	\$1,093.50	Damages to property at Jerusalem, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	John Cottrell	28.00	Injuries to horse, June 11, 1908, due to defective manhole cover, northeast corner Grand and Orchard streets, Manhattan.....	Edward S. Kaufman	July 3	Jacob Wissel	\$10,255.00	Damages to property at Town of Oyster Bay, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	George F. Moody.....	\$2,278.77	Award for Damage Map Nos. 1, 12, 13, 25, 28, 29, 31, 33, in the matter of opening Lawrence avenue, from Lind avenue to West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, The Bronx.....	Edward S. Kaufman	July 3	Jacob Wissel	\$207.50	Damages to property at Town of Oyster Bay, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Louis A. Leontine.....	\$1,680.50	Award for Damage Map Nos. 8, 15, 18, in the matter of opening Lawrence avenue, from Lind avenue to West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, The Bronx.....	Edward S. Kaufman	July 3	Carl Kiehner	\$9,285.23	Damages to property at Massapequa, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Peter Curran	\$140.00	Light wagon service and Driver's salary, Commissioner John V. Coggey, Department of Sewers, in 1906.	.....	July 3	Heinrich H. Hein	\$10,000.00	Damages to property at Massapequa, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
July 1	Christina Kaucher, administratrix of Chas. F. Kaucher.....	\$25,000.00	Death of Chas. F. Kaucher, due to being thrown from wagon in front of No. 346 Madison street, Manhattan, May 19, 1908.....	Sydney A. Syme	July 3	Herman Meyer	\$17,203.00	Damages to property at Fort Neck, L. I., by reason of the operation of a pumping station and infiltration system.....	Stephen M. Hoye
					July 3	Riter Conley Manufacturing Company	\$8,701.42	Materials furnished the Thos. McNally Company for the building of a portion of the Catskill Aqueduct	McElroy & Bennett

Contracts Registered for the Week Ending July 3, 1908.

No.	Date of Contract.	Department.	Borough.	Names of Contractors.	Names of Sureties.	Amount of Bond.	Description of Work.	Cost.
21373	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	M. J. Tobin.....	The Empire State Surety Company	\$500.00	For furnishing and delivering supplies (basketry and chair caning, etc.).....	Estimate, \$1,000.00
21374	May 27, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan, The Bronx and Queens.....	Frederick Prater Company	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	500.00	For furnishing and delivering materials and supplies (hardware, etc.) to the Hall of the Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan, and to various schools in the Boroughs of The Bronx and Queens.....	Estimate, 1,500.00
21375	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan.....	Adam S. Sands.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company	700.00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for De Witt Clinton High School	Total, 955.00
21376	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan.....	William Kreisberg.....	The Empire State Surety Company	900.00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 22 and 24	Total, 1,180.00
21377	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan.....	Hugh McLean.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company	700.00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 35	Total, 840.00
21378	June 10, 1908	Education.....	The Bronx.....	Wm. H. Wright & Son (Inc.)	National Surety Company	1,800.00	For sliding doors, repairs, etc., at Public School 10	Total, 3,738.00
21379	June 10, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan.....	Geo. Wilson.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company	500.00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 125	Total, 783.00
21380	June 10, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan.....	Neptune B. Smyth.....	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	2,400.00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 28, 31 and High School of Commerce	Total, 3,867.00
21381	June 12, 1908	President of the Borough of Manhattan	Manhattan.....	William Stelter.....	National Surety Company	8,000.00	For constructing sewers in Ninth avenue, between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Fifteenth streets, and between Two Hundred and Eighteenth street and Broadway, etc.....	Estimate, 17,548.75
21382	June 18, 1908	President of the Borough of Brooklyn	Brooklyn.....	Gassiger & Schaefer.....	United Surety Company	650.00	For furnishing and delivering forges	Estimate, 2,442.75
21383	Mar. 25, 1908	President of the Borough of Manhattan	Manhattan.....	John E. Quinn.....	The Bankers' Surety Company	4,000.00	For regulating and repairing with granite block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Gold street, from Maiden lane to Frankfort street, etc.....	Estimate, 14,817.50
21384	Mar. 30, 1908	President of the Borough of Manhattan	Manhattan.....	Uvabe Asphalt Paving Company	The Metropolitan Surety Company; the Empire State Surety Company	500.00	For regulating and repairing with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Manhattan place, from west side of Elm street to 70 feet north of Beale street, etc.....	Estimate, 1,887.25
21385	June 19, 1908	Docks and Ferries.....	All Boroughs.....	James Shewin & Sons.....	National Surety Company	5,000.00	For preparing for and painting the hulls of the Municipal ferryboats	Total, 9,084.00
21386	Feb. 28, 1908	Street Cleaning.....	Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.....	Ceramagh Bros. & Co.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	2,000.00	For furnishing and delivering harnessmakers' supplies	Total, 6,716.25
21387	June 18, 1908	Education.....	Brooklyn.....	A. J. McCollum.....	The Bankers' Surety Company	50,000.00	For furnishing and delivering coal	Estimate, 18,600.00
21388	June 19, 1908	Correction.....	Manhattan.....	Macleanian Brush Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,600.00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for manufacturing purposes (bristle brush, etc.)	Estimate, 5,175.00
21389	June 18, 1908	Correction.....	Manhattan.....	Edward G. Shepard.....	The Empire State Surety Company	650.00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for manufacturing purposes (mattress wire, etc.)	Estimate, 1,275.00

No.	Date of Contract.	Department.	Borough.	Names of Contractors.	Names of Sureties.	Amount of Bond.	Description of Work.	Cost.
21390	June 10, 1908	Correction.....	Manhattan....	Frederick Wall.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	3,564 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for manufacturing purposes (African hams, etc.).....	7,130 50
21391	June 18, 1908	Correction.....	Manhattan....	Peter J. Constant.....	The Empire State Surety Company.....	720 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for manufacturing purposes (twine, etc.).....	1,442 50
21392	June 19, 1908	Parks.....	Brooklyn....	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the People's Surety Company of New York.....	5,000 00	For repairing asphalt roadways of Glenmore avenue and Eastern parkway extension; also walk in Prospect Park, etc.	12,081 00
21393	June 22, 1908	Parks.....	The Bronx....	Olin J. Stephens.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	1,500 00	For furnishing and delivering coal.....	2,062 50
21394	May 27, 1908	Parks.....	Manhattan....	Schoverling, Daly & Gates	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	300 00	For furnishing and delivering playground supplies (tether halls, etc.).....	567 17
21395	June 18, 1908	Parks.....	Manhattan....	Charles Cochran.....	The Metropolitan Surety Company.....	2,500 00	For the erection and completion of a milk booth in Tompkins square, Avenue A to Avenue B, Seventh street to Tenth street.....	4,479 00
21396	June 18, 1908	Fire.....	Manhattan....	Thomas J. Buckley Construction Company.....	United Surety Company.....	9,000 00	For the erection of a new building for an engine company, at the foot of Thirty-fifth street, North River....Total, 14,063 00	14,063 00
21397	June 11, 1908	Fire.....	Manhattan....	Thomas C. Dunham (Inc.)	United Surety Company.....	470 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies (paints, etc.) for fireboat.....	945 67
21398	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	A. M. Lasser.....	National Surety Company.....	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 45....Total, 614 00	614 00
21399	June 15, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	J. M. Knopp.....	National Surety Company.....	1,200 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 26 and 69....Total, 1,915 00	1,915 00
21400	June 19, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	John C. Valentine.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company.....	2,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 11, 33 and 87....Total, 3,841 00	3,841 00
21401	Mar 29, 1908	President of the Borough of Brooklyn....	Brooklyn....	Flick-Litchfield Construction Company.....	The Title Guaranty and Surety Company; People's Surety Company of New York.....	100,000 00	For constructing relief sewers and appurtenances in DeKalb avenue, from Raymond street to South Portland avenue, etc., relief sewers, Division 2, Section 3, Gold street system.....	214,305 73
21402	May 29, 1908	President of the Borough of Brooklyn....	Brooklyn....	Flick-Litchfield Construction Company.....	National Surety Company; the Title Guaranty and Surety Company.....	75,000 00	For constructing relief sewers and appurtenances in Johnson street, from Hudson avenue to Raymond street, etc., relief sewers, Division 2, Section 2, Gold street system.....	126,602 13
21403	June 23, 1908	President of the Borough of Queens....	Queens.....	Stoiaugh-Burns Contracting Company.....	The Bankers' Surety Company.....	400 00	For reconstructing sewer and appurtenances in Fourteenth avenue, from Twenty-seventh street to Thirtieth street, Whitestone, Third Ward, etc.	1,352 50
21404	Feb 18, 1908	Street Cleaning.	Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn....	The Manhattan Supply Company.....	People's Surety Company of New York.....	3,100 00	For furnishing and delivering hardware, etc.	5,418 00
21405	April 1, 1908	Street Cleaning.	Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn....	Thos. C. Dunham (Inc.)	United Surety Company.....	3,175 00	For furnishing and delivering paints, oils, etc.	6,212 27
21406	June 19, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Adam S. Sands.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company.....	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 107....Total, 540 00	540 00
21407	June 24, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Alper & Hyams.....	National Surety Company.....	1,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 18 and 166....Total, 1,627 00	1,627 00
21408	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Neptune B. Smyth.....	American Bonding Company of Baltimore.....	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 41....Total, 866 00	866 00
21409	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	August Wille, Jr.....	The Empire State Surety Company.....	1,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 16 and 188....Total, 1,912 00	1,912 00
21410	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	August Wille, Jr.....	The Empire State Surety Company.....	600 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 92....Total, 1,197 00	1,197 00
21411	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Adam S. Sands.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company.....	1,300 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 46 and 127....Total, 2,028 00	2,028 00
21412	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Hahn & O'Reilly.....	National Surety Company.....	800 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Wadleigh High School....Total, 1,221 00	1,221 00
21413	June 24, 1908	Education.....	Richmond....	James Curran Manufacturing Company.....	American Bonding Company of Baltimore.....	1,100 00	For repairs to heating and ventilating apparatus, Public Schools 17 and 20....	2,221 00
21414	June 19, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Duncan Stewart.....	The Bankers' Surety Company.....	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 54....Total, 684 00	684 00
21415	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Neptune B. Smyth.....	American Bonding Company of Baltimore.....	1,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 165....Total, 1,874 00	1,874 00
21416	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	A. Weidner.....	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company.....	1,600 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 43, 170 and 179....	2,620 00
21417	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Griffin Roofing Company	National Surety Company.....	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 8....Total, 818 00	818 00
21418	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	W. C. Redlich.....	United Surety Company.....	2,400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 1, 25, 24 and 108, and Washington Irving High School....Total, 3,681 00	3,681 00
21419	June 17, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	J. M. Knopp.....	The Empire State Surety Company.....	1,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 184 and 186....	1,514 00
21420	June 19, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Duncan Stewart.....	The Bankers' Surety Company.....	300 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 35....Total, 484 00	484 00
21421	June 4, 1908	Education.....	Manhattan....	Abram I. Kaplan.....	American Bonding Company of Baltimore.....	800 00	For forming offices, committee rooms, etc., on the ninth floor of the Hall of the Board of Education....Total, 1,205 00	1,205 00
21422	June 17, 1908	Fire.....	Brooklyn....	Gastiger & Schaefer.....	National Surety Company.....	24,300 00	For furnishing and delivering forage.....	48,564 99
21423	June 19, 1908	Fire.....	Brooklyn....	Joseph Balaban.....	National Surety Company.....	600 00	For repairs and alterations to quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 62....	987 00
21424	June 18, 1908	Fire.....	Queens....	Gastiger & Schaefer.....	National Surety Company.....	5,320 00	For furnishing and delivering forage.....	10,620 36
21425	June 17, 1908	Fire.....	Queens....	Gastiger & Schaefer.....	National Surety Company.....	4,200 00	For furnishing and delivering forage.....	8,367 47
21426	June 6, 1908	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Manhattan....	Consolidated Gas Company of New York.....	National Surety Company.....	1,300 00	For making repairs to gas lamp-post in the Borough of Manhattan, from January 1, 1908, to December 31, 1908, both inclusive.....	34,000 00
21427	June 6, 1908	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	The Bronx....	Consolidated Gas Company of New York.....	National Surety Company.....	1,325 00	For making certain repairs to gas lamp-posts in the Borough of The Bronx, from January 1, 1908, to December 31, 1908, both inclusive.....	34,000 00
21428	June 28, 1908	President of the Borough of Manhattan....	Manhattan....	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons	National Surety Company.....	200 00	For furnishing and delivering lumber.....	317 84
21429	June 18, 1908	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Richmond....	New York and Richmond Gas Company.....	The Aetna Indemnity Company	750 00	For furnishing gas for lighting, and for setting lamp-posts, etc., in the Borough of Richmond, from January 1, 1908, to December 31, 1908, both inclusive.....	3,005 00

Approval of Sureties for the Week Ending July 3, 1908.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

June 30, 1908—For regulating, etc., Carroll street—For the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

James Quinn, Jr., No. 36 Kenmore place, Principal.

Bankers' Surety Company, of Cleveland, O.; New York office, No. 27 Liberty street, Surety.

June 30, 1908—For furnishing paints, oils, etc., Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—For the Fire Department.

Thos. C. Dunham, Inc., No. 68 Murray street, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

June 30, 1908—For furnishing bronze grills, castings, plates, etc., to the Williamsburg Bridge, The City of New York—For the Department of Bridges.

New Jersey Foundry and Machine Company, No. 50 West street, Principal.

The Title Guaranty and Surety Company, No. 84 William street, Surety.

June 30, 1908—For supplies for Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau (Classes A, B and D), Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—For the Fire Department.

Standard Underground Cable Company, No. 56 Liberty street, Principal.

Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 2 Rector street, Surety.

June 30, 1908—For furnishing supplies for Telegraph Bureau, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—For the Fire Department.

Frederick Pearce Company, No. 18 Rose street, Principal.

American Bonding Company of Baltimore, No. 32 Nassau street, Surety.

June 30, 1908—For supplies for Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, Borough of Manhattan—For the Fire Department.

Poste, Pierson Company, No. 160 Duane street, Principal.

American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Surety.

June 30, 1908—For furnishing electrical supplies, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—For the Fire Department.

Western Electric Company, No. 463 West street, Principal.

American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For the electrical equipment of the University Heights Bridge, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—For the Department of Bridges.

The Spiro Company, No. 114 East Fourteenth street, Principal.

The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 66 Liberty street, New York, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For furnishing coal, Borough of Queens—For the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Rudolph Reimer, No. 284 Atlantic avenue, Principal.

The Empire State Surety Company, No. 34 Pine street, New York.

People's Surety Company of New York, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn, Sureties.

July 1, 1908—For building new ferry house at the foot of Whitehall street, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Docks and Ferries.

The Snare and Triest Company, No. 143 Liberty street, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the Metropolitan Surety Company, No. 38 Park row, New York; Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company, Nos. 27 and 29 Pine street, Sureties.

July 1, 1908—For furnishing coal tar, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Parks.

Barrett Manufacturing Company, No. 37 Battery place, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For furnishing playground supplies, The City of New York—For the Department of Parks.

Schoverling, Daly & Gales, No. 302 Broadway, Principal.

Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 2 Rector street, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For furnishing hay, oats, etc., Borough of The Bronx—For the Department of Street Cleaning.

P. Lenane & Bro., No. 308 West street, Principal.

Bankers' Surety Company, of Cleveland, O.; New York office, No. 27 Liberty street, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For furnishing forage, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Street Cleaning.

P. Lenane & Bro., No. 308 West street, Principal.

Bankers' Surety Company, of Cleveland, O.; New York office, No. 27 Liberty street, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For alterations, etc., in Public Schools 60, 61, 63 and 65, Borough of Queens—For the Department of Education.

Jacob Lopko, No. 832 Quincy street, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

July 1, 1908—For furnishing broken stone, etc.—For the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Manhattan Trap Rock Company, No. 30 Church street, Principal.

The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 66 Liberty street, New York, Surety.

Opening of Proposals for the Week Ending July 4, 1908.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

June 29, 1908—For improvements in the Wadleigh High School and thirty-two other schools, Borough of Manhattan; for repairs, etc., to Public School 42 and nine other schools, Borough of The Bronx; for heating and ventilating plant in Public School 158; for electrical equipment in Public School 93, and furniture, etc., for the new office and storage building, Borough of Brooklyn; for repairing furniture in various schools; for alterations in Public School 72 and in seven other schools, Borough of Queens—For the Department of Education.

June 29, 1908—For furnishing hardware, paints, etc., Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Correction.

June 29, 1908—For repairing asphalt pavement, various streets, etc., Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Docks and Ferries.

June 30, 1908—For medical and surgical supplies; for furnishing one safe and three pianos, The City of New York—For the Department of Public Charities.

June 30, 1908—For furnishing stationery and office supplies, The City of New York—For the Department of Docks and Ferries.

July 1, 1908—For paving with asphalt Smith street, from Fulton street to Atlantic avenue; for laying crosswalks, grading lots, etc., various places, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough.

