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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, March 6, 1906, 1.30 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Elias Goodman, Vice-Chairman.	Max S. Grifenhagen.	Michael J. Monahan.
Charles Ahner.	John D. Gunther.	William E. Morris.
Jacob Bartscherer.	John J. Haggerty.	Thomas J. Mulligan.
B. W. B. Brown.	Charles Hahn.	Arthur H. Murphy.
Michael J. Carter.	John J. Hahn.	Cornelius D. Noonan.
Charles P. Cole.	Philip Harnischfeger.	George W. Olvany.
John J. Collins.	Patrick J. Hatton.	Francis J. O'Neill.
John J. Cronin.	Casper Herold.	Henry Clay Peters.
John R. Davies.	Patrick Higgins.	Lewis M. Potter.
John Diemer.	Leonard L. Jacobson, M. D.	James W. Redmond.
Thomas D. Dinwoodie.	Patrick S. Keely.	David S. Rendt.
Frank J. Dotzler.	William P. Kenneally.	Frederick Richter.
Reginald S. Doull.	Ardolph L. Kline.	William Rowcroft.
Frank L. Dowling.	Joseph Krulish.	Joseph Schloss.
Robert F. Downing.	Charles L. Kuck.	George J. Schneider.
Andrew J. Doyle.	Charles Kuntze.	James J. Smith.
Joseph F. Ellery.	James Lawlor.	Michael Stapleton.
George Everson, M. D.	Harry L. Leverett.	Frank D. Sturges.
Joseph Falk.	Max S. Levine.	Timothy P. Sullivan.
John J. Farrell.	Frederick Linde.	Joseph M. Torpey.
Clarence R. Freeman.	George Markert.	William Wentz.
Herman S. Fried.	James Cowden Meyers.	Richard Wright.
	Thomas J. Moffitt.	

George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond.

Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens.

Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Bird S. Coler, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The President announced that Alderman Sullivan had been excused indefinitely. The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of February 28, 1906.

On motion of Alderman Richter, further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 331.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, }

March 2, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—I herewith return, with my disapproval, resolution from your Honorable Board, entitled "Resolution permitting Thomas Kells Sons Company to string electric lights in front of buildings, Java street, Brooklyn."

A resolution of this character should describe the license sought for in more definite language. It does not appear from the resolution where the licensee proposes to string these lights. If it is his intention to place them on the sidewalk or street in front of his property, such a resolution would be forbidden by the provisions of section 50 of the Charter.

The resolution is also defective, in my opinion, in that it fails to contain a provision placing the work under the supervision of the Borough President.

Respectfully,

GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Thomas Kells Sons Company to string electric lights in front of their two (2) buildings from Nos. 250 to 251 Java street, Borough of Brooklyn, at their own expense, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 364.

The Behr Monorail,
Beaver Building, No. 82 Beaver Street,
New York, February 28, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Gentlemen—I herewith beg to inform your Honorable Board that on the 10th of January, 1906, I made application to the Rapid Transit Commission to arrange for a public hearing, as a preliminary proceeding for obtaining a franchise to build a railway, starting at the terminus of the Interborough Railway, at the junction of Flatbush and Atlantic avenues, to Coney Island.

The following routes are suggested as being best for the development and the convenience of Brooklyn. They are four in number, but two are laid out along the public streets and two along a private right of way, each two if combined forming a complete loop or circle. Of course, the advantages to the City of a circular route are obvious.

First Route—Public Streets.

Starting at the junction of Flatbush and Atlantic avenues, at the terminus of the Interborough Railway, it is proposed to go down Fourth avenue to Eighty-fifth or Eighty-sixth street, where the route turns down either street, along which it continues till it arrives at Stillwell avenue, where it turns south into West Twelfth street, and continues down this street to the terminal loop at Coney Island.

Second Route—Public Streets.

Starting again from the terminus of the Interborough at Flatbush and Atlantic avenues, but on the other side of the elevated line, it is proposed to go along Atlantic or Pacific avenue, turning down south into Bedford avenue. The route now runs practically straight, going down Bedford avenue and continuing into East Twenty-third street and on into East Twenty-fourth street to Avenue T. Here the route deviates first east, then south into East Nineteenth street, along which it goes until it curves to the east into Emmons avenue, deviating at Coney Island avenue into Sheepshead Bay road, along which it goes to the terminus and loop of the first route.