July 2, 1908—For painting iron railing along the Harlem River driveway; for limestone screenings, crude oil, beef, forage and coal, Borough of Manhattan; for improvements to the eastern extension to the Bronx Park, etc., Borough of The Bronx—For the Department of Parks.

July 2, 1908—For furnishing 10,000 gallons of naphtha to the Brooklyn Bridge, The City of New York—For the Department of Bridges.

July 3, 1908—For supplying 12,000 copies of the "Manual of Rules and Regulations," The City of New York—For the Police Department.

Official Designation

John H. McCooey, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller, from Wednesday, July 1, 1908, to Wednesday, September 30, 1908, both days inclusive.

Ed. O'H. Jervis, Clerk, to sign the Comptroller's name, with his initials immediately following such signature, indicating that the signature was made by him, to warrants drawn upon the City Chamberlain, from Thursday, July 2, 1908, to Tuesday, September 1, 1908, both days inclusive.

J. H. McCOOEY, Deputy Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending July 11, 1908:

Deposited in the City Treasury	\$862,080 23
To the credit of the City Treasury	419,414 57
To the credit of the Sinking Funds	15,056 73

Total \$1,281,550 79

Warrants Registered for Payment

Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants	\$740,441 57
Special and Trust Accounts, "B" Warrants	1,534,471 23
Additional Water Fund, "C" Warrants	15,056 73

Total \$2,290,569 53

Stock Issued

Three per cent. Stock \$45,000 00

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

Court.	Title of Action.	Amount.	Subject Matter.	Attorney.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 6, 1908, directing payment of award to Kaefleie Grass.	J. E. Coffin.
Supreme, Richmond.	Chas. Mayer	77,315 73	Transcript of judgment entered November 6, 1907.	Holt & Gaillard.
Supreme, Richmond.	Chas. Mayer	92 20	Transcript of judgment entered July 1, 1908.	Holt & Gaillard.
Supreme, Queens.	Albert street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 2, 1908, directing payment of award to Louis A. Steinberg.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Albert street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 2, 1908, directing payment of award to Joseph Gelab.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Albert street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Gustav Harn.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Albert street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to August Kosik.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Albert street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Sophie Leder.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Perry street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Wm. Brudie.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Perry street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Joseph Dunn.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Fallop street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Amanda L. Burges.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Lathrop street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Philip Dammen.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Queens.	Hear street, Queens.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 7, 1908, directing payment of award to Wm. H. McFall.	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Kings.	Thos. J. Murphy vs. City of New York	.....	Certified copy of order entered May 16, 1908, substituting Thos. E. Bush, attorney.	T. E. Bush.
Municipal, Brooklyn.	Martha A. O'Neill	328 47	Transcript of judgment entered June 20, 1908.	Mason & Jones.
Supreme, Kings.	Chas. Kinkel	.....	Copy of mandamus directing payment to be certified.	A. J. Tally.
Supreme, Kings.	Julia O'Brien	.....	Copy of affidavit, notice of action.	C. S. Atwood.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	Coster street	.....	Copy of petition, order, etc., directing payment of award to J. S. Pies.	Philbin, Beckman & Menken.
Supreme, Kings.	Chas. W. Slawey	.....	Copy of order entered July 2, 1908, substituting Mary A. Slawey, administratrix, as plaintiff.	J. A. Weisberg.
Supreme, Kings.	Matthew Cullen	.....	Copy of order substituting Thos. E. Bush, attorney.	T. E. Bush.
Supreme, Queens.	Kissens Park Corporation	.....	Notice of tender.	Strawn & Anderson.
Supreme, Queens.	Queens Borough Corporation	.....	Notice of tender.	Strawn & Anderson.
Supreme, Queens.	Frederick G. Randall	.....	Notice of tender.	Strawn & Anderson.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	Lawler Brothers' Construction Company	11,000 46	Transcript of judgment entered July 3, 1908.	J. W. Browne.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	Louise D'Aspe	400 40	Transcript of judgment entered June 25, 1908.	Nathan & Levencott.
Supreme, Richmond.	Roderick MacL. Cameron	.....	Certified copy of order entered June 12, 1908, reducing assessments for tax.	W. A. Shortt.
Supreme, Richmond.	Roderick MacL. Cameron	589 84	Certified copy of judgment entered June 15, 1908.	W. A. Shortt.

Court.	Title of Action.	Amount.	Subject Matter.	Attorney.	Date Filed.	Claimant.	Amount.	Nature of Claim.	Attorney.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 6, 1908, directing payment of award to Margaret Crawford.	J. A. Flannery.	1908, July 8	Pauline Rosenblum.	10,000 00	Personal injuries sustained April 17, 1908, while on a car on Flushing avenue, at Morell street, Brooklyn, in collision with a wagon.	Hirsch & Rasquin.
Appellate Division.	One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Twelfth streets.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 8, 1908, directing payment of award to Richard J. Stratton.	E. W. Murphy.	July 8	Rebecca Rosenblum.	5,000 00	Personal injuries sustained by infant daughter Pauline, April 17, 1908, while on a car on Flushing avenue, at Morell street, Brooklyn, in collision with a wagon.	Hirsch & Rasquin.
Supreme, Queens.	Hiram D. Messenger.	.....	Copy of petition, notice of motion, re cancellation of tax certificates.	H. D. Messenger.	July 8	Phillip Silverman.	.....	Personal injuries sustained July 3, 1908, by being run over by Department of Street Cleaning cart, in Seward Park, Manhattan.	Henry Lich.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	Herman H. Tschorg.	.....	Copy of petition, notice of motion, for writ of mandamus.	Magner & Carew.	July 8	August Herz.	5,000 00	Personal injuries sustained January 25, 1908, by falling on the icy sidewalk on Saratoga avenue, near Sumpter street, Brooklyn.	R. Gordon Mackay.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	J. J. Gaffney and others.	12 00	Bill of costs, re order.	Chas. W. Lefler.	July 8	T. W. Cornish.	.....	Award for Damage No. 14, in the matter of Ashokan Reservoir, Town of Olive, Ulster County, N. Y.	A. C. & F. W. Hottenroth.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	Barrett Manufacturing Company.	904.26	Transcript of judgment entered June 13, 1908.	Niles & Johnson.	July 8	Elmer E. and Katharine Fingarr.	.....	Damages to Lot No. 36, Block 6408, Thirtieth Ward, Brooklyn, by the closing of De Bruyn's land.	A. C. & F. W. Hottenroth.
Municipal, Manhattan.	Sophie Ulkins.	173.91	Transcript of judgment entered June 10, 1908.	P. H. Delehanty.	July 8	John J. McKenney.	51.87	Wages during forced absence due to injury while employed in the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, March 13, 1908, to April 5, 1908, 2034 days, at \$2.50.	Harris & Towne.
Supreme, Kings.	Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.	.....	Notice of motion to confirm report.	E. K. Pendleton.	July 8	The Rossiter Realty Company.	174,470 00	Amount due under contract of February 18, 1908, and supplemental agreements for purchase of Nos. 125 to 141 Centre street and Nos. 105 to 109 Walker street, Manhattan.	Merie L. St. John.
Supreme, Kings.	Ralph avenue, Brooklyn.	.....	Notice of motion to confirm report.	E. K. Pendleton.	July 9	J. Frederick Kernochan, trustee, and Harriett R. McKim.	20,000 00	Damages to property on Forty-second and Forty-third streets and Depew place, Manhattan, by the closing of Depew place, Manhattan.	Martin T. Manton.
City Court.	Carl Weiss.	.....	Copy of affidavit, notice of motion for order vacating third party order.	H. L. Kringel.	July 9	Philippine Kalff.	15,000 00	Personal injuries sustained May 25, 1908, by falling on a pile of dirt on Fulton street, near Fulton Ferry, Brooklyn.	Niles & Johnson.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	Alrick H. Man and another.	.....	Certified copy of order entered July 3, 1908, reducing assessment, 1904.	Creevy & Rogers.	July 9	Erie Gutner.	22.50	Damages to dress by coming in contact with a freshly painted lamp post.	John T. Manton.
Supreme, N. Y. Co.	G. M. Schaefer.	250.00	Copy of judgment entered July 11, 1908.	P. H. Delehanty.	July 9	Arnold Bier, guardian.	5,000 00	Personal injuries sustained April 15, 1908, by his son Edward being run over by a Department of Street Cleaning cart at Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, The Bronx.	John T. Manton.
					July 9	Arnold Bier.	350 00	Mental care and attention of son Edward injured, April 15, 1908, by being run over by a Department of Street Cleaning cart at Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, The Bronx.	John T. Manton.
					July 9	New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.	5,000 00	Damages on account of the unlawful removal of tracks, etc., on Twelfth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, Manhattan, between January 2, 1908, and July 2, 1908.	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Pasquale Santoverno.	5 00	Damages to pushcart, July 6, 1908, in Fortieth street, Manhattan, by Department of Street Cleaning cart No. 188.	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Samuel A. Krulewitz, assignee.	375 00	Rent of No. 71 Canal street, Manhattan, March 1 to August 1, 1908, at \$75 per month (hired from owner, Isaac Schreier).	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Barrett Manufacturing Company.	37.75	Seventy-seven barrels in which tarvia was delivered in May and June, 1908, not returned.	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Edward Donahue.	621.86	Presailing rate of wages, Stoker, Charities, Brooklyn, November 28, 1900, to November 29, 1903.	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Annie Tortorici.	.....	Personal injuries sustained March 21, 1908, by falling over an obstruction in sidewalk in front of Nos. 409 and 411 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Salvatore M. Tortorici.	.....	Personal injuries sustained by his wife Anna, March 21, 1908, by falling over an obstruction in sidewalk in front of Nos. 409 and 411 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.	John T. Manton.
					July 10	Henry Morgenthau Company.	72,965 00	Award for Damage No. 1, in the matter of West One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Broadway to Riverside drive, Manhattan.	Joseph A. Flannery.

Contracts Registered for the Week Ending July 11, 1908.

No.	Date of Contract.	Department.	Borough.	Names of Contractors.	Names of Sureties.	Amount of Bond.	Description of Work.	Cost.
2140	June 19, 1908	Fire.	Brooklyn and Queens.	Peter J. Constant.	People's Surety Company of New York.	\$370 00	For furnishing and delivering bed blankets, etc. Total.	\$1,735 51
2141	June 19, 1908	Street Cleaning.	Manhattan, The Bronx, and Brooklyn.	J. Edward Ogden Company.	The Metropolitan Surety Company.	3,810 00	For furnishing and delivering manila rope.	7,607 34
2142	July 1, 1908	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn.	James Quinn, Jr.	The Bankers' Surety Company.	3,000 00	For regulating, grading, setting cement curb and laying cement sidewalks on Carroll street, from Rogers avenue to Nostrand avenue, etc.	4,807 10
2143	June 24, 1908	The Commission of the Common Land Fund of the late Town of Gravesend.	Brooklyn.	J. J. Guinan.	The Metropolitan Surety Company.	300 00	For grading to an elevation above mean high water the roadway of Shell road, between Avenue X and Canal avenue, in Thirty-first Ward.	3,800 00
2144	June 24, 1908	Works and Services.	Ridgewood.	Walker & Flannigan.	National Surety Company.	4,800 00	For furnishing horses, with harness and drivers, for carrying coal to and removing ashes from the Municipal Ferryboats.	5,800 00

No.	Date of Contract	Department	Borough	Names of Contractors	Names of Sureties	Amount of Bond	Description of Work	Cost
21425	June 24, 1908	Docks and Ferries	Brooklyn	John Traynor	The Metropolitan Surety Company	1,600 00	For furnishing horses, with harness and drivers, for carting coal to and removing ashes from the Municipal incinerators	1,625 00
21430	June 4, 1908	Education	Manhattan	Neptune B. Smyth	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	1,600 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 17, 18, 19, and 20	1,232 00
21432	June 4, 1908	Education	Manhattan	J. M. Knapp	The Empire State Surety Company	2,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public Schools 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	3,352 00
21433	June 4, 1908	Education	Manhattan	Charles Schultz	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 22	645 00
21434	June 4, 1908	Education	Manhattan	W. C. Reddick	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	1,600 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 7 and 14	2,269 00
21435	June 4, 1908	Education	Manhattan	August Wille, Jr.	The Empire State Surety Company	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 92	632 00
21436	June 4, 1908	Education	Manhattan	Duncan Stewart	The Bankers' Surety Company	600 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 72	1,024 00
21437	June 17, 1908	Education	Manhattan	John C. Valentine	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., for Public School 42	1,074 00
21438	June 17, 1908	Board of Water Supply	Phoenix Construction Company				For modification of contract entered into on March 1, 1906, for test borings in the channel and along the shores of the Hudson River at or near Storm King, New York	25,000 00

Approval of Sureties for the Week Ending July 11, 1908.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.: July 7, 1908—For repairs to brick and pipe sewers—For the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Benjamin J. Tuite, No. 1177 Third avenue, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1908—For disinterring bodies—For the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

P. J. Kane, No. 735 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1908—For printing, etc., "Manual of Rules and Regulations"—For the Police Department.

The J. W. Pratt Company, No. 52 Duane street, Principal.

The Title Guaranty and Surety Company, No. 84 William street, Surety.

July 7, 1908—For furnishing tar oil—For the President of the Borough of Queens.

Barrett Manufacturing Company, No. 17 Battery place, Principal.

National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

Opening of Proposals for the Week Ending July 11, 1908.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

BOARD OF HEALTH.

New York, July 16, 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.

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 Kingston Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file.

Third—Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at No. 2303 Eighth avenue, No. 157 West Forty-sixth street, No. 547 West Fifty-first street (rear), No. 174 East One Hundred and Fifth street, Borough of Manhattan; No. 442 Baltic street, No. 132 Boerum street, No. 330 Classon avenue, No. 509 Gates avenue, No. 1922 Prospect place and No. 1024 Rogers avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 2303 Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 2303 Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 157 West Forty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 157 West Forty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 547 West Fifty-first street (rear), in the Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 547 West Fifty-first street (rear), in the Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 174 East One Hundred and Fifth street (front), in the Borough

July 6, 1908—For improvements in the Erasmus Hall High School, and 53 other schools, Borough of Brooklyn. For new fireproof main stairs in Public Schools 15, 16, 34, 41, 45 and 56; for the electrical equipment in Public School 81, Borough of Manhattan; for alterations, etc., in Public School 72 and 16 other schools, Borough of Queens—For the Department of Education.

July 7, 1908—For general improvements to the armories of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Forty-seventh Regiments and Squadron "C," Borough of Brooklyn; for alterations, etc., to the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, Borough of Manhattan—For the Armory Board.

July 7, 1908—For special and general supplies for the repair shops, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—For the Fire Department.

July 8, 1908—For furnishing and delivering 9,275 tons of coal, Borough of Manhattan—For the Trustees of the College of The City of New York.

July 8, 1908—For laying, etc., water mains in First avenue; for supplies of double nozzle hydrants; for repairing artificial stone sidewalks and curbing, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—For the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

July 9, 1908—For 70,000 asphalt blocks for Riverside drive, Borough of Manhattan; for furnishing forage, Borough of The Bronx; for supplies of top soil and garden mould, Borough of Brooklyn—For the Department of Parks.

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of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 174 East One Hundred and Fifth street (front), in the Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 442 Baltic street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 442 Baltic street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 132 Boerum street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 132 Boerum street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 330 Classon avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 330 Classon avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 509 Gates avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 509 Gates avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 1908, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 1022 Prospect place, 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. 1022 Prospect place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 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 sickness among its occupants.

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

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 1024 Rogers avenue (front), 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. 1024 Rogers avenue (front), in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before July 23, 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 sickness among its occupants.

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

Fourth—Certificates declaring premises at No. 106 Guernsey street, Nos. 618 to 624 Kent avenue, Nos. 410, 412 and 414 Marcy avenue, No. 1024 Rogers avenue (rear), No. 83 Ninth street, Borough of Brooklyn, public nuisances.

On motion, the following orders were entered:

Whereas, The premises No. 106 Guernsey street, 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 floor of the stable be made watertight, and that the horse stalls be provided with a properly trapped, sewer connected valley drain.

That the interior of the horse stalls be thoroughly cleaned and whitewashed, and that all manure be removed therefrom. That hereafter all manure be kept inside the stable and removed from the premises daily unless pressed in bales, barrels, or boxes so as to reduce it to not more than one-third the original bulk.

Whereas, The premises Nos. 618 to 624 Kent 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 the premises in its present condition be discontinued.

Whereas, The premises Nos. 410, 412 and 414 Marcy 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 floor of the stable be made watertight, and that the horse stalls be provided with a valley drain, properly trapped, and connected with a sewer connected drain.

That the vacant lots adjoining the stable be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected, and that all filthy paper, garbage and manure be removed therefrom. That hereafter all manure be kept inside the stable and removed from the premises daily unless pressed in bales, barrels or boxes so as to reduce it to not more than one-third the original bulk.

That a rain leader, properly trapped at its base, and sewer-connected, be provided from the roof of stable.

Whereas, The premises No. 1024 Rogers avenue (rear), 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 all manure and other filth be removed from the stable, and its use as a stable discontinued; that the premises be properly connected with the sewer in the street.

Whereas, The premises No. 83 Ninth street, 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 stable floor be made watertight, and that the horse stalls be provided with a valley drain, properly trapped and connected with drain discharging into canal below low water mark.

Fifth—Reports on applications for permits.

On motion it was

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

30570. Chas. Collins Company, to slaughter poultry, Nos. 52 and 54 Jay street.

30571. Marables & Radin, to conduct poultry slaughter house at No. 179 South street.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

Dividing 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 reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendents 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.

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

The application of Beekman Hill Poultry Company for the approval of the site No. 1153 First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the location of a poultry slaughter house was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent it was

Resolved, That the application of Beekman Hill Poultry Company for the approval of the site No. 1153 First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the location of a poultry slaughter house be and the same is hereby denied.

The application of Charles Collins Company for a permit to keep and slaughter poultry at Nos. 52 and 54 Jay street, Borough of Manhattan, 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 Charles Collins Company to keep and slaughter poultry at Nos. 52 and 54 Jay street, Borough of Manhattan.

The application of Margoles & Radin for a permit to keep and slaughter poultry at No. 179 South street, Borough of Manhattan, 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 Margoles & Radin to keep and slaughter poultry at No. 179 South street, Borough of Manhattan.

The application of Elias Wolowitz for the approval of the plans and specifications for the erection of a poultry slaughter house on the site on the south side of Johnson avenue, beginning 225 feet west of Bogart street, and extending 25 feet west, Borough of Brooklyn, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent it was

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for the erection of a poultry slaughter house on the site on the south side of Johnson avenue, beginning 225 feet west of Bogart street and extending 25 feet west, Borough of Brooklyn, submitted by Elias Wolowitz, be and the same are hereby approved.

The application of Charles H. Dahl for the approval of the plans and specifications for a new stable to be located on the southwest corner of Jerome street and Vienna avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent it was

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for a cow stable to be located on the southwest corner of Jerome street and Vienna avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, submitted by Charles H. Dahl, be and the same are hereby approved.

The application of Hersch Goldberg for the approval of the plans and specifications for a cow stable to be located on the south side of Walling street, 12387 feet east of Northern boulevard, Glendale Park, Borough of Queens, was received, and on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent it was

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for a cow stable to be located on the south side of Walling street, 12387 feet east of Northern boulevard, Glendale Park, Borough of Queens, submitted by Hersch Goldberg, be and the same are hereby approved.

The application of Abraham W. Jersawitz for the approval of the site on the south side of East One Hundred and Fourth street, 200 feet from the East river, Borough of Manhattan, 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 south side of East One Hundred and Fourth street, 200 feet from the East River, Borough of Manhattan, upon which Abraham W. Jersawitz proposes to locate a poultry slaughter house, be and the same is hereby approved, to take effect as of June 30, 1908.

The application of Charles H. Dahl for the approval of the site on the southwest corner of Jerome street and Vienna avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the location of a cow stable, was received, and, on recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That the site on the southwest corner of Jerome street and Vienna avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, upon which Charles H. Dahl proposes to locate a cow stable, be and the same is hereby approved.

Reports of the commencement of the preventive hydrophobia treatment in the cases of

Cornelius Collins, No. 228 West Tenth street, Manhattan;

Michael Loretano, No. 55 Oak street, Manhattan;

Henry Miller, No. 228 Kingsland avenue, Brooklyn;

Alice Bardewyk, No. 8619 Nineteenth avenue, Brooklyn;

William Lehman, No. 523 Knickerbocker avenue, Brooklyn;

Blaine McCrea, No. 69 Beck avenue, Mariners Harbor, Staten Island;

John Green, No. 159 Bay street, Stapleton, Staten Island;

were received and approved and ordered on file.

Reports of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to

Dr. A. T. Leonard, No. 266 Laundry avenue, Tonawanda, N. Y.;

Dr. H. Neefic, Freehold, N. J.;

Dr. C. R. Reagan, North Tonawanda, N. Y.;

Dr. C. D. Morris, No. 112 Le Roy street, Binghamton, N. Y.;

Cleveland Board of Health, Cleveland, O.;

Dr. J. C. Reinhardt, No. 1510 Broadway, Toledo, O. (two cases);

at a charge of \$25 for each case, were received and approved and ordered on file.

Report of the preventive hydrophobia treatment sent to the Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, R. I. at a charge of \$20, as per resolution of the Board dated February 19, 1908, was received and approved and ordered on file.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That owing to the fact that only part of the preventive hydrophobia treatment was given in the case of Dr. L. A. Saxon, Syracuse, N. Y., the charge for same be and is hereby fixed at \$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.

Sam Silverman,
Hannah Nadel,
Charles Finkelstein,
Emanuel Ratkowsky,
Fannie Finkelstein,
Rose Leiseck,

Aaron Fischer,
Sam Shapiro,
Scheine (Sarah) Gottlieb,
Charles Stieglitz,
Henry D. Robles,
Abraham Shapiro.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Aaron Jacobowitz,
Joseph Gotschlog,
Milton Schuman,
Alexander Zemsky,
William Feitelberg,
Joseph Glanzruk,
Max Dillman,
Charles Perkins,
Merlin Martin,

Ida Schneider,
Thomas Brecheney,
Anna Gross,
Concetta Miccini,
Selma Christiansen,
Esther Petrie,
John Baschnitz,
Max Hammer,

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Mollie Levy,
David Cohn,
Reuben Belsky,
Magdalena Czepli,

Samuel Schulman,
Maurice Stember,
Rose Friedman.

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.

Tobias Friedlander, born October 10, 1895.

Louis Wartzel, born April 15, 1893.

Charles Mund, born March 27, 1893.

Bessie Steinhouse, born August 4, 1894.

Communications recommending and nominating the following named Physicians on the staffs of the various hospitals mentioned for appointment to the position of Ambulance Surgeon in the respective hospitals were received, and, on recommendation of H. Beeckman Delatour, M. D., Surgeon-in-Chief of the Ambulance Service, it was

Resolved, That Albert M. Bell, M. D., be and is hereby appointed an Ambulance Surgeon to serve at the Methodist Episcopal Hospital, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of twelve months commencing August 1, 1908, without compensation.

Resolved, That William H. McGuire, M. D., be and is hereby appointed an Ambulance Surgeon, to serve at the Norwegian Hospital, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one month commencing July 15, 1908, without compensation.

A communication was received from the President of the Borough of Queens stating that Benjamin W. Whitney, a Laborer in the Department of Health, had been assigned to a similar position in the Department of the President of the Borough of Queens, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That Benjamin W. Whitney, a Laborer in the Department of Health, assigned to duty under the Assistant Chief Clerk, Borough of Queens, be and is hereby transferred to a similar position in the Department of the President of the Borough of Queens, to take effect July 7, 1908.

A report of the transfer of Joseph G. Hirons, M. D., a Medical Inspector, from the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, to the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of The Bronx, to take effect July 10, 1908, was received and approved and ordered on file.

A report of the transfer of Moses Mintz, M. D., a Medical Inspector, from the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, to the Bureau of Records, Borough of Manhattan, to take effect July 6, 1908, was received and approved and ordered on file.

A report of the transfer of Marcella V. McGloin, a Stenographer and Typewriter, from the Division of Inspections, Borough of Manhattan, to the office of the Assistant Chief Clerk, Borough of Manhattan, to take effect July 20, 1908, was received and approved and ordered on file.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of Marcella V. McGloin, a Stenographer and Typewriter in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the office of the Assistant Chief Clerk, Borough of Manhattan, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of \$750 per annum, in accordance with the rules and classification of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, to take effect August 1, 1908.

A communication was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission approving of the reinstatement of Charles H. Chave in the position of Lay Sanitary Inspector in the Department of Health, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That Charles H. Chave, of No. 663 Crotona Park North, Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby reinstated in the position of Lay Sanitary Inspector in the Department of Health, and assigned to duty in the Division of Inspections, Borough of Queens, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, pursuant to the rules and classification of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, to date from and after July 11, 1908.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Rebecca Sylvia Eisenberg, of No. 115 West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, be and is hereby appointed a Stenographer and Typewriter in the Department of Health, 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 July 14, 1908.

Resolved, That Esther Rosencrantz, of No. 29 East Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, be and is hereby appointed an Assistant Attending Physician at the clinic for the treatment of communicable pulmonary diseases, Borough of Manhattan, with salary at the rate of \$300 in accordance with the rules and classification of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, to take effect July 18, 1908.

The application of Rhoda Chase, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 23 to August 5, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Rhoda Chase, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 23 to August 5, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Cora Upham, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, for leave of absence from July 14 to September 12, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Cora Upham, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, from July 14 to September 12, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Emma Oliney, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 10 to July 31, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Emma Oliney, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the

Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, from July 10 to July 31, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Anna E. Dwyer, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 21 to August 3, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Anna E. Dwyer, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 21 to August 3, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Marjory Evans, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 13 to July 19, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Marjory Evans, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 13 to July 19, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Kathryn O'Connor, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence without pay, from July 13 to July 19, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Kathryn O'Connor, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 13 to July 19, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Frances Gallivan, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 24 to July 31, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Frances Gallivan, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 24 to July 31, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Annabel Kirk, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 24 to July 31, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Annabel Kirk, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 24 to July 31, 1908, inclusive.

The application of Dora M. Fuller, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for leave of absence, without pay, from July 23 to August 5, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to Dora M. Fuller, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, from July 23 to August 5, 1908, inclusive.

The application of A. C. McGuire, M. D., a Medical Inspector in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, for leave of absence, without pay, from August 3 to August 15, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to A. C. McGuire, M. D., a Medical Inspector in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, from August 3 to August 15, 1908, inclusive.

The application of A. A. Wolfe, M. D., a Medical Inspector in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, for leave of absence, without pay, from August 24 to September 5, 1908, inclusive, was received, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence, without pay, be and is hereby granted to A. A. Wolfe, M. D., a Medical Inspector in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, from August 24 to September 5, 1908, inclusive.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the services of Samuel Sperling, a Disinfecter in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn, be and are hereby dispensed with, owing to the necessary reduction of the force of Disinfectors 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 July 21, 1908.

The resignation of Carola J. Douglas, a Nurse in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Manhattan, was received and accepted, to take effect July 4, 1908.

The resignation of Mary Purdy, a Cleaner in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Borough of Manhattan, was received and accepted, to take effect July 8, 1908.

The resignation of Ettore O. Nesti, a Laborer in the employ of the Department of Health, assigned to duty in the Borough of Richmond, was received and accepted, to take effect June 1, 1908.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

TRANSACTIONS FROM MARCH 16 TO MARCH 21, 1908, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE

New York, March 16, 1908.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Bureau of Buildings—Transmitting report of inspector in regard to premises No. 215 Canal street.

From Office of the Commissioners of Accounts—Introducing Mr. Wanzer, and requesting that he be given a letter for the purpose of visiting various companies in connection with apparatus, supplies, etc.

From New York Telephone Company—Concerning the connection of eight supplementary wires in connection with 640 Plaza. Reply communicated.

From Mr. J. Finnerly—Requesting information concerning one John K. Smith. Reply communicated.

From David S. Thomas—Relative to his fire escape.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Concerning fire alarm signals for high pressure service. Reply communicated.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 50—Reporting the loss of alarm box key No. 474 C and house key, by Fireman first grade Owen Smith No. 2, a member of said company. Usual fine imposed.

From Medical Officers—

1. Reporting sickness of driver Burns, of the telegraph bureau.

2. Stating that they have ordered hostler James Hines to report for duty.

From Superintendent of Buildings—Making requisition for receipt books for drivers of wagons. Requisition made.

Referred.

From Police Department—

1. Requesting inspection of the following premises: Garrick Theatre, Criterion Theatre, Empire Theatre, Broadway Theatre, Lyceum Theatre, Carnegie Hall, Grand Theatre, Savoy Theatre, Liberty Theatre, Hudson Theatre, New Amsterdam Theatre, Terrace Garden. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

2. Forwarding complaint that the stairways of the Salvation Army Hotel, Chatham Square, are locked all night. To Chief of Department.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Stating that a permit has been issued to the department of street cleaning for the use of hydrants in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, to obtain water for street flushing. To Chief of Department.

From Department of Docks and Ferries—Relative to changing of location of cable to Blackwells Island. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From Bureau of Buildings—Forwarding anonymous complaint relative to the use of explosives in connection with the cleaning and dyeing establishment at No. 370 Eighth avenue. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Bureau of Licenses—Requesting inspection of premises No. 133 Essex street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Lawrence Veiller—Relative to premises Nos. 541 to 545 West Forty-ninth street. To Chief of Department.

From Sicks & Nutting Company—Relative to their application for permission to store ammunition in premises No. 35 Barclay street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Empire City Subway Company, Limited—Stating that the sheath on cable belonging to this department in manhole on front of premises No. 229 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street is cracked. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From the Realty Records Company—Requesting a list of fires that have taken place since March 1, 1907, in the borough of The Bronx. To Fire Marshal.

From New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Relative to sprinkler equipment in basement of premises Nos. 31 and 33 East Tenth street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From R. Wiesenber—Relative to dangerous condition of shanty in rear of premises Nos. 161 and 163 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect premises Nos. 507 to 511 West Twenty-sixth street with fire alarm box 413. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From Sam Schneier—Stating that scenery of moving picture house on Houston street on the west side of Clinton street has been made fireproof. To Bureau of Combustibles. Copy forwarded to Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From M. A. Frank Company—Requesting an extension of time in which to install perforated pipe system in sub-basement of premises No. 535 Broadway. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Texas Fire Prevention Association—Requesting a copy of the laws, ordinances and regulations governing the manufacture, storage, sale and use of explosives and combustibles. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Chief of the Twenty-fifth Battalion—Reporting result of inspection of certain buildings in said battalion district. To Bureau of Combustibles. Copy forwarded to Fire Marshal.

From Chief of Fifteenth Battalion—Reporting relative to conditions existing at premises No. 210 White Plains road, proposed to be used for laundry purposes. To Fire Marshal. New York Board of Fire Underwriters notified.

From Foreman, Engine Company 36—Recommending the installation of certain auxiliary fire appliances in premises No. 2076 Fifth avenue. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Engine Company 38—Reporting relative to dangerous condition of premises Nos. 478 and 480 West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Engine Company 60—Reporting chimney fire on the 10th inst. at premises No. 520 East One Hundred and Forty-second street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 65—Reporting chimney fire on the 10th inst. at premises No. 13 West Forty-ninth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 67—Reporting relative to conditions of fire extinguishers in Public School 52. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 15—Recommending the installation of perforated pipes in premises No. 65 Front street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 22—Reporting that doors on dumb-waiter shafts in premises No. 741 Columbus avenue and No. 725 Amsterdam avenue are not self-closing. To Fire Marshal.

From Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 25—Reporting relative to suspicious fire in premises Nos. 131 and 133 East Fourth street on February 25, 1908. To Fire Marshal.

New York, March 17, 1908.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From City Record—Forwarding affidavits of publication of advertisements inviting proposals for furnishing miscellaneous supplies for fireboats. Bids not accepted on account of death of Fire Commissioner.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Concerning permit to street cleaning department for flushing streets. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Department of Docks and Ferries—Stating that repairs have been ordered to fireboat landing. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Department of Health—Stating that complaint against premises No. 2175 Third avenue has been rescinded.

From Department of Labor—Acknowledging receipt of complaint against premises Nos. 26 to 34 West Seventeenth street.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding report of inspection of school building located at corner of Eighty-fifth street and Madison avenue, with recommendation. Copy forwarded to Board of Education.

From Foreman, Engine Company 22—Reporting loss of fire key by a fireman of said company. Usual fine imposed.

From Inspector of Combustibles—Recommending that attention of Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties be called to violation at premises No. 54 Lafayette street and No. 27 Houston street. Approved and copy forwarded to Bureau for the recovery of penalties.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—

1. Reporting that a reinspection shows the requirements of this department have been complied with in premises Nos. 100 and 102 Worth street. Owners so notified.

2. Reporting that a reinspection shows the requirements of this department have been complied with in premises Nos. 123 and 125 Bleecker street. Owner so notified.

3. Reporting on reinspection of premises No. 16 East Eighteenth street. Inspection slip returned to Bureau for the recovery of penalties.

4. Returning communication from Bureau of Licenses relative to premises No. 3222 Third avenue, with report and recommendation. Reply communicated.

5. Forwarding communication from International Sprinkler Company relative to equipment recently installed at Criterion Theatre, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

6. Returning communication from Stroock & Stroock requesting search for violations against premises No. 982 Prospect avenue, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

7. Returning communication from Frankenthaler & Sapinsky requesting search for violations against premises Nos. 263 and 265 Monroe street, with report. Reply communicated.