This completes the first circular route.

Third Route—Private Right of Way.

Starting at the same place as in Route 2, it is proposed to go between Fifth and Sixth avenues, turning southeast between Prospect avenue and Seventeenth street; then turning south between Gravesend avenue and East Second street to Lotts lane. At Lotts lane it deviates to the southwest, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues, curving round to the southeast, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, to Twenty-second avenue. At Twenty-second avenue it turns south between West Eleventh and West Twelfth streets, directly down to Coney Island terminus and loop.

Fourth Route—Private Right of Way.

Starting at the same place as Routes 2 and 3, it is proposed to go along between Atlantic and Pacific avenues to Franklin avenue, where it turns south between Bedford and Franklin avenues, and then down until it deviates a little to the east, crossing Bedford avenue at Crown street, and turning south again between Bedford avenue and Stoddard place, into blocks between Bedford and Rogers avenues. The route then continues between Bedford and Rogers avenues, running into blocks between Bedford avenue and Lotts street; then between Bedford avenue and East Twenty-fifth street to Flatbush avenue. Here it deviates to run between East Twenty-fifth and East Twenty-sixth streets, and goes straight on down between these two avenues to Avenue T, where it deviates to the southwest and runs across open country, turning west along Neptune avenue and then turning down between West Third and West Fifth streets to Coney Island terminus and loop.

This completes the second circular route.

Up to date I have only received a letter dated the 11th of January, 1906, from the Rapid Transit Commission, acknowledging the receipt of my application, and informing me that the matter will be brought to the attention of the Board immediately. I shall be pleased to give you any information you may desire, and shall be pleased to wait upon you at your convenience should you wish it.

I am, gentlemen,

Yours obediently,

F. B. BEHR.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

No. 365.

Bureau of the Public Administrator, }
New York, February 28, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30, of the Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES,

Public Administrator of the County of New York.

A Transcript of Such of His Accounts as Have Been Closed or Finally Settled Since the Date of His Last Report.

The following estates closed, pursuant to chapter 230 of the Laws of 1898:

Name of Deceased.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount Paid for Funeral Expenses; Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions Paid Into the City Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount Paid Into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.
Josephine Leisl		\$44 31		\$8 33		\$35 98
Walter Wilson		35		35		
Bridget Gaynor		6 84		50		6 34

Name of Deceased.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount Paid for Funeral Expenses; Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions Paid into the City Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount Paid into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.
Julia Sheehan		229 80		17 26		212 54
Edward C. Hyde.....		49 15		10 75		38 40
Johann Gaffga		30 37		6 60		23 77
Catherine Serre		1 50		13		1 37
Frank Nottebaum		5 90		44		5 46
Anna M. Carey.....		148 50		8 44		140 06
Raffelo Caladera		6 56		37		6 19
Herman Aschkenazi		64		04		60
Johanna Engle		1 70		10		1 60
Annie Keeler		31 25		7 52		23 73
John Lyons		3 15		17		2 98
Margaret Kenny		38 43				38 43
Herman Adamoff		26		02		24
August W. Eichler.....		09		09		
Edwin Slevin		55		06		49
Mary D. Dondon.....		3 60		19		2 41
Margaret Sherry		112 73		11 74		100 99
Otto Podratz		05				05
William H. Grogan.....		7 40		6 80		60
Joseph Cole		9 17		5 08		4 09
Julius Srap		77		05		72
Annie Ryan		112 30		13 00		99 30
George Larson		7 76		42		7 34
John Barrett		10 71		5 64		5 07
Ivan A. Chartanovich.....		56 90		8 40		48 50
Annie Thornton		9 62		52		9 10
Susan Pitts		18 81		11 21		7 60
Kate Wyman		19 78		5 62		14 16
John Van Buskirk.....		2 72		14		2 58
Frederick Kniffen		2 50		13		2 37
Margaret Webber		7 30		4 69		2 61
Paul Dietzel		9 47		8 15		1 32
Isidor G. Schaul.....	Jan. 8, 1906	1,085 24	\$71 33	54 26	\$959 65	
Christian Sprick		3 70		19	3 51	
Mary Welch		16 89	16 05	84		
Appoline Weibel	Jan. 31, 1906	2,561 12	265 35	126 57	1,431 46	737 74
John Cosiac, Jr.....	Jan. 30, 1906	572 72	246 37	28 64		297 71
Margaret Moore	Jan. 30, 1906	1,077 46	237 75	53 87	785 84	
Bridget Mahoney		88 10	83 69	4 41		
Katie Kilburn		127 33	120 96	6 37		
Gabrielle Hall-Dare, etc.....		367 88	349 49	18 39		
Maria Duddenhausen		292 08	246 65	14 95	30 48	
Johanna O'Connor	Feb. 3, 1906	1,007 25	240 44	50 86	715 95	
Joseph Asher		72 75	20		72 55	
William M. Green.....	Balance.	123 23	16 35	3 08	103 80	
Agnes McCauley		205 96			102 98	102 98
William M. Green.....		10 00		25	9 75	
		\$8,601 65	\$1,894 63	\$505 63	\$4,215 97	\$1,985 42

A Statement of the Title of Any Estate on Which Any Money Has Been Received Since the Date of the Last Report.

Name of Deceased.	Total Amount Received.	Name of Deceased.	Total Amount Received.
Auguste Zolvert	\$5 08	James Fairclough	1,176 77
Mathilda Hoag	90	Niel Lindahl	10 00
John Hare	502 75	Louis W. Contilli.....	4 00
Charles Gloser	26 25	George Spillman	05
John S. Hueston.....	6 00	Katherine Schultz	16 25
Joseph Afaper	52 75	Odell D. Lynt.....	52 75
John McClymont	1,000 00	William M. Green.....	33 23
Charles E. Krause.....	105 00	J. J. Smith.....	1,170 56
Herman Petterson	306 00	Lucy Sparks	4 20
David Zeh	1 56	Estates received from Commissioner	
Catherine L. Power.....	70 00	of Charities, as per list attached	
Mary J. O'Connell.....	566 10	Charles Dillweg	14 26
Ellen Mulhall	362 10	Luigi Steffenone	99 54
Katie Kilburn	127 33	Charles Belmont	60
Solomon Rencurrell	409 44	Lipandi Enrico	200 00
Harry Dempsey	457 76	Jacob Edimann	582 09
Estates received from Commissioner		Catherine Schultz	114 10
of Charities January 5, 1906.,		Charles C. Hayden.....	100 00
Thomas Hale and others, as per		George Nichols	5 00
list attached		William McGrath	14 42

Name of Deceased.	Total Amount Received.	Name of Deceased.	Total Amount Received.
Coroners, received from Coroner of		Samuel Bart	29
The Bronx, estates of Bolerlaus		Ellen M. Richardson.....	33 00
Torkorki and others, as per list		Gregory McDonald	1 29
attached		Niel Lindhal	48 50
Martin Murphy	6 37	William M. Green.....	10 00
Ellen Mulley	26 61	Niel Lindahl	75 00
Sabatino Natale	24 06	Hugo Frankfeld	178 00
Frank McCoy	11 00	Charles E. McDonald.....	96 41
Joseph Goopanick	50	Interest received from banks on	
William B. Slingerland	11	average amount of deposits.....	
Bernhard Durheim	100 00		414 43
	339 66		\$9,117 55

Cash received from R. C. Baker, Private Secretary to the Commissioner of Charities, January 5, 1906:

Thomas Hale.....	\$0 65
Catherine Roach.....	1 56
Rachel Axberg.....	10 00
Chin Sing.....	18
James Hewitson.....	1 50
Fred. Leiter.....	50
Catherine Vencura.....	1 75
William Wohlrabe.....	3 25
James Hawkins.....	75
Kate Nelson.....	25
Arthur Pigott.....	7 00
Jacob Wertzenlet.....	1 64
Bridget McPehlan.....	25
Jennie Meylich.....	2 22
John Doonan.....	75
Delia Cooney.....	30
Elizabeth Cameron.....	3 51
Mollie Morgan.....	75
Elizabeth Downes.....	1 03
John C. Wilson.....	10 00
Philip Ansorge.....	2 00
Peter Novata.....	5 00
Annie Bosterick.....	1 25
Bridget Finnigan.....	1 00
John Beaumont.....	46
Bridget Doran.....	25
Ellen Callahan.....	1 05
Louis Lorena.....	32
Mark Sheridan.....	7 00
Armand Morean.....	1 00
John Anderson.....	10
James J. Hands.....	2 00
Dennis O'Leary.....	18
Mary Geisler.....	2 00
Simon Walsh or Welch.....	75
Pollion B. Elliott.....	90
Pasquale Mecia.....	58
David Davidson.....	7 30
Annie Feldt.....	2 69
Morris Varanstein.....	3 00
Sigismund Neufeld.....	06
Lulu Young.....	02
Bernard Umbald.....	21 00
William Davis.....	2 00
William Higby.....	6 30
George Leibrock.....	2 00
Andrew McNeill.....	20
Mary Gillen.....	1 00
Patrick O'Connell.....	35
Mary E. Baker.....	3 00
Augustine Guano.....	2 05
James Rue.....	1 55
Total.....	\$126 20

Received from Commissioner of Charities February 5, 1906.

John Hegney	\$3 41
Kate Cavanagh	5 00
Mary Cavanagh or Kavanagh	85
Adam Reith	35
Sam Fettlebaum	71
Ham King Hong, less expenses 10 cents.....	1 25
Thomas Kirk	75
Minnie Bernheim	36
Mary Black	18
John M. Dodd	75
James Hard	4 00
Henry Plump	35
Augusta Howard	15
Mary Brennan	5 00
Charles Bennett	4 00
Annie Cusie	1 57
Henry Strasser	34
John Harris	26
Total.....	\$29 28

Cash from Coroner of The Bronx December 29, 1905.

Bolerlaus Tokorki, less charges \$1.....	\$1 79
Andres Sundell	1 80
Antonio Torbiello	2 18
Unknown man, found at Oak Point, less charges 20 cents.....	55
Unknown man, found at City Island	05
Total.....	\$6 37

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Richmond:

No. 366.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond,
New Brighton, N. Y., March 2, 1906.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—Upon the suggestion of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in accordance with the provisions of section 434 of the Charter of The City of New York, I beg to offer the inclosed resolution for adoption by the Board

of Aldermen in relation to the street approaches to the St. George terminal in this borough, action upon which was taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 9th day of February, 1906.

Very truly,
GEORGE CROMWELL,
President of the Borough.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of February, 1906, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided, namely:

"A copy of a resolution of the Local Board of the Staten Island District, duly adopted by said Board on the 29th day of December, 1905, and approved by the President of the Borough of Richmond on the 29th day of December, 1905, having been transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as follows, to wit:

"Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for the said local improvement, to wit:

"For improvement of the streets within the 'St. George Ferry Approach Plan,' extending from Hannah street on the south to the intersection of Stuyvesant place and Jay street with Richmond terrace on the north, namely, South street, Jay street, Hyatt street, Stuyvesant place to Weiner place, extension of Stuyvesant place to Griffin street, and the widening of Griffin street, the work to consist in general of building retaining walls, with their copings and railings, regulating and grading, paving, constructing sidewalks, curbing, turning, planting trees, setting of street lamps, culverts, and all other necessary features in connection with carrying out the work outlined; —"and there having been presented to said Board of Estimate and Apportionment an estimate in writing, in such detail as the Board has directed, that the cost of the proposed work or improvement will be the sum of \$765,300, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, to wit, the sum of \$1,241,600 to \$44,581,235, having also been presented, it is

"Resolved, That the said resolution of the said Local Board be and the same hereby is approved, and the local improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized. And this Board does hereby determine that 30 per cent. of the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited by the said local improvement, and that the remainder of such cost and expense shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, except that where the streets are occupied by a street railway, the cost of paving that part of the roadway occupied by the street railroad company operating thereon, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks, shall be paid or repaid to the City pursuant to law by the said street railroad company.

"Resolved, That nothing in the above resolutions contained shall prevent the street railway company from paving that portion of the roadway between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks at its own cost and expense, under the supervision of the President of the Borough.

"Resolved, That in the judgment of this Board the 30 per cent. which is to be assessed in the above proceeding should be distributed over the entire Borough of Richmond."