8. Returning communication from Eugene L. Gottsch requesting search for violations against premises No. 449 East Eightieth street, with report. Reply communicated.

9. Returning communication from the Title Insurance Company of New York requesting search for violations against various premises, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

10. Returning four communications from Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company requesting search for violations against various premises, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Rev. J. B. Blanchet, D. D.—Making complaint against a member of the uniformed force. To Chief of Department.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises located at Montrose avenue and Leonard street, borough of Brooklyn, known as the Lyceum Theatre. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Department of Education—Requesting designation of box number for public school 13, borough of Richmond. To Chief Inspector, Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

New York, March 18, 1908.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From City Record—

1. Affidavit of publication of advertisement inviting proposals for furnishing 20,000 feet of 3-inch fire hose.

2. Affidavit of publication of advertisement inviting proposals for furnishing miscellaneous supplies for fireboats.

3. Affidavit of publication of advertisement inviting proposals for furnishing coal for headquarters building.

No bids were accepted on account of the death of Fire Commissioner Hugh Bonner.

From Department of Finance—Forwarding copies of reports made by an Inspector of said Department detailed to test of certain fire hose.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Relative to extension of permit to use fire hydrants for flushing the streets. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Department of Docks and Ferries—Relative to request for repairs to dock foot of Ninety-ninth street, East River, berth of a fireboat.

From Tenement House Department—

1. Acknowledging receipt of complaint against premises No. 107 First avenue and No. 318 Ninth avenue.

2. Acknowledging receipt of copy of complaint of E. W. Briggs against premises No. 349 East Thirty-first street.

From H. de B. Parsons—Forwarding bill of Alexander Miller & Brother for partial payment on their contract for constructing one steam fireboat.

From New York City Railway Company—Stating that they have issued an order to the Republic Rubber Company to deliver one 50-foot length of hose to this department, to replace length damaged by one of their cars. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department and Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

From United Surety Company—Requesting copy of contract by Schaefer & Carroll for furnishing forage for companies in the Borough of Richmond.

From Bureau of Combustibles—Reporting on reinspection of premises Nos. 832 and 834 East Ninth street. Inspection slip returned.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—

1. Reporting on reinspection of premises No. 147 Fulton street. Mr. John G. Wendel notified.

2. Requesting inspection of premises No. 131 Essex street. Reply communicated.

From Hospital and Training Stables—

1. Reporting that hostler James Hines reported for duty from sick leave.

2. Reporting rejecting hay not being up to the standard.

Referred.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises known as the Metropolitan Opera House. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Tenement House Department—Forwarding copy of complaint received from A. J. Smith concerning dangerous conditions existing at premises No. 135 West Broadway. To Fire Marshal.

From Bureau of Licenses—Requesting inspection of premises Nos. 303 and 357 East Houston street, Manhattan, and No. 1058 Broadway, Brooklyn. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From National District Telegraph Company—

1. Requesting inspection of their fire alarm system installed in premises Nos. 422 and 424 West Fifteenth street and Nos. 1452 and 1454 Broadway. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

2. Requesting designation of box number for premises Nos. 543 to 555 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From American Dock and Trust Company—Relative to the matter of assigning a fireboat for the protection of the water-front of Staten Island. To Chief of Department.

From Edward A. Bowen—Complaining of the action of chauffeur of department automobile No. 11592. To Chief of Department for report.

From New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Relative to sprinkler equipment in premises Nos. 2 and 6 West Twenty-fourth street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From J. F. Van Riper—Application for a fire line badge. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From Automatic Fire Alarm Company—Requesting assignment for their fire alarm system installed in premises Nos. 92 to 96 Bleecker street. To Chief of Department.

From William Gleichmann & Co.—Requesting an extension of time in which to complete their contract for furnishing forage to companies at Far Rockaway, Arverne and Rockaway Beach, borough of Queens. To Acting Cashier.

From Mr. Praino—Requesting inspection of premises No. 189 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Aetna Indemnity Company—Requesting to be advised if contract of Alexander Miller & Brother for construction of a fireboat and contract of William P. Youngs & Bros. for furnishing lumber for the repair shops have been completed. To Acting Cashier.

From the Title Insurance Company—Requesting search for violations against certain premises. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From R. U. Delapena & Co.—Relative to two small consignments of safety matches. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of dangerous condition existing in premises No. 145 Norfolk street. To Tenement House Department. Copy forwarded to Department of Water Supply, Bureau of Combustibles and Fire Marshal.

2. Complaint of obstruction of hallways premises No. 63 Prince street. To Tenement House Department.

From Chief of Second Battalion—Relative to need of cannel coal for fuel depot. To Acting Cashier.

From Chief of Sixteenth Battalion—Reporting relative to conditions existing at Normal College. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Engine Company 10—

1. Reporting defective flues at premises No. 33 Water street and No. 102 Broad street. To Fire Marshal.

2. Reporting that hoisway in premises No. 43 Broad street was found open at 1 o'clock a. m. on March 12, 1908. To Bureau of Combustibles.

3. Recommending the installation of perforated pipe system in premises Nos. 26, 28 and 30 Water street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

4. Reporting relative to dangerous conditions existing in premises No. 28 Water street and No. 62 Pearl street. To Fire Marshal.

5. Reporting that at premises No. 102 Broad street and Nos. 48 and 50 Pearl street fire escapes require painting, boxes, barrels and rubbish strewn about floors of stair halls on all floors; also a number of boxes piled under stairs on first floor. To Tenement House Department.

6. Reporting that iron ladder should be provided to scuttle of premises Nos. 44 and 46 Pearl street and fire escapes painted. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman, Engine Company 6—Reporting that there is no outside fire escape or stairway on public school located at No. 16 Albany street. To Bureau of Buildings. Copy forwarded to Board of Education.

From Foreman, Engine Company 19—Reporting relative to storage of combustible material in rear of premises No. 511 West Twenty-fourth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 23—Reporting relative to various violations of the building code at premises Nos. 221 and 223 West Fifty-third street, Nos. 238 and

240 West Fifty-fourth street and No. 220 West Fifty-eighth street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman, Engine Company 29—

1. Reporting the storage of combustibles in premises No. 88 Chambers street without a permit. To Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Reporting the storage of combustible material in premises Nos. 31 to 35 Barclay street without a permit. To Bureau of Combustibles.

3. Reporting that gas jet in cellar and sub-cellars of premises No. 44 Park place is not properly protected. To Fire Marshal.

4. Reporting relative to fire appliances not being in proper condition at premises No. 44 Park place, Nos. 11-12 and 31 Barclay street, and Nos. 227 and 229 Broadway. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Engine Company 32—Recommending the installation of perforated pipe system in premises Nos. 9, 11 and 13 Gold street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Engine Company 45—Reporting relative to blasting without a permit at premises Garden street, north side, 20 feet east of Prospect avenue. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 63—Reporting relative to various violations of the building law at premises north side of Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Barnes and White Plains avenues, occupied by public school 21. To Bureau of Buildings. Copy forwarded to Board of Education.

From Foreman, Engine Company 72—Reporting lack of rope fire escapes in premises No. 65 East Twelfth street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 11—Reporting the storage of a large quantity of packing boxes in premises Nos. 830 and 832 East Ninth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 12—Reporting chimney fire on the 13th inst. at premises No. 131 West Twenty-second street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 15—

1. Reporting the storage of combustibles without a permit at premises No. 84 Front street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Recommending the installation of certain fire appliances in premises No. 110 Front street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 16—Reporting chimney fire on the 16th inst. at premises No. 1332 First avenue. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 29—Reporting relative to blasting operations at One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, 100 feet north of Austin place. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 25—Reporting relative to lumber and shavings on store floor of premises No. 9 First street. To Tenement House Department.

From Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 53—

1. Reporting that doors on dumb waiter shafts in premises No. 1629 Madison avenue are not fireproof or self-closing. To Fire Marshal.

2. Reporting chimney fire on the 16th inst. at premises No. 164 East One Hundred and Tenth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 70—Reporting that main front exit was locked during lecture at public school 17, Fordham street, City Island, on March 13, 1908. To Bureau of Buildings. Copy forwarded to Board of Education.

From Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 82—Reporting chimney fire on March 16, 1908, in premises No. 1413 Vyse avenue. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 54—Reporting relative to death of retired foreman William J. Dunohue, which occurred on the 13th inst. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

New York, March 19, 1908.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

From Office of the Mayor—

1. Forwarding letter from Samuel B. Totten, making application for a pension as an exempt fireman. Copy forwarded to Exempt Firemen's Benevolent Association.

2. Requesting copy of record of Alexander Grady, dismissed August 26, 1902. Request complied with.

3. Forwarding letter from Rudolph Heig, Superintendent of the Newsboys' Lodging House, together with check for \$18.85 as a contribution to the Kruger and Firemen's Memorial Fund. Letter, with check, forwarded to Treasurer of Kruger and Firemen's Memorial Fund.

From Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Authorizing an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$200,000, for the purchase of fire hose. Copies forwarded to Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Chief of Department, Acting Cashier and Bookkeeper.

From Corporation Counsel—Stating action has been begun against the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company to recover damage to apparatus of engine company 103.

From Werner & Windolph—Carbon copy of letter forwarded to Alfred Nugent's Son relative to incomplete work at West Sixty-third street firehouse.

From Real Estate Clearing House Association—Application for two fire alarm badges. Reply communicated.

From Jacob Makay—Relative to the indebtedness of a member of the uniformed force. Reply communicated.

From Kruger and Firemen's Memorial Fund—Acknowledging receipt of certain donations towards said fund.

From Chief of Department—

1. Report relative to malicious false alarm from Station 868 on the 15th inst. Copy forwarded to Police Department.

2. Report relative to malicious false alarm from Station 910 on the 13th inst. Copy forwarded to Police Department.

3. Forwarding the sum of \$5 received for the Kruger and Firemen's Memorial Fund. Money forwarded to the Kruger and Firemen's Memorial Fund.

4. Forwarding report of inspection of public school 15, borough of Richmond. Copy forwarded to Board of Education and Mr. D. L. Bardwell.

5. Forwarding copy of report of inspection of Salvation Army Hotel. Copy of report forwarded to Bureau of Buildings.

6. Returning communication from American Dock and Trust Company relative to assignment of fireboat to Staten Island, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

7. Recommending that a letter of thanks be sent to the Police Department for services performed at funeral of late Fire Commissioner Hugh Bonner. Approved, and letter forwarded to Police Department.

From Chief of Eleventh Battalion—Report relative to use of hydrants. Copy forwarded to Department of Street Cleaning.

From Foreman, Engine Company 16—Report relative to new horse.

From Foreman, Engine Company 2—Report relative to settlement of claim. Copy forwarded to Department of Finance.

From Bureau of Combustibles—

1. Report relative to sale of kerosene oil at premises No. 112 Essex street. Tenement House Department notified.

2. Report relative to sale of kerosene oil in tenement house, No. 141 Essex street. Tenement House Department notified.

3. Reporting that mattresses are being manufactured in tenement house, No. 209 Stanton street. Tenement House Department notified.

From Repair Shops—Notification of hose test on 23d inst. Approved. Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance and Acting Cashier notified.

From Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau—

1. Report relative to fire alarm signal and lamp-post at corner of Thirty-third street and Eighth avenue, and returning communication from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity in relation thereto. Reply communicated.

2. Returning communication from Automatic Fire Alarm Company, requesting inspection of fire alarm boxes installed at No. 73 Fifth avenue, with report thereon. Certificate signed and returned to the Automatic Fire Alarm Company.

3. Returning communication from the Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company, requesting designation of box number for premises Nos. 18 to 22 West Fortieth street, with recommendation that request be granted. Recommendation approved. Chief of Department, Chief Inspector and company notified.

4. Returning communication from the National District Telegraph Company, requesting inspection of their fire alarm system installed in premises Nos. 619 to 625 West Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Austin place, with report thereon. Certificate signed and returned to company.

5. Returning communication from New York Telephone Company relative to pole line in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, between Eighth and Lenox avenues, with report thereon. Reply communicated.

6. Returning communication from the National District Telegraph Company, with recommendation that their request for designation of box number for premises Nos. 543 to 555 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, be approved. Recommendation approved. Chief of Department, Chief Operator and company notified.

7. Returning communication from Manhattan Fire Alarm Company, requesting permission to connect premises Nos. 507 and 511 West Twenty-sixth street with street box 413, and Hudson Terminal Buildings, with street box 43, with recommendation that the requests be granted. Recommendation approved. Chief of Department, Chief Inspector and company notified.

From Acting Cashier—Relative to bill from Edward Wisely & Son, amounting to \$4.70, for two bales of straw. Bill audited.

From Aetna Indemnity Company—Relative to contract of Alexander Miller & Brother, for constructing a steel fireboat. Reply communicated.

From Aetna Indemnity Company—Requesting to be advised if contract of William P. Youngs & Bros., for supplying lumber, has been completed.

Referred.

From Office of the Mayor—

1. Forwarding letter from Spencer B. Hopkins, inspector of buildings, Providence, R. I., requesting certain information relative to theatres. To Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Forwarding letter from F. E. Owens & Co., relative to the ordinance concerning the manufacture or sale of combustible mixtures used as metal polishes. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Bureau of Licenses—Requesting inspection of premises No. 48 East Fourteenth street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From American Bonding Company—Requesting to be advised if contract of Alfred Nugent's Son for the erection of a building for an apparatus house in West Sixty-third street has been completed. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From Empire State Surety Company—Requesting to be advised if the contract of the Thomas B. Leahy Building Company for erecting new building for quarters of Engine Company 23 has been completed. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the premises of the Hamburg-American Line with fire alarm box No. 13. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From A. J. Smith—Concerning dangerous conditions on top floor of building, No. 135 West Broadway. To Bureau of Buildings.

From B. Wittenberg—Complaining of smoke coming through floor and walls in bedroom on second floor of premises Nos. 169 and 171 East One Hundred and Ninth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Mrs. A. Brown—Relative to danger arising from chimney of stable adjoining her house, No. 1176 Forest avenue. To Fire Marshal.

From J. Bernard—Complaining of mattress manufacturer in premises No. 248 Division street. To Tenement House Department. Copy forwarded to Inspector of Combustibles.

From Municipal Building Association—Requesting certain information relative to building contracts entered into by this department. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From F. B. Widmayer—Relative to his application for a permit to keep from three to five gallons of gasoline in a safety can in his store at No. 2312 Broadway. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of dangerous conditions of chimney in premises No. 862 Second avenue. To Fire Marshal.

2. Complaining of dangerous conditions of chimney at premises No. 400 East Sixty-sixth street. To Fire Marshal.

3. Relative to complaints of violations of the tenement house laws at premises No. 3232 Broadway, and Nos. 44, 52 and 61 and 62 West End avenue. To Tenement House Department.

4. Complaining of the conditions existing in the Garden Hotel adjoining the Orpheum Music Hall, No. 100 Third avenue. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Chief of Department—Reporting relative to two lengths of hose which burst at third alarm fire, station 68, on the 14th inst. To Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

From Chief of Second Battalion—Reporting that window on second floor of premises Nos. 2 to 6 East Broadway, leading to fire escapes, are provided with swivel window panes, which do not permit of sufficient egress. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman, Engine Company 23—Reporting relative to dangerous conditions existing in premises Nos. 1710 to 1718 Broadway. To Bureau of Combustibles. Copy forwarded to Fire Marshal.

From Foreman, Engine Company 33—

1. Reporting the storage of a large quantity of cotton batting on the third floor of premises No. 237 Mercer street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Reporting that at premises No. 237 Mercer street, stairway leading from second to third floor, has flooring placed on same on third floor and cannot be used. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman, Engine Company 44—Reporting the storage of boxes, paper, etc., in cellar of premises, No. 443 East Seventy-fifth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 38—Reporting relative to dangerous conditions existing at premises Nos. 2474 to 2480 West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. To Bureau of Combustibles. Copies forwarded to Bureau of Buildings, Department of Health and Fire Marshal.

From Foreman, Engine Company 47—Reporting doors on dumb waiter shafts not fireproof or self-closing, at premises No. 1245 Amsterdam avenue, and No. 420 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street; also recommending that certain fire appliances be installed in the last mentioned premises. To Fire Marshal and Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—Recommending that an extension of thirty days from March 20, 1908, be granted Messrs. M. A. Frank & Co., in which to install certain auxiliary fire appliances in premises No. 315 Broadway. Approved.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 11—Reporting chimney fire on the 19th inst. premises No. 640 Fifth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

Telephone Operator William A. Shaw, fire alarm telegraph bureau, was transferred to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, from March 18.

New York, March 20, 1908.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From the Office of the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of copy of letter sent to the Corporation Counsel, inquiring as to powers of the Deputy Fire Commissioner.

From the President of the borough of Manhattan—Relative to fire hydrant leaking in front of premises No. 4 Mulberry street. Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity notified.

From Department of Finance—

1. Requesting a list showing the post office address of all persons leasing property in the City for the purposes of this department. Copy forwarded to Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens and Bookkeeper.

2. Stating that the Comptroller's certificate has been endorsed upon the contract of James F. Kerr, dated March 9, 1908, for additions and alterations to the quarters of engine company 71, borough of The Bronx, and that the same is now a valid contract.

From Department of Education—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 16th inst., relative to locked doors in public school 66.

2. Acknowledging receipt of letters relative to conditions existing in certain public schools.

From Department of Docks and Ferries—Stating that repairs have been ordered to pier at the foot of Ninety-ninth street, East River. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Tenement House Department—

1. Acknowledging receipt of complaint against premises No. 1034 Second avenue.
2. Acknowledging receipt of reports relative to certain premises.

From Consulate-General of Japan—Requesting certain information in connection with the Fire Department. Request complied with.

From the "India Rubber World"—Relative to bids for fire hose opened March 18, 1908. Reply communicated.

From Pettigrew & Asche—Requesting copy of regulations relative to installing sprinkler system in buildings. Request complied with.

From Twenty-second Assembly District Republican Club of Kings County—Relative to detailing firemen to schools. Reply communicated.

From Chief of Department—

1. Relative to condition of Public School No. 30, in Whitestone, borough of Queens, with reports thereon. Copy of reports forwarded to Bureau of Buildings and Board of Education.

2. Relative to indebtedness of a member of the uniformed force. Fireman notified to give the matter his attention.

3. Reporting relative to malicious false alarms of fire. Copy forwarded to Police Department.

From Acting Deputy Chief, Marine Division—Relative to valve in Hart pipe on the fireboat "Thomas Willett." Approved, and contractor notified.

From Bureau of Violations—

1. Reporting on reinspection of premises Nos. 116 and 118 West Fourteenth street. Approved. Mr. Samuel Weill notified.

2. Returning communication from the bureau of licenses requesting an inspection of premises No. 357 East Houston street, with report thereon that the requirements of this department have been complied with. Bureau of Licenses notified.

3. Returning communication from the bureau of licenses requesting an inspection of premises No. 47 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, with report thereon that the requirements of this department have been complied with. Bureau of Licenses notified.

4. Returning communication from police department requesting inspection of premises located at No. 136 East Fourteenth street, known as Theatre Unique, with report thereon that the requirements of this department have been complied with. Police Department notified.

5. Returning communication from the police department requesting an inspection of premises No. 352 Richmond terrace, borough of Richmond, known as Terrace Garden, with report that the requirements of this department have not been complied with. Police Department notified.

6. Returning communication from the Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company, requesting search for violations against premises No. 798 Washington street, with report that there are no violations on file pending against said premises. Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company notified.

7. Returning communication from the Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company, requesting search for violations against premises No. 272 Cherry street, with report that there are no violations on file pending against said premises. Company notified.

8. Returning communication from the Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Company, requesting search for violations against premises Nos. 602 to 610 West One Hundred and Fortieth street and Nos. 603 to 607 West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, with report that there are no violations on file against said premises. Company notified.

9. Returning communication from Charles Eno, requesting search for violations against premises No. 119 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, with report that there are no violations on file against premises mentioned. Mr. Eno notified.

10. Returning communication from Abram Bachrach, requesting search for violations against premises Nos. 40 to 44 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, with report that there are no violations on file against said premises. Mr. Bachrach notified.

11. Returning communication of the Title Insurance Company of New York, requesting search for violations against certain premises, with report that there are no violations on file against premises mentioned. Company notified.

From Bureau of Combustibles—Relative to dangerous conditions existing at premises No. 40 Washington street, No. 1034 Second avenue, No. 349 East Thirty-first street, No. 515 Clinton avenue, Brooklyn. Tenement House Department notified.

From the Superintendent of Buildings—Reporting death of plumber James F. Clark, which occurred on the 11th inst. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified; also CITY RECORD.

From Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau—Returning communication from James J. Brown, requesting that a fire alarm box be placed in the vicinity of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets and Fifth avenue, with report that the nearest box to location mentioned is at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Fifth avenue, a distance of 750 feet. James J. Brown notified.

From the Acting Cashier—Returning communication from department of finance relative to voucher filed in favor of H. Bloseren's Sons, amounting to \$35, for repairing for overcoat, with report thereon. Copy of report forwarded to Department of Finance.

Referred.

From Bureau of Licenses—Requesting inspection of premises No. 1317 First avenue and No. 1997 Third avenue and No. 1594 Broadway, Brooklyn, N. Y. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Tenement House Department—Forwarding copy of anonymous complaint against premises No. 159 Ludlow street, used as a synagogue and school, in that there is inadequate means of egress from the lower floors of building. To Chief of Department.

From F. P. Hummel—Requesting to be advised if there are any violations on file against premises northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances, and Bureau of Fire Marshal.

From Fynberg & Co.—Requesting an inspection of premises No. 730 Tinton avenue, The Bronx. To Chief of Department.

From New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Relative to standpipe equipment in premises No. 712 Broadway. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the premises of the New York City Railway Company, First avenue and Ninety-sixth street, with fire alarm box 727. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From National District Telegraph Company—

1. Requesting inspection of their fire alarm system installed in premises Nos. 307 to 315 St. Marks avenue, Brooklyn. To Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

2. Requesting inspection of their fire alarm system installed at premises Nos. 1721 and 1723 Broadway, and pier 9, North River. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company—Relative to street box in front of premises No. 518 West Forty-fourth street being below grade. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From Mrs. Ward—Complaining of dangerous conditions at premises No. 109 East Eighty-second street. To Fire Marshal.

From E. Werfield—Complaining of dangerous condition of chimney at premises No. 528 West One Hundred and Fifty-second street. To Fire Marshal.

From New York Board of Fire Underwriters—Relative to conditions existing in building situated on White Plains avenue, between Two Hundred and Twenty-first and Two Hundred and Twenty-second streets. To Fire Marshal for investigation and report.

From M. Kleinsenger—Complaining of mattress factory in premises Nos. 248 and 250 Division street. To Tenement House Department. Bureau of Combustibles notified.

From E. Brown—Complaining of lack of light in hallways of premises No. 312 West Eighteenth street. To Tenement House Department.

From Mrs. M. Nolan—Complaining of insufficient means of escape in case of fire at premises Nos. 1722 to 1726 Park avenue. To Tenement House Department.

From Commercial Construction Company—Requesting that hose in annex to Public School 177 be connected and placed in service. To Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding list of hose burst at fire station 359 on the 10th inst., some of which burst within the three-year limit. To Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops for report as to cause of hose bursting.

From Chief of Twentieth Battalion—Report concerning action of fireman first grade Patrick Lenihan, hook and ladder company 31, stopping a runaway horse on Home street, borough of The Bronx, on the 13th inst. To Board on Merit.

New York, March 21, 1908.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Office of the Mayor—Requesting the records of George F. Reid and Edward F. Collins, former members of the uniformed force. Request complied with.

From Police Department—

1. Relative to malicious false alarm of fire from fire alarm box 868. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.
2. Relative to malicious false alarm of fire from station 910. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Board of Education—Acknowledging receipt of complaint relative to public school 15, Tompkinsville, borough of Richmond.

From Department of Health—Acknowledging receipt of report relative to premises Nos. 474 to 480 West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

From Department of Street Cleaning—Acknowledging receipt of communication relative to pumps used for pumping out hydrants.

From New York City Railway Company—Stating that they have ordered one length of 2½-inch fire hose to replace length damaged by one of their cars. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department and Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops.

From Treasurer Kruger Firemen's Memorial Fund—Acknowledging receipt of contributions.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—

1. Returning communication from the bureau of licenses, requesting an inspection of premises No. 212 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street, with report thereon.
2. Returning communication from the bureau of licenses, requesting an inspection of premises No. 356 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, with report thereon.

From the Superintendent of Buildings—Recommending the appointment of a plumber. Requisition made.

Referred.

From Department of Finance—Acknowledging receipt of communication relative to a certain amount alleged to be due the insurance fund, deducted from claims of Long Island City firemen. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises located at No. 50 Bowery and known as Atlantic Garden. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Relative to automatic sprinkler equipment recently installed in basement and sub-basement of premises Nos. 126 and 128 Duane street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From McVickar, Gaillard Realty Company—Requesting inspection of fire appliances installed in premises Nos. 129 and 131 East Houston street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman, Engine Company 20—Reporting the storage of combustible material in premises Nos. 506 and 604 to 608 Broadway without a permit. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 36—Reporting chimney fire on the 18th inst. at premises No. 1986 Park avenue. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 53—Reporting the storage of naphtha without a permit in premises No. 102 East One Hundred and Fourth street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Foreman, Engine Company 33—Reporting relative to various violations of Building Code in premises No. 91 Bleecker street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 22—Recommending that outside fire escapes be placed on premises No. 203 West One Hundredth street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 25—Reporting chimney fire on the 19th inst. in premises No. 80 First avenue. To Bureau of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman, Hook and Ladder Company 2—Reporting the death of fireman first grade William J. Egan, which occurred on the 13th inst. To Secretary of Relief Fund. Municipal Civil Service Commission and CITY RECORD notified.

A notice, dated March 21, 1908, to provide auxiliary fire appliances was signed by Fire Commissioner and returned for service to the Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in premises Nos. 69 and 71 South Oxford street.

Forms of advertisements inviting proposals for furnishing miscellaneous supplies for fireboats, boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn; pea coal and hose for the borough of Manhattan, were forwarded for publication in the CITY RECORD and in the Brooklyn corporation papers.

BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Police Department—

1. In re applications for concert licenses as follows: Surf Avenue Opera House, Suri avenue, Brooklyn. Hollander's Music Hall, Coney Island, Brooklyn. Terminal Hotel, North Beach, Queens.

McKibben Vaudeville Company, No. 183 McKibben street, Brooklyn. Clermont Rink, No. 175 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn.

Jacob Halpern, Metropolitan Music Hall, No. 1770 Pitkin avenue, Brooklyn.

Reply communicated.

2. In re applications for theatrical licenses as follows: Brighton Beach Music Hall, Brighton Beach, Brooklyn. Lyceum Theatre, Montrose avenue and Leonard street, Brooklyn.

Majestic Theatre, Ashland place and Fulton street, Brooklyn.

Reply communicated.

3. Concerning moving picture show at No. 65 Union street, Brooklyn. Reply communicated.

From Department of Education—

1. Concerning fire alarm boxes at public schools 34, 37, 42, 53, 59, 92, 109, 123, 142 and 145, Brooklyn. Reply communicated.
2. Relative to fire alarm boxes at various school buildings, Brooklyn. Reply communicated.

From Bureau of Licenses—

1. Relative to applications for common show licenses as follows: R. Borchard, No. 1058 Broadway, Brooklyn. Michael Core, No. 1594 Broadway, Brooklyn.

Reply communicated.

2. Relative to compliance with department requirements, No. 406 Fulton street, Jamaica, borough of Queens.

From Operator in Charge, Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau—

1. In re temporarily disconnecting fire alarm box at public school 33, Brooklyn Department of Education notified.
2. In re securing pole pins on top cross arms of poles on Sumner avenue, north of Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn. New York and New Jersey Telephone Company notified.

3. Reporting false alarm of fire from box 400, corner of Freeman and West streets, Brooklyn. Police Department notified.

4. Relative to fire alarm box at public school 110, Brooklyn. Department of Education notified.

5. Relative to change in circuit wheel in fire alarm box at public school 72, Brooklyn. Department of Education notified.

From Point Pleasant Hook and Ladder Company 1—Relative to horses, feed and telegraph signal.

From C. Westerfield—Concerning dangerous conditions in rear of buildings on south side of Eastern Parkway, near New York avenue, Brooklyn. Reply communicated.

From Fred DeFau, relative to Thomas F. Hopkins. Reply communicated.

From Mary Barbecker—Complaining of lack of fire-escapes, No. 863 Hancock street, Brooklyn. Tenement House Department notified.

From Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—

1. Relative to disconnecting boxes premises of Sunswick Company, Astoria, and S. Pearson & Son, Long Island City, Borough of Queens. Reply communicated.

2. Requesting permission to connect premises of Emken Chemical Company, Fourteenth and Hancock streets, Long Island City, with department alarm system. Reply communicated.

From T. F. Jackson—Relative to fire alarm box in Board of Education building, Brooklyn. Reply communicated.

WILLIAM A. LARNEY, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a brief extract of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending July 18, 1908, as required by section 1546 of the Greater New York Charter.

Note—The City of New York or the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York is defendant, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

Suits and Special Proceedings Instituted.

Court	Register and Folio	When Commenced	Title of Action	Nature of Action
Supreme...	71 466	July 13, 1908	Moreland, John, and ane. (Matter of)....	Application for order directing Comptroller to pay certain moneys.
Supreme...	71 460	July 13, 1908	Guardian Trust Co. vs. the City et al.	To foreclose lien.
Supreme...	71 462	July 13, 1908	City of New York vs. New York & Queens County Railway Co.	To recover certain percentage of gross receipts of defendant corporation, \$16,394.45.
Sup., K. Co.	71 463	July 13, 1908	Kenny, William N.	Personal injuries while riding in automobile, obstruction, 4th ave. and 91st st., \$10,000.
Sup., K. Co.	71 464	July 13, 1908	Imke, Peter, as adm'r, etc., vs. the City and ane.	For death of intestate, falling into excavation, St. Nicholas ave., Brooklyn, \$15,000.
Sup., K. Co.	71 465	July 13, 1908	Martensen, John F.	Personal injuries, tripping over iron pipe in front of 1960 Atlantic ave., \$5,000.
Mun., B'k'g	71 468	July 14, 1908	Klein, Jennie, vs. United Dressed Beef Co. et al.	Personal injuries, fall, ice, 181 Boerum st., \$500.
Supreme...	71 469	July 14, 1908	Harris, Herman, vs. New York City Railway Co. et al.	Damage to store front and window, automobile running into same, etc., 31st st. and Broadway, \$1,610.44.
Supreme...	71 470	July 14, 1908	City of New York vs. Continental Asphalt Paving Co.	To recover amount of judgment of Alex. Purvis vs. City, \$6,147.56.
Sup., K. Co.	71 470	July 14, 1908	Feeney, Catherine.	Personal injuries, fall, ice, Bergen st., Brooklyn, \$15,000.
Sup., W. Co.	71 471	July 14, 1908	Seaman, Preston B. (No. 1)	To recover architect's fees, erection of Toxicine Laboratory, etc., Bronx, \$4,654.40.
Sup., Q. Co.	71 472	July 14, 1908	Seaman, Preston B. (No. 1)	To recover architect's fees, erection of additional buildings, Tuberculosis Hospital, Queens, \$7,500.
Sup., Q. Co.	71 473	July 14, 1908	Seaman, Preston B. (No. 2)	To recover architect's fees, erection of public bathhouse, Queens, \$2,000.
Sup., Q. Co.	71 474	July 14, 1908	Seaman, Preston B. (No. 2)	To recover architect's fees, erection of Borough building, etc., Queens, \$64,205.
Sup., Q. Co.	71 475	July 14, 1908	Seaman, Preston B. (No. 4)	To recover architect's fees, reguiling, etc., Queens County Court House, \$9,375.
Supreme...	71 476	July 14, 1908	Solomon, Samuel, vs. Henry Smith, etc.	To restrain interference with business, etc., City Hall Park, etc.
Supreme...	71 477	July 14, 1908	McCarthy, John F., vs. Henry Smith, etc.	To restrain interference with business, Park row, etc.
Sup., K. Co.	71 478	July 14, 1908	McAuliffe, Elizabeth (ex rel.), vs. Herman A. Metz and ane.	Mandamus to compel striking of certain sum from records, etc., of Dept. of Water Supply.
Supreme...	71 485	July 15, 1908	Meyer, David, vs. G. B. McClellan and ane.	To restrain certification of contracts for, or issuing stock to pay for, any public improvements until debt limit is ascertained.
Sup., W. Co.	71 479	July 15, 1908	Mead, Charles, and ane., vs. Isaac W. Turner, etc., et al.	To restrain construction of sewage disposal plant by City of New York.
Land Office	71 480	July 15, 1908	Phoenix Construction Co., the (Matter of)....	For a grant of land under water in Flushing Creek.
Supreme...	71 481	July 15, 1908	Adams, Charles L., vs. Gioachino Acciari et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	71 482	July 15, 1908	Carney, William J., an infant, by guardian, etc., vs. the City and ane.	Summons only served.
U. S. Dist.	71 484	July 15, 1908	Berwynd-White Coal Mining Co. vs. Cunard Steamship Co., Ltd.	For injury to hatches "Eureka" and "Mauritanian" being smashed by steamer "Mauritanian," \$709.63.
Supreme...	71 486	July 15, 1908	Brush Electric Illuminating Co. of N. Y. (No. 2)	For lighting streets, etc., Borough of Manhattan, \$26,381.20.
Supreme...	71 487	July 15, 1908	Brush Electric Illuminating Co. of N. Y. (No. 3)	For lighting streets, etc., Borough of Manhattan, \$123,338.68.
Supreme...	71 488	July 15, 1908	Brush Electric Illuminating Co. of N. Y. (No. 4)	For furnishing light to Dept. of Docks, \$13,246.19.
Supreme...	71 489	July 15, 1908	Baile, Mary A., et al., as execs. vs. Charles A. Edwards et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	71 490	July 15, 1908	Bernheimer & Schwartz Pilgrim Brewing Co. vs. the Metropolitan Surety Co. and ane.	To recover amount of judgment against A. G. Pucci on bond given, \$5,384.
Supreme...	71 491	July 15, 1908	Breuer, Daniel, and ane., vs. Metropolitan Surety Co. and ane.	To recover amount of judgment against A. G. Pucci on bond given, \$5,344.
Supreme...	71 492	July 15, 1908	Marmorek, Harry, by guardian.	Personal injuries, run over by Street Cleaning Dept. horse, Broome st., \$1,000.
Supreme...	71 493	July 15, 1908	Ochs, Moses (Matter of)	For order dissimising with lost mortgage.
Municipal.	71 493	July 15, 1908	Kelly, Charles, vs. Thos. F. O'Connor.	Action in replevin.