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting ordinances:

No. 367.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,
March 3, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK F. MCGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding \$25,000, to provide means for the necessary expenses of a Commission to be appointed by the Mayor in connection with the general improvement and development of Jamaica Bay, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and the general condition of the water front of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, and the preparation of plans and estimates in connection therewith.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to provide means for the necessary expenses of a Commission to be appointed by the Mayor in connection with the general improvement and development of Jamaica Bay, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and the general condition of the water front of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, and the preparation of plans and estimates in connection therewith,

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held December 13, 1905, upon the presentation of a report by the then Comptroller, unanimously adopted the following resolutions:

"Resolved, That a Commission, to be composed of Engineers, be appointed by the Mayor for the purpose of preparing and submitting to this Board, at the earliest date possible a report—

"First—Upon the general improvement and development of Jamaica Bay, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, along the lines indicated in the communication of the Comptroller to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, presented this day, together with plans for the physical improvement and an estimate of the cost of same; and

"Second—Upon the general condition of the water front of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, with recommendations as to the points at which the City should acquire land for the purposes of building public docks, together with such plans as may be necessary for development of the interior waterways; and be it further

"Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing the necessary means for payment of the expenses of such Commission, including the cost of preparation of plans and estimates, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to approve of an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Charter, to an amount not exceeding \$25,000, the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; and be it further

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to provide means for the necessary expenses of a Commission to be appointed by the Mayor in connection with the general improvement and development of Jamaica Bay, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and the general condition of the water front of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, and the preparation of plans and estimates in connection therewith, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to limit the time of the report of the Commission to be appointed by him under and pursuant to the resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, to December 1, 1906; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to send to each member of the Board of Aldermen a copy of the report dated November 17, 1905, by the then Comptroller to the

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, explaining in detail the necessity for such action as is proposed, together with a copy of these resolutions.

No. 368.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,
March 3, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK F. MCGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding \$800,000, for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon, and for additions to buildings already erected for the use of the Fire Department, together with copies of communication from the Commissioner of the Fire Department and report of the Principal Assistant Engineer, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Fire Department, City of New York,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
Borough of Manhattan, January 20, 1906.

Hon. GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, The City of New York:

Sir—On March 16, 1905, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution approving of the issue of Corporate Stock, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to an amount not exceeding \$500,000, to provide means for the acquisition of sites and the erection of buildings for the use of this Department, which resolution was subsequently amended so as to include additions and alterations to buildings already erected. The resolution was subsequently concurred in by the Board of Aldermen and approved by your Honor. This amount was much less than was asked, and hence the Department has not been in a financial position to meet any but its most urgent demands, and is therefore again constrained to urge upon your Honorable Board the pressing need of further and ampler provisions for these purposes.

The city is growing phenomenally in population; its residential and business sections are rapidly expanding; buildings for commercial and industrial purposes are continually springing up and large numbers of tenement and apartment houses are constantly being added to the already immense total of these structures in the municipality.

The Chief of Department and the Deputy Chief of Department in charge of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens have made a careful survey of the territory within their respective jurisdictions, and as a result have submitted reports on the needs of the service in the way of acquisition of sites, the erection of new buildings, and additions and alterations to buildings already erected for the purposes of this Department, as follows:

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

New Sites.

Thirty-third street, between Third and Lexington avenues, engine company	\$15,000 00
Thirty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues, hook and ladder company	15,000 00
Fifty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, engine and hook and ladder company	30,000 00
Seventy-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, double truck company	30,000 00
Ninety-fifth street, between Third and Lexington avenues, double engine company	30,000 00
One Hundred and First street, between Second and Third avenues, double truck company	30,000 00
One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Second and Third avenues, engine company	15,000 00
One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, hook and ladder company	15,000 00
Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street, hook and ladder company	15,000 00
Washington avenue, near One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, hook and ladder company	8,000 00
Crotona avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, engine company.	5,000 00
One Hundred and Seventy-first or One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Washington avenue, engine and truck company	15,000 00
Rear of quarters of Engine Company 12 on Park row side	40,000 00
Vicinity of Fourth street and First avenue, Engine Company 25	25,000 00
	<u>\$288,000 00</u>

For Erection of Houses on Sites Already Procured by this Department.