Court	Registers and Folio	When Commenced	Title of Action	Nature of Action
Municipal.	71 494	July 16, 1908	Haslett, Joseph J., vs. Thomas P. O'Connor.	Action in replevin.
Supreme...	71 495	July 16, 1908	Delmage, Josephine.	Personal injuries, fall, defective stairway, 41st st. and Park ave., \$2,000.
Supreme...	71 496	July 16, 1908	Delmage, George M.	For loss of services of wife, injuries, fall, 41st st. and Park ave., \$2,000.
Supreme...	71 497	July 16, 1908	Trembleger, Michael, vs. Louis Bernstein et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	71 498	July 16, 1908	Goezt, Elizabeth.	Personal injuries, fall, depression in sidewalk, West 149th st., \$5,000.
Sup., K. Co.	71 499	July 16, 1908	Reischbacher, Ray, and ane., vs. Dean Building et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	71 501	July 16, 1908	Title Insurance Co. of New York vs. Meyer Rife et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Municipal.	71 502	July 16, 1908	Grant Pulley and Hardware Co. vs. Thomas F. O'Connor.	Action in replevin to recover goods valued at \$47.15.
U. S. Dist.	71 503	July 16, 1908	Murray, Edward.	Claim only served.
Sup., K. Co.	71 504	July 16, 1908	Coyle, Edward.	Personal injuries, fall, hole in sidewalk, Johnson et al., \$2,000.
Supreme...	72 1	July 17, 1908	Schless, Charles R., vs. Theodore Haas et al. (No. 1)	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	72 2	July 17, 1908	Schless, Charles R., vs. Theodore Haas et al. (No. 2)	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	72 3	July 18, 1908	Thiery, Lewis M.	As assignee, for services as real estate expert, \$127.50.
Supreme...	72 4	July 18, 1908	Murphy, Edward W. (Master of)....	To enforce an attorney's lien on award, in re Broadway, Elizabeth and Vreeland sts., school site.
Municipal.	72 5	July 18, 1908	Bolig, William, vs. Thos. F. O'Connor.	Action in replevin to recover \$192.

"Prevailing Rule of Wages" Actions.

Court	Registers and Folio	When Commenced	Title	Department	Amount
Sup., K. Co.	71 461	July 13, 1908	Stroess—Robert H. Hatchell, Attorney. Gibbons, John.	Charities	\$1,137.50

SCHEDULE "B."

Judgments, Orders and Decrees Entered.

Charles Peterson—Entered Appellate Division order unanimously affirming judgment in favor of defendant.
In re Emma Bottke et al; in re William J. O'Dea—Orders entered referring causes to Henry J. Davenport, Esq.
Julius Link vs. T. A. Bingham; Francis X. Duer vs. same; Julius Offenbacher vs. same—Entered orders discontinuing actions without costs.
New York State Realty and Terminal Company—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.
People ex rel. Edward T. Cody vs. T. A. Bingham—Appellate Division order entered annulling determination of defendant and directing reinstatement of relator.
People ex rel. Fanny McKane et al. as executors vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Entered order discontinuing proceeding without costs.
People ex rel. Patrick H. McCarron vs. J. T. Donling et al.—Entered order denying relator's motion for peremptory writ of mandamus.
Mary E. Catton vs. Board of Education (two actions)—Entered orders discontinuing actions without costs.
Instus Von Lengerke et al. vs. City of New York et al.; Julius C. Hammom—Orders entered discontinuing actions without costs.
Subway Loop Proceedings Nos. 2, 3 and 4—Entered order appointing Commissioners of Appraisal.
Bay View Heights Land Company; Pierre P. Pullis—Entered orders denying plaintiff's motions to continue injunctions.
Mary DeSousay—Entered order changing venue to Kings County.
In re Samuel Hellinger—Order entered denying petitioner's motion for leave to inspect books of City Chamberlain.
People ex rel. Edward R. Satterlee et al. vs. T. L. Feitner et al (four proceedings)—Entered order discontinuing proceedings without costs.
People ex rel. Hugh J. O'Neill vs. F. L. Polk et al.—Filed enrollment on Appellate Division order of affirmance for \$20.15 costs in favor of defendants.
Charles Peterson—Entered judgment on Appellate Division order of affirmance for \$109.25 costs.
People ex rel. Israel Benjamin vs. A. J. O'Keefe et al.—Filed enrollment on Appellate Division order of affirmance for \$23.45 costs in favor of defendants.
People ex rel. Dudley Company vs. T. L. Feitner et al (four proceedings)—Entered orders discontinuing proceedings without costs.

Judgments Won Entered in Favor of the Plaintiffs in the Following Actions.

Date	Name	Registers and Folio	Amount
July 8, 1908	Apostleship of Prayer.	71 8	\$18.17
July 15, 1908	Schaefer, George M.	71 20	250.00
July 16, 1908	Cody, Edward T.	71 210	175.50
June 19, 1908	Ullins, Sophie.	71 94	125.91

SCHEDULE "C."

Record of Court Work.

Carmine Street Bath Site—Motion to confirm report of Commissioners of Appraisal argued before Erlanger, J. Decision reserved. F. J. Byrne for the City.
Degnon Contracting Company—Reference proceeded and adjourned. F. Martin for the City.
People ex rel. John A. Smith et al. vs. J. Kreuscher—Motion for absolute writ of prohibition argued before Dagro, J. Decision reserved. T. F. Noonan for the City.
In re Cleveland H. Dodge (five proceedings)—Reference proceeded and adjourned. E. J. Freedman for the City.
People ex rel. H. A. LaChante vs. J. W. Stevenson—Reference proceeded and adjourned. W. B. Crowell for the City.
People ex rel. New York Mutual Gas Light Company vs. G. W. Priest et al.—Reference proceeded and adjourned. A. B. Scoville for the City.
People ex rel. William Waldorf Astor vs. F. A. O'Donnell et al. (E-129, E-130, E-260); People ex rel. James R. Roosevelt et al. vs. same (E-170)—Reference proceeded and adjourned. G. H. Folwell for the City.
People ex rel. Tularia Dispatch Company vs. G. W. Priest et al; People ex rel. Pneumatic Service Company vs. same; People ex rel. New York Mail and Newspaper Transportation Company vs. same—Reference proceeded and adjourned. A. B. Scoville for the City.
E. J. Butler, as Commissioner, vs. B. Adler et al.—Tried before Hoyer, J. in Municipal Court. Judgment for plaintiff for \$207.42; S. P. Danzig for the City.
People ex rel. H. A. LaChante vs. J. W. Stevenson—Reference proceeded and adjourned. W. B. Crowell for the City.

In re Elizabeth Hoerner—Motion for order directing Register to discharge mortgage submitted to Erlanger, J. Decision reserved. C. A. O'Neil for the City. "Motion granted."

People ex rel. Henry E. Vining vs. F. J. Lantry—Motion for final order granting peremptory writ of mandamus argued before Erlanger, J. Decision reserved. R. E. T. Riggs for the City. "Motion granted."

Charles H. Perkins vs. W. Harrington—Motion to dismiss action for lack of prosecution submitted to Clark, J., and granted. E. S. Malone for the City.

Mary DeSoucey—Motion to change venue to Kings County submitted to Clark, J., and granted. E. S. Malone for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Bridge No. 3 (Manhattan terminal), four hearings. J. J. Squier for the City.

Bridge No. 4 (Queens approach), three hearings. F. J. Byrne for the City.

SCHEDULE "D."

Contracts, etc., Drafted, Examined and Approved as to Form.

Department.	Contracts Approved as to Form.	Contracts Examined and Returned for Revision.	Advertisements Approved as to Form.
Board of Education.	32		1
Borough Presidents.	12		1
Park Department.	7	2	3
Fire Department.	6		2
Dock Department.	2	1	2
Department of Charities.	2		1
Department of Bridges.	1		1
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	1	2	
Board of Water Supply.	1		1
Trustees, College of The City of New York.	1		
Bellevue and Allied Hospital.	1		
Police Department.	—	1	
Total.	66	6	12

Bonds Approved.

Finance Department.

9

Lenses Approved.

Sinking Fund Commissioners.

8

Street Cleaning Department.

1

Total.

9

Agreements Approved.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

1

SCHEDULE "E"

Opinions Rendered to the Various Departments.

Department.	Opinions Rendered.
Finance Department.	26
Borough Presidents.	2
Department of Bridges.	2
Board of Water Supply.	2
Department of Building.	2
Health Department.	1
Department of Public Works.	1
Aqueduct Commissioners.	1
Park Department.	1
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	1
Fire Department.	1
City Chamberlain.	1
Police Department.	1
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	1
Total.	43

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON, Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

New York, May 26, 1908.

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

From the Corporation Counsel—

1 (77143). Advising, in response to this Department's inquiry, that the Commissioner should not allow pay at one-half salary in lieu of full pay to an employee absent on account of illness, etc., after the absence has continued for a certain period, but that the matter of granting leaves of absence, with compensation, is discretionary with the head of a department. Filed.

2 (77115). Submitting information relative to proceedings begun by George Barclay Ward to dispossess John Wagner from certain property foot of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, North River. Filed.

From the Department of Correction (77101)—Requesting repairs to sluiceway on pier foot of Twenty-sixth street, East River. Filed, the repairs having been made.

From the Comptroller (76909)—Stating that the transfer of Francis X. McElroy, Financial Clerk, in his Department became effective May 19, 1908. Name dropped from list of employees.

From Frederick Suesser (77141)—Requesting permission to occupy a plot of ground at Broad Channel, Jamaica Bay, Borough of Queens. Privilege granted to occupy Lot 15, Block 100, an area of 1,925 square feet, to commence June 1, 1908, and to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioner, but not longer than May 1, 1912, rental to be at the rate of \$2.30 per annum, payable in advance to Cashier.

From Thomas James (76695)—Requesting permission to maintain newspaper stand at approach to Pier 10, North River. Privilege granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioner, but not longer than April 30, 1909, rental to be at the rate of \$2 per month, payable monthly in advance to Duckmaster.

From the New York and Long Branch Steamboat Company (76466)—Requesting permission to erect a set of gates at the inner end of the pier foot of Bloomfield street, North River. Permit granted, work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and the gates to remain during the pleasure of the Commissioner.

From the Long Island Railroad Company (77216, 76783)—Requesting renewal of the franchise for ferry between Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan, and Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a period of five years, and asking that a reduction be made in the rental, in view of the diversion of traffic due to the construction of tunnels and bridges. Answered the Department is prepared to recommend to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund lease for a term of five years from May 1, 1908, at an annual rental of \$8,000 per annum.

From the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company (77201)—Consenting, as surely, to the subletting to the American Ice Company of south half of pier foot of Thirty-first street, East River, by James J. Godfrey. Filed.

From Swift & Co. (77150)—Requesting that the rent for awning sheds on the marginal street be reduced. Answered that the rent has been fixed at the rate of 7 cents per square foot per annum.

From Charles Crawford (77131)—Requesting a copy of map of the meadows in Jamaica Bay, Borough of Queens. Answered that the map can be examined at this office.

From the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey (77090)—Requesting the removal of dock sweepings from upland in front of Pier (new) 10, North River. Filed, the request having been complied with.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1 (77167). Submitting report of work done under his charge and supervision for the week ending May 9, 1908. Filed.

2 (77164). Reporting that Joseph Johnson's Sons are making repairs without permit to bulkhead platform near the foot of Broadway, West New Brighton, Borough of Richmond. Ordered to stop all work until permit is obtained.

3 (77163). Recommending that in order to relieve the congested condition of West street, between Gansevoort and Little West Twelfth streets, North River, the Manhattan Borough President be requested to remove the island sidewalks thereat. Request forwarded to Borough President.

From the Superintendent of Ferries—

1 (77175). Reporting that John G. McNichol has declined appointment to the position of Deckhand. Name dropped from list of employees.

2 (75086, 77169). Reporting that the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company has removed the concrete from between its tracks at the St. George Terminal, and recommending that the company be directed to replace same. Company notified to replace concrete.

3 (77182). Preferring charges of neglect of duty against Samuel S. Shapiro, Attendant (Ticket Chopper). Shapiro notified to report for a hearing on the charges.

Dora Schwaninger (76953) was appointed to the position of Cleaner in this Department, with compensation at the rate of \$45 per month while employed, for duty on the recreation piers during the season of 1908.

The following Department order was issued:

No.	Issued To and For.	Price.
23895.	Mutual Towel Supply Company, toilet supply for June, 1908, Engineer's offices.	\$17 50

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was requested to except from competitive examination a Consulting Engineer, engaged in private business, to perform services for this Department in connection with the installation of heating, lighting and power plants in the Chelsea Section freight sheds, North River, and to authorize the appointment of a Consulting Engineer for a period not exceeding fifteen months, with compensation not exceeding 1 per cent. of the contract price for the entire period he is employed.

DENIS A. JUDGE, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

I herewith submit a report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Richmond, for the week ending August 1, 1908:

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$66,245).	14
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$1,442).	6
Plans filed for plumbing (estimated cost, \$4,850).	10
Construction inspections made.	216
Plumbing inspections made.	37
Hotel inspections made.	70
Modifications of the law allowed as regards concrete footings under foundations.	9
Moving permits.	1

JOHN SEATON,
Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Richmond.

James Nolan, Chief Clerk

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

SURROGATE'S OFFICE.

August 8—Surrogate Ketcham appointed to the positions of temporary Clerks in this office Mr. James A. Schamburg, of No. 20 Russell street, Brooklyn, and Mr. Mortimer J. Wohl, of No. 181 Ainslie street, Brooklyn; the salary of each to be at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

On August 1, 1908, Mr. John E. Baue, of No. 784 Hancock street, Brooklyn, and Mr. Benjamin N. Dorman, of No. 52 South Sixth street, Brooklyn, were appointed to similar positions at the same salary.

On August 5, 1908, Mr. James S. Shields, of No. 135 Ainslie street, Brooklyn, was transferred from the Kings County Register's office to this office to fill like position in those named above, at the same salary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Borough of The Bronx.

August 8—Appointments in this Department of the following Park Laborers, at a compensation at the rate of \$2 per diem, to take effect August 8, 1908:

Michael Vallely, No. 2020 Boston avenue.

Henry Sanders, No. 589 Pelham avenue.

Felix Bauman, Baychester.

Michael Connors, No. 1227 Webster avenue (old address, No. 547 Brook avenue).

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

August 8—

Appointed.

Borough of Manhattan.

Patrick J. Guyhan, as ununiformed Fireman, for a probationary period of one month, from 8 a. m. on the 7th inst., with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum, and assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 34.

Resigned.

Borough of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.

Foreman Plumber William L. Herbert, Superintendent of Buildings Branch, to take effect from 5 p. m. on the 6th inst.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

August 8—

John B. O'Connell, No. 134 Third place, Brooklyn, Process Server in the Law Department, Manhattan, has been transferred to a similar position in this Bureau, effective Monday, August 10, 1908, at a compensation of \$1,050 per annum.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

August 6—Transfer of John O. Farrell from the position of Searcher in the office of the Brooklyn Borough President to a similar position in this Department, with pay at the rate of \$2,000 per annum, to take effect August 7, 1908.



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

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BUREAU OF LICENSES. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 3000 Cortlandt. John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau.

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Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

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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 Fourth 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 Catherine street.

Wauhoo Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer Justices.

Thomas O'Connell, Clerk; Francis Mangin, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, No. 54-60 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

An additional Part of Court is now held in Tenth street and Sixth avenue.

Telephone, 601 Franklin.

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 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 Catherine street.

George F. Roesch, Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas F. Dinnean, Justices.

James J. Devlin, Clerk; Michael H. Looney, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—No. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Telephone, 2506 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 from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.

Thomas E. Murray, James W. McLaughlin, Justices.

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. Boylan, Justices.

Abram Bernard, Clerk; James Foley, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Part I., No. 407 Second avenue, northeast 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, 450 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.

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, 400 Riverside.

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, 400 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 Lexington avenue, 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 and excluding any portion of Ward'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—Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Telephone, 4433 79-St.

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 easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwell's Island and excluding any portion of Ward'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—Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Telephone, 4433 79-St.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south 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 and excluding any portion of Ward's Island.

Philip D. Maagher, William J. Hogan, Justices.

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, AUGUST 26, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING COAL WEIGHING SCALES AT VARIOUS PUMPING STATIONS, AS FOLLOWS:

Section I.—Ten (10) 150-ton railroad track pit scales.

Section II.—Twelve (12) 10-ton wagon scales.

Section III.—Seven (7) 10-ton portable wagon scales.

Section IV.—Twelve (12) wheelbarrow scales.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be as follows: For Section I, one hundred (100) working days; for Section II, one hundred (100) working days; for Section III, sixty (60) working days; for Section IV, thirty (30) working days.

The security required will be as follows: For Section I, Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000); for Section II, Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000); for Section III, Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000); for Section IV, Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be sixty (60) calendar days.

The amount of security will be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

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 each 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 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas
and Electricity.

The City of New York, August 10, 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, AUGUST 19, 1908.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE AUTOMOBILE AND EQUIPMENT.

The time for the delivery of the automobile and equipment and the performance of the contract will be 90 calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BATH-GATE, BRYANT, JOHNSON, LAFAYETTE AND POHOM AVENUES; IN FAILE, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH AND IN TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be 150 working days.

The security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING FOUR (4) WATER TUBE BOILERS, WITH ECONOMIZER, STEAM AND AUXILIARY PIPING, FEED WATER HEATERS AND HIGH PRESSURE DRIP RETURN SYSTEM AND ALL FOUNDATIONS, WITH THEIR APPURTENANCES, COMPLETE, IN THE BOILER ROOM OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET PUMPING STATION, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

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 each 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 152, 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, August 6, 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, AUGUST 12, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING, INSTALLING, MAINTAINING AND RESERVING FOR THE USE OF THE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE

ALL APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR GENERATING AND TRANSMITTING 1,830 KILOWATTS OF THREE-PHASE, 6,600-VOLT, 25-CYCLE ELECTRIC POWER, AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIS POWER UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS CONTRACT, FROM AUGUST 15, 1908, TO DECEMBER 31, 1908, AT EACH OF THE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE PUMPING STATIONS LOCATED IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AT FURMAN AND JORALEMON STREETS AND AT WILLUGHBY AND ST. EDWARDS STREETS, RESPECTIVELY.

The time allowed for the furnishing, installing and so on of the apparatus and equipment necessary under the terms of this contract for each of the high pressure fire service pumping stations located as above is one hundred and eighty (180) calendar days.

The amount of security required for furnishing the above is Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, and in the contract for the furnishing, and so on, of the apparatus, equipment and power required, as measured by meter, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Room 1330, Park Row Building, Nos. 13 to 21, Park Row, New York.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner.

New York, July 28, 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, AUGUST 12, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING, INSTALLING, MAINTAINING AND RESERVING FOR THE USE OF THE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE, ALL APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR GENERATING AND TRANSMITTING 3,250 KILOWATTS OF THREE-PHASE, 6,600-VOLT, 25-CYCLE ELECTRIC POWER, AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIS POWER, UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS CONTRACT, FROM AUGUST 15, 1908, TO DECEMBER 31, 1908, AT EACH OF THE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE PUMPING STATIONS LOCATED IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, AT OLIVER AND SOUTH STREETS AND AT GANSEVOORT AND WEST STREETS, RESPECTIVELY.

The time allowed for the furnishing, installing and so on of the apparatus and equipment necessary under the terms of this contract for each of the high pressure fire service pumping stations, located as above, is one hundred and eighty (180) calendar days.

The amount of security required for furnishing the above is Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules and in the contract for the furnishing, and so on, of the apparatus, equipment and power required, as measured by meter or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Room 1330, Park Row Building, Nos. 13 to 21, Park Row, New York.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner.

New York, July 28, 1908.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21, Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

FOSTER CROWELL,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to section 35 of the Tax Law of the State of New York, that the Board of Taxes and Assessments of The City of New York has completed its assessment roll of assessment for the year 1908, in The City of New York, of shares of stock of banks and banking associations; that a copy thereof has been left with Hon. Frank Raymond, a member of said Board, in the office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments of The City of New York, Hall of Records, Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, where it may be seen and examined by any person until the third Tuesday of August, 1908, and that on that date, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the said Board will meet at the said office to review such assessments and to hear and examine all complaints in relation thereto on the application of any person deeming himself aggrieved thereby.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1908.

LAWSON PURDY,
President.

FRANK RAYMOND,
JAMES H. TULLY,
CHARLES PUTZEL,
THOMAS L. HAMILTON,
HUGH HASTINGS,
CHARLES J. MCGORMACK,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1908.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE THOUSAND TONS OF 1/2-INCH AND 4-INCH BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK OR STATION ISLAND SYENITE IN STONE DELIVERY DISTRICT NO. 3.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until November 30, 1908.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President. The

plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
President.

The City of New York, July 30, 1908.

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Public Service Commission for the First District, by authority of the powers vested in it by law, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York having duly given their approval, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings or certain portions of buildings now standing on certain parcels of property (some of which The City of New York has acquired in fee simple and in others of which it has acquired certain easements), for Rapid Transit purposes in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, which said buildings and said portions of buildings are as follows, to wit:

(1) A six story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 19, Block No. 208, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 157, 159, 161 and 163 Centre Street and No. 239 Canal Street, said lot being situated on the northwest corner of Canal and Centre Streets, being approximately 122 feet 9 1/2 inches on Centre Street, 37 feet 9 inches on Canal Street, 115 feet 6 inches on the westerly side and 31 feet 6 inches on the northerly side.

(2) A six story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 16, Block No. 208, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 193, 195 and 197 Centre Street, said lot being situated on the westerly side of Centre Street and being approximately 75 feet 0 inches on Centre Street, 73 feet 0 inches on the westerly side and 23 feet 11 inches on the northerly side:

(3) A five story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 14, Block No. 208, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 199 and 201 Centre Street and No. 2 Howard Street, said lot being situated on the southwesterly corner of Howard and Centre Streets and being approximately 100 feet 8 1/2 inches on Centre Street, 38 feet 1 inch on the southerly side, 100 feet 6 inches on the westerly side and 36 feet 5 inches on Howard Street;

(4) A four story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 17, Block No. 197, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 133, 135 and 137 Centre Street and Nos. 112 and 114 White Street, said lot being situated on the northwest corner of White and Centre Streets, being approximately 90 feet 11 1/2 inches on Centre Street, 54 feet 6 inches on White Street, 89 feet 0 inches on the westerly side and 58 feet 4 inches on the northerly side;

(5) A five story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 14, Block No. 197, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 139, 141 and 143 Centre Street, said lot being situated on the westerly side of Centre Street and being approximately 71 feet 0 inches on Centre Street, 69 feet 3 inches on the westerly side and 83 feet 2 inches on the northerly side;

(6) A five story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 11, Block No. 197, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 145, 147 and 149 Centre Street, and 102 Walker Street, said lot being situated on the southwesterly corner of Walker and Centre Streets and being approximately 75 feet 0 inches on Centre Street, 43 feet 11 inches on the southerly side and 44 feet 10 inches on Walker Street;

(7) All the buildings, including a five story brick building and a two story brick building standing on Tax Lots Nos. 26, 27 and 28, Block No. 197, Sec. 1, known as Nos. 131, 133 and 135 Centre Street, Nos. 106 and 108 Walker Street and 102 Canal Street, said lots being situated on the westerly side of Centre Street, between Walker and Canal Streets and being approximately 103 feet 11 inches on Centre Street, 45 feet 11 inches on Walker Street, thence running northerly and parallel or nearly so with Centre Street, from the most westerly point of said lot on the northerly side of Walker Street a distance of 37 feet 3 inches, thence easterly to 100 feet 0 inches from a point on the southerly side of Canal Street distant 26 feet 2 inches from the point of intersection of the westerly side of Centre Street with the southerly side of Canal Street, thence northerly a distance of 54 feet 7 inches to the southerly side of Canal Street and thence easterly along the southerly side of Canal Street 26 feet 2 inches to the point of intersection of the westerly side of Centre Street with the southerly side of Canal Street;

(8) A four story brick building standing on Tax Lot No. 1, Block No. 481, Sec. 2, known as Nos. 3 and 5 Cleveland Place, situated on the easterly side of Cleveland Place and being approximately 79 feet 3

at a point on the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 41 and Tax Lot No. 40, distant 66 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ inches from the northerly side of Broome Street, thence running in a northeasterly direction along a curved line drawn with a radius of 24.58 feet, with its convexity towards the north a distance of 33 feet 7 inches to the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 40 and Tax Lot No. 39, thence northerly along said last mentioned boundary line a distance of 23 feet 5 inches to the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 40 and Tax Lot No. 41, thence westerly along said last mentioned boundary line a distance of 24 feet 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 41 and Tax Lot No. 40 and thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary line 45 feet 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the point or place of beginning; and the other of said parcels, being situated on the southeasterly side of and adjacent to the said parcel last hereinabove described and within a line distant not more than 10 feet southeasterly therefrom and wholly within said Tax Lot No. 40.

(3) So much of a one story brick building as stands on a portion of Tax Lot No. 39, Block No. 481, Sec. 2, known as No. 106 Broome Street, said lot being situated on the northerly side of Broome Street and being approximately 25 feet 0 inches on Broome Street, 118 feet 1 inch on the westerly side thereof, 26 feet 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches on the northerly side and 117 feet 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches on the easterly side, said portion of said lot being described in two parcels as follows: One parcel, beginning at a point on the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 40 and Tax Lot No. 39, distant 94 feet 7 inches from the northerly side of Broome Street, thence running in a northeasterly direction along a curved line drawn with a radius of 24.58 feet, with its convexity towards the north, a distance of 31 feet 5 inches to the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 39 and Tax Lot No. 33, thence northerly along said last mentioned boundary line a distance of 6 feet 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the boundary line between Tax Lot No. 39 and Tax Lot No. 32, thence westerly along the last mentioned boundary line a distance of 26 feet 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the first mentioned boundary line between Tax Lot No. 40 and Tax Lot No. 39, and thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary line a distance of 23 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning; and the other of said parcels, being situated on the southeasterly side of and adjacent to said Tax Lot No. 39 last hereinabove described and within a line distant not more than 10 feet southeasterly therefrom and wholly within said Tax Lot No. 39.

(4) All the buildings standing on Tax Lots Nos. 37 and 32, Block No. 481, Sec. 2, known as Nos. 187 and 188 Mulberry Street, said lots being situated on the southwesterly corner of Mulberry Street and Delancey Street Extension, being approximately 35 feet 0 inches on Mulberry Street, 100 feet 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches on Delancey Street Extension, 51 feet 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches on the westerly side and 100 feet 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches on the southerly side.

Said parcels of property are more particularly described on three certain maps or plans and memoranda, on file in the office of the Register of the County of New York, marked as follows: one "Public Service Commission for the First District, Chief Engineer's Office, Route No. 9-0-1 and 9-0-3, Drawing No. 28, March 2, 1908, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer," one "Public Service Commission for the First District, Chief Engineer's Office, Route No. 9-0-2, Drawing No. 38, March 2, 1908, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer," and one "Public Service Commission for the First District, Chief Engineer's Office, Route No. 9-0-4, Drawing No. 44, March 2, 1908, Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer."

Pursuant to a resolution of the Public Service Commission for the First District adopted on August 3rd, 1908, the sale of the above described buildings will be held by the said Commission on September 1, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. in the premises, upon the following terms and conditions:

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn in the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also, at the time of the sale, give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of Fifty Dollars the sum of fifty dollars shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City of New York to the cost of completing any other work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

All the materials of the buildings, sheds, walls, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the sidewalk and curb in front of said buildings extending within the described area and down to the level of the cellar bottom, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises except old mortar or plaster only which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point; also the foundation walls of all classes shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that this has been performed; but this provision shall not apply where portions only of buildings are removed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the direction of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed; but this provision shall not apply where portions only of buildings are removed.

The permits for all openings in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any portion thereof within sixty days from the day of the sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidders' assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike

manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them may be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., ripped up, and the walls pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Public Service Commission for the First District reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids.

New York, August 3rd, 1908.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

By WM. R. WILLCOX, Chairman.

By TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1908.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF BLOCK TRACKS FOR THE ELECTRIFIED RAILWAY OF THE WILLIAMSBURG (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days from the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and in accordance with the plans and specifications, within fifty (50) calendar days.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should be deemed it to the interest of the City so to do.

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

J. W. STEVENSON, Commissioner.

Dated July 20, 1908.

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BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Water Supply in the office of the Board, No. 200 Broadway, New York, Room 910, ninth floor, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1908.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANY ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING CLASSES OF SUPPLIES:

Class A—Engineering supplies.
Class B—Stationery supplies.
Class C—Printed forms.
Class D—Hardware.

The quantities of the various classes of supplies are stated in the bid or proposal, and further information is given in the Information for Bidders.

At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contracts, if awarded, will be made by the Board of Water Supply as soon thereafter as practicable.

A bond for the sum of thirty-five per cent. (35%) of the total amount of the contract will be required for the faithful performance of each contract. This bond must be signed by the contractor and the surety, who must be satisfactory to the Board. The name and address of the surety offered must be stated in the bid or proposal.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200) for each class bid upon.

The date fixed for the completion of the delivery is December 31, 1908.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract and bond, approved by the Corporation Counsel, and specifications, can be obtained at the office of the Board of Water Supply, Room 1515, at the above address, upon application in person or by mail.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President.

CHARLES N. CHADWICK, Commissioner of the Board of Water Supply.

J. WALDO SMITH, Chief Engineer.

THOMAS HASSER, Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Water Supply, in the office of the Board, No. 200 Broadway, New York, Room 910, ninth floor, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1908.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 4-MILE STRETCH OF PLAIN CONCRETE CONDUIT

KNOWN AS CUT-AND-COVER AQUEDUCT, 12 FEET HIGH BY 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ FEET WIDE INSIDE, APPROXIMATELY BETWEEN IRELAND CORNERS AND NEW HURLEY, IN THE TOWNS OF GARDINER, PLATTKILL AND SHAWANGUNK, ULSTER COUNTY, N. Y.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various classes of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming a part of the contract.

At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board of Water Supply as soon thereafter as practicable.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be Two Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$225,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. Each bond must be signed by the contractor and the sureties. The name and address of each surety offered must be stated in the bid or proposal, together with the amount in which each surety will qualify. The sureties and the amount in which each will qualify must be satisfactory to the Board.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 44 months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract and bond, approved by the Corporation Counsel, and specifications and pamphlets containing contract drawings, can be obtained at the office of the Board of Water Supply, Room 1515, at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply, for each pamphlet, or twenty dollars (\$20) for each set. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President.

CHARLES N. CHADWICK, Commissioner of the Board of Water Supply.

J. WALDO SMITH, Chief Engineer.

THOMAS HASSER, Secretary.

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOSWICH HALL, BOSWICH 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, AUGUST 10, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH IRON SLAG PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FOURTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,350 square yards iron slag pavement, including binder course.

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

385 cubic yards concrete.

20 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

600 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ASHLAND PLACE, FROM LAFAYETTE AVENUE TO HANSON PLACE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,860 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

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

675 cubic yards of concrete.

225 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

2,030 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600).

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BLAKE AVENUE, FROM HOPKINSON AVENUE TO JUNIUS STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,010 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course, outside of railroad franchise area (five years' maintenance).

23 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course, within railroad franchise area (no maintenance).

1,234 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad franchise area.

3 cubic yards concrete, within railroad franchise area.

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

The amount of security is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF COLUMBIA STREET, FROM HARRISON STREET TO HAMILTON AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

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100 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad franchise area.
20 cubic yards concrete, within railroad franchise area.
1,000 square feet new granite bridgestones, outside railroad franchise area.
200 square feet new granite bridgestones, within railroad franchise area.
800 square feet old bridgestones, rejoined and relaid.
250 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid in approaches, etc.
6,880 linear feet new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.
300 linear feet old bluestone curbstones, redressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

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

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, FROM FOURTH AVENUE TO FIFTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,700 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.
300 cubic yards concrete.
10 linear feet new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

1,500 linear feet old bluestone curbstones, redressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$2,100).

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ST. FELIX STREET, FROM LAFAYETTE AVENUE TO JIANSOON PLACE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,540 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.
10 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

200 cubic yards concrete.
600 linear feet new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.
200 linear feet old bluestone curbstones, redressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

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

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

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH IRON SLAG PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THIRTY-SECOND STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FOURTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,300 square yards iron slag block pavement, with cement joints.
10 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

300 cubic yards concrete.
550 linear feet new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.
800 linear feet old bluestone curbstones, redressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

The 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 Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600).

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH IRON SLAG PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THIRTY-THIRD STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FOURTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,300 square yards of iron slag block pavement, with cement joints.
10 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

300 cubic yards concrete.
700 linear feet new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.
600 linear feet old bluestone curbstones, redressed, rejoined and reset in concrete.

The 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 Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600).

No. 15. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) NET TONS OF REFINED ASPHALT AT THE MUNICIPAL ASPHALT PLANT, AT SIXTH STREET AND GOWANUS CANAL, BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 14, Municipal Building.

RICHARD S. COLER, President.

Dated August 3, 1908.

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

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times," Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail," Weekly—"Democracy," "The Sunday Times," German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1908; Amended March 1, 1908; November 20, 1908; February 20, 1907, and March 6, 1908.

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 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FIRE PROTECTION, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 16, WILSON, NEAR BEDFORD AVENUE, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL 35, N. E., DECATUR STREET, NEAR LEWIS AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 16..... \$3,500.
Public School 35, N. E..... 1,600.
Total..... 5,100.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

No. 2. FOR FIRE PROTECTION, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 24, McDODGAL STREET AND ROCKAWAY AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT MANUAL TRAINING HIGH SCHOOL, GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS 9, 10, 12, 37, 38, 39, 77, 82, 85, 92, 100, 106, 107, 113, 122, 143, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Manual Training High School..... \$200.
Girls' High School..... 2,600.
Public School 9..... 600.
Public School 10..... 100.
Public School 12..... 100.
Public School 37..... 100.
Public School 38..... 100.
Public School 39..... 100.
Public School 77..... 100.
Public School 82..... 100.
Public School 85..... 100.
Public School 92..... 100.
Public School 100..... 100.
Public School 106..... 100.
Public School 107..... 100.
Public School 113..... 100.
Public School 122..... 100.
Public School 143..... 100.
Public School 143..... 100.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

No. 4. The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in lump sum to the lowest bidder.

No. 5. and 6. The bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 137 Livingston Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF Chapter 532 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 138, 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.

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

MUNDAY, AUGUST 17, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO BUILDING OF QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 17, LOCATED AT NO. 91 LUDLOW STREET.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and thirty (130) days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 17, LOCATED AT NO. 83 LAWRENCE STREET.

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

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

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

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 18, LOCATED AT NO. 81 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET, AND TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 19, LOCATED

AT NO. 221 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

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

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner 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 Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated August 3, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED FEET OF 3/4-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before sixty (60) days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed on, 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.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated July 28, 1908.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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 road in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

KINGSLIDGE ROAD—CLOSING, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street. Confirmed May 1, 1908; entered August 3, 1908. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

On the north by West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, on the south by West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, on the east by Eighth avenue and on the west by Amsterdam avenue.

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 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 105 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 in the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 105 of this act."

Section 105 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 of Water Rents, Room 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before October 3, 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, August 3, 1908.

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and 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 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 October 3, 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 the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, August 4, 1908.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1019 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3, AND THIRTY-ETHI WARD, SECTION 18.

FIRST AVENUE—REGULATING AND GRADING, between Fifty-seventh street and a point midway between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of First avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to Sixty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

SEVENTEEN WARD, SECTION 9.
CALVER STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, PAVING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Newell and Dumont streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Calver street, from Newell to Diamond street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

NORMAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, from the end of the Belgian pavement, about 100 feet west of Morgan avenue to Bridgewater street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Norman avenue, from 100 feet west of Morgan avenue to Bridgewater street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.
KINGSTON AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND PAVING, between St. John's place and Eastern parkway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kingston avenue, from St. John's place to Eastern parkway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.
BINSDALE STREET—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, between Sutter and Riverdale avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Binsdale street, from Sutter to Riverdale avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH, TWENTY-NINTH AND THIRTY-SECOND WARDS, SECTION 12.
SUTTER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Howard avenue and East Ninety-eighth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sutter avenue, from Howard avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.
DUMONT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Van Sickle and Schenck avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Dumont avenue, from Van Sickle to Schenck avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

GLENDMORE AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from Elders lane to Queens County line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Glenmore avenue, from Elders lane to Queens County line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.
EAST FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Albemarle road and Church avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Fifth street, from Albemarle road to Church avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST FIFTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Cortelyou and Dorchester roads. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Fifteenth street, from Cortelyou to Dorchester road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST SIXTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Beverley and Dorchester roads. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Sixteenth street, between Beverley and Dorchester roads, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST TWENTY-NINTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Newkirk and Foster avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Twenty-ninth street, from Newkirk to Foster avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

LAYING CROSSWALKS at the north, south and east intersections of WEST STREET AND AVENUE E; at the west crossing of WEST and FORTY-FIRST STREETS; at the west crossing of WEST and FORTY-FIRST STREETS; at the north, south and west crossings of WEST and FORTY-THIRD STREETS; and at the north, south and

west crossings of WEST and FORTY-FOURTH STREETS. Area of assessment: Both sides of West street, from Thirty-ninth to Forty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTYEETH WARD, SECTION 17.
FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Eleventh avenue and Kouwenhoven lane. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Eleventh avenue and Kouwenhoven lane, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTYEETH WARD, SECTION 18.
CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on SEVENTH AVENUE, west side, from Bay Ridge avenue to Seventy-fifth street, and on SEVENTH AVENUE, east side, from Bay Ridge avenue to Seventy-third street. Area of assessment: West side of Seventh avenue, from Bay Ridge avenue to Seventy-fifth street, and east side of Seventh avenue, from Bay Ridge avenue to Seventy-third street.

SIXTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixty-first street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Fourth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from Fourth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTYEETH WARD, SECTION 19.
FOURTEENTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-ninth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fourteenth avenue, from Seventy-fifth to Seventy-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 21.
WEST SIXTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from a point 75 feet west of Bristol street to Howard avenue, and DUMONT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, from Rockaway avenue to Howard avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Dumont avenue, from a point 75 feet west of Bristol street to Howard avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 12.
DUMONT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, from a point 75 feet west of Bristol street to Howard avenue, and DUMONT AVENUE—LAVING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from Rockaway avenue to Howard avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Dumont avenue, from a point 75 feet west of Bristol street to Howard avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on July 28, 1908, and entered July 28, 1908, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides " * * * An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby, ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before October 3, 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 the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, July 28, 1908.

thence southerly along the westerly side of Bridge street 200.08 feet to the northerly side of Nassau street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Nassau street 11.72 feet; thence northwesterly 230.50 feet to the southerly side of High street; thence easterly along the southerly side of High street 200.17 feet to the point of beginning.

All of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, adopted at a meeting held June 11, 1908, the sale of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held, at the direction of the Comptroller, on

Public School 58, Woodhaven, in the Borough of Queens, and which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held June 11, 1908, the sale of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held, at the direction of the Comptroller, on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1908,

at 11 o'clock a. m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also at the time of sale give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of fifty dollars, the sum of fifty dollars shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walls, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the sidewalk and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area and down to the level of the cellar bottom, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point; also the foundation walls of all classes shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances or any part thereof within sixty days from the day of the sale will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furring, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls, are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall painted and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

J. H. McCOOEY,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller,
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,
July 22, 1908.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,
December 18, 1908.

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NTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case supplies 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 \$300,000.
Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements—

Two companies on a bond up to \$50,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.
Regulating, Grading, Paving, Sewers, Water Mains, Dredging, Construction of Parks, Parkway, 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 \$300,000.
New Docks, Buildings, Bridges, Aqueducts, Tunnels, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.
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 \$300,000.

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE

A
T THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction buildings now standing on property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for bridge purposes, in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

aid buildings being situated and described as follows:

Parcel 10.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of High street and the easterly side of Jay street, and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Jay street 100.53 feet; thence northwesterly 180.24 feet to the northerly side of High street; thence westerly along the northerly side of High street 82.05 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel 11.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Bridge street and the northerly side of High street, and running thence westerly along the northerly side of High street 100.66 feet; thence northwesterly 180.16 feet to the northerly side of Nassau street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Nassau street 100.46 feet to the easterly side of Jay street; thence northerly along the easterly side of Jay street 200.96 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel 12.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of High street and the easterly side of Jay street, and running thence easterly along the easterly side of Jay street 100.53 feet; thence northerly along the easterly side of Jay street 200.96 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of High street and the easterly side of Bridge street, and running

Repairs, Ventilating, Heating, Plumbing, Etc.—
One company on a bond up to \$45,000.
Two companies on a bond up to \$35,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$30,000.
Four companies on a bond up to \$20,000.
On bonds regarded as hazardous risks additional surety will be required as the Commissioners see fit in each instance.
All bonds exceeding \$10,000 will by that fact alone be considered hazardous risks, no matter what the nature of the work.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1908.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF Onderdonk AVENUE, FROM ELM (CHARTER) STREET TO STANHOPE STREET, SECOND WARD, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

3,300 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
800 cubic yards of earth excavation.
450 cubic yards of earth filling.
450 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.
1,700 linear feet of concrete curb, furnished and set.

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

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ACADEMY STREET, FROM FREEMAN AVENUE TO WILBUR AVENUE, FIRST WARD, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

3,300 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
800 square feet of bridging.
450 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

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

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. TO CONSTRUCT ONE CATCH BASIN ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SANFORD STREET AND HAMILTON STREET, FIRST WARD.

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

30 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.

1 receiving basin, complete.

3 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

1000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. TO CONSTRUCT SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN THIRD AVENUE FROM BROADWAY TO GRAHAM AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

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

545 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe, sewer.

25 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.

990 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe for house connections.

6 manholes, complete.

1 receiving basin, complete.

25 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

3,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.

3,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Bids and further information may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

LAWRENCE GRESSEL,
President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, July 29, 1908.

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

STATE WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to section 3 of chapter 733 of the Laws of 1908, the

STATE WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION

will meet at the Watson House, in the Village of Babylon, Long Island, on the 10th day of September, 1908, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of hearing all persons, municipal corporations or other civil divisions of the State of New York that may be affected by the execution of the plans of the City of New York, for securing a new and additional supply of water, plans for which have been filed with the New York State Water Supply Commission, at its office, No. 21 Eagle street, Albany, N. Y., where the same are open for public inspection, and for the purpose of determining whether said plans are justified by public necessity, and whether the same are just and equitable to the other municipalities and civil divisions of the State of New York and to the inhabitants thereof affected thereby, and whether said plans make fair and equitable provisions for the determination and payment of any and all damages to persons and property, both direct and indirect, which will result from the execution thereof.

The execution of such plans will affect lands situated in the County of Suffolk, will also affect the flow of water in streams flowing in or through said County of Suffolk, the riverian

rights on cold streams and also the water rights of cold streams.

All persons, municipal corporations and other civil divisions of the State of New York who have objection to the execution of said plans, in order to be heard thereon, must file such objections thereto in writing in the office of the State Water Supply Commission, in the City of Albany, N. Y., on or before the 9th day of September, 1908. Every objection so filed must particularly specify the grounds thereof.

No person, municipal corporation or local authority can be heard in opposition thereto except on objections so filed.

Dated Albany, N. Y., July 31, 1908.

HENRY IL PERSONS,
ERNST J. LEIDERLE,
JOHN A. SLEACHER,
MILTON ACKER,
CHARLES DAVIS,
State Water Supply Commission.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 309 BROADWAY, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF all competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled. No application will be accepted at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after the closing hour for the receipt of same set forth in the advertisement.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing or by personal application at the office of the Commission, Room 1119.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, and advertised in the City Record for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals pertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Specimen questions of previous examinations may be obtained at Room 1108.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

FRANK L. POLK,
President;
R. ROSS APPLETON,
ARTHUR J. O'KEEFE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.

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.

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) GALLONS REFINED COAL TAR (NO. 2, 1908) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for delivery of articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is twenty (20) days.

The amount of security is Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

HENRY SMITH,

President;
JOSEPH J. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A COMFORT STATION LOCATED IN THE RAMBLE, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH STREET TRANSVERSE ROAD, IN CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

The time for the completion of the contract is within forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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, Borough of Manhattan, Arsenal, Central Park.

HENRY SMITH,

President;
JOSEPH J. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated August 18, 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, AUGUST 20, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY TO GRADE GREENPOINT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time for the completion of the contract is within sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000).

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, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

HENRY SMITH,

President;
JOSEPH J. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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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, AUGUST 20, 1908.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR WORK AND MATERIAL FOR THE EXECUTION OF THE APPROACH WORK EXTERIOR TO THE BUILDING OF THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY, ASTOR, LENOX AND TILDEN FOUNDATIONS, FIFTH AVENUE, FORTIETH AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS.

The security required will be Fifty Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two years after notice to begin work at the building has been given by the Commissioner.

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, Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations, No. 225 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan.

HENRY SMITH,

President;
JOSEPH J. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated August 3, 1908.

54.20

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, AUGUST 20, 1908.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A COMFORT STATION LOCATED IN THE RAMBLE, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH STREET TRANSVERSE ROAD, IN CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

The contracts must be bid for separately.

The bids will be compared and

of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, Third Ward.

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 Crotona Park South, from Fulton avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block of the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of West One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Aqueduct avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Anderson avenue, from West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to Shakespeare avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Bay avenue, between the existing sewer in Simonson avenue and a point about 475 feet southerly therefrom; both sides of Bay avenue, from the southerly line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit tracks to a point about 450 feet southerly therefrom.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before September 8, 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,
August 6, 1908.

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SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIER (OLD) 14, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the easterly one-half part of all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property an or near the southerly line of South street, in said Borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier (old) 13 and the westerly side of Pier (old) 14, and between the easterly side of Pier (old) 14 and Pier (new) 12, not now owned by The City of New York, necessary for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Slaking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses, together with a statement of the amounts previously taxed, to whom the same were payable and the date of such taxation, 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, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 21st day of August, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, together with said statement, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated New York, August 10, 1908.
JOHN T. DOOLING,
Chairman;

ADOLPH SCHILLINGER,
THOMAS J. McMANUS,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
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 through or under which is required an easement for the purpose of constructing an outlet sewer in WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the westerly line of the Spuyten Duyvil and Fort Morris Railroad to the bulkhead line of the Harlem River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court House in The City of New York, on the 18th day of August, 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1902.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, August 5, 1908.

TIMOTHY E. COHALAN,
RODERICK J. KENNEDY,
JEAN WEIL,
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 NEW

STREET, located between Broome and Spring streets, and extending from the Bowery to Elm street, as laid out by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 29, 1903, and approved by the Mayor on June 17, 1903, in the Fourteenth 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 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of September, 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 23rd day of September, 1908.

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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before September 8, 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,
August 6, 1908.

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of the Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 639 of the Laws of 1904, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 28th day of April, 1903, and filed in the offices of the Register of the County of New York, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about the 3d day of August, 1903.

Dated New York, August 1, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.
Half of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

the southerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street lying between West Farms road and the Bronx River, running thence westerly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, in its intersection with the easterly line of West Farms road; thence northerly on a straight line to the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Boston road with the northerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street lying west of Boston road; thence westerly along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Boston road; thence northerly along said line parallel to Boston road and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with the westerly line of the Bronx River; thence southerly, following the windings of the Bronx River, to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX,
JOSEPH T. RYAN,
JAMES P. O'CONNOR,
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, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THAYER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Nagle avenue, and ARDEN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Nagle avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of August, 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 21, 1908.

PATRICK J. CASEY,
MAX BAR,
RICHARD O. KEEFFE,
Commissioners of Estimate.
PATRICK J. CASEY,
Commissioner of Assessment.

JESSE 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 BRONX STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue, or One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, to One Hundred and Eightieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 186 Montague street, in The Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of August, 1908, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of September, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 186 Montague street, in The Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of August, 1908, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 29th day of August, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises which are within the area of assessment laid and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 16th day of November, 1903, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated and being

the southerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street lying between West Farms road and the Bronx River, running thence westerly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, in its intersection with the easterly line of West Farms road; thence northerly on a straight line to the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Boston road with the northerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street lying west of Boston road; thence northerly along said line parallel to Boston road and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with the westerly line of the Bronx River; thence southerly, following the windings of the Bronx River, to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX,
JOSEPH T. RYAN,
JAMES P. O'CONNOR,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX,
JOSEPH T. RYAN,
JAMES P. O'CONNOR,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

21,10

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of SEVENTH AVENUE, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Harry H. Dale, Andrew Macrory and William Pickerman, Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, have made and signed their final report herein and on August 10, 1908, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in Kings County, on August 24, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Brooklyn, New York City, August 10, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

JOSEPH JACOBS,
Chairman;

STEPHEN J. NAVIN, JR.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of SEVENTH AVENUE, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Harry H. Dale, Andrew Macrory and William Pickerman, Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, have made and signed their final report herein and on August 10, 1908, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in Kings County, on August 24, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Brooklyn, New York City, August 10, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

JOSEPH JACOBS,
Chairman;

STEPHEN J. NAVIN, JR.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of HENRY STREET, between Ocean parkway and East Eighth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 186 Montague street, in The Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of August, 1908, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 29th day of September, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 186 Montague street, in The Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of August, 1908, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that