Erecting engine house on property, One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Amsterdam avenue	\$70,000 00
Erecting house on White Plains road	35,000 00
Erecting house (frame) in Eastchester	20,000 00
Erecting house, Prospect avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-first street	35,000 00
Erecting house, St. Nicholas avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street	70,000 00
Erecting house, Lexington avenue and Fiftieth street	70,000 00
Erecting house, Avenue C and Thirteenth street, Unionport	25,000 00
Erecting house, Belmont avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-third street	70,000 00
Erecting house, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue	40,000 00
Erecting house, Thirteenth street and Fourth avenue, Hook and Ladder Company 3	70,000 00
	<u>\$505,000 00</u>

Alterations to Buildings.

Engine Company 27	\$20,000 00
Engine Company 28	20,000 00
Engine Company 26	20,000 00
Engine Company 16	20,000 00
Engine Company 34	22,000 00
Engine Company 3	22,000 00
Hook and Ladder Company 5	20,000 00
	<u>\$144,000 00</u>

BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS. New Sites and Erection of Buildings Thereon.

Location of Site.	Estimated Cost of Site.	Estimated Cost of New Building.
Vicinity of Provost and Freeman streets, engine company	\$6,000 00	\$30,000 00
Vicinity of Gates and Knickerbocker avenues, engine company	3,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of De Kalb and Reid avenues, hook and ladder company	5,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Hamilton avenue and Court street, engine company	7,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Twelfth avenue and Forty-second street, combination engine and hook and ladder company	2,500 00	40,000 00
Vicinity of Avenue C and Sixteenth street, combination engine and hook and ladder company	6,000 00	40,000 00

Location of Site.	Estimated Cost of Site.	Estimated Cost of New Building.
Vicinity of Union avenue and Jackson street, engine company	5,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Graham avenue and Cook street, engine company	8,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Lee avenue and Rutledge street, engine and hook and ladder company.....	16,000 00	45,000 00
Vicinity of Stuyvesant avenue and Macon street, engine company.....	2,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Pacific street and Franklin avenue, hook and ladder company.....	2,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Bristol street and Livonia avenue, engine company	1,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of East Twelfth street and Kings highway, combination engine and hook and ladder company.....	1,500 00	40,000 00
Vicinity of Metropolitan and Morgan avenues, engine company.....	3,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Eighteenth avenue and Ocean Parkway, Engine Company 150.....	2,500 00	45,000 00
Lawrence street, between Willoughby street and Myrtle avenue, in rear of Headquarters, 50 by 100 feet, for engine company, water tower, storehouse, etc.....	15,000 00	50,000 00
Gravesend avenue and Avenue V, Engine Company 154, site owned by City.....		35,000 00
Vicinity of Sixth avenue and Forty-seventh street, engine company.....	2,000 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Hunter avenue and Radde street, Long Island City, engine and hook and ladder company.....	2,500 00	45,000 00
Vicinity of Broadway and Second avenue, Long Island City, engine and hook and ladder company.....	2,500 00	45,000 00
Vicinity of No. 687 Vernon avenue, Long Island City, Engine Company 160.....	1,500 00	30,000 00
Vicinity of Radde street and Webster avenue, Long Island City, Engine Company 161.....	1,500 00	30,000 00
Southwest corner Broadway and Court street, Long Island City, to replace present quarters of Engine Company 162 and accommodate a double company; site owned by City..		40,000 00
Vicinity of Flushing avenue and Steinway avenue, Long Island City, quarters Engine Company 163 and Hook and Ladder Company 67.....	2,500 00	40,000 00
	\$98,000 00	\$855,000 00

For Erection of Buildings on Sites Owned by the Department.		
Himrod street, east side, 90 feet south of St. Nicholas avenue, for engine company and hook and ladder company.....	\$45,000 00	
Richardson street, north side, 150 feet west of Ewen street, for hook and ladder company.....	30,000 00	
Nos. 629 and 631 Fourth avenue, to replace quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 59.....	30,000 00	
Vicinity of Avenue J and Rockaway avenue, quarters of Engine Company 157.....	35,000 00	
Union street, near Seventh avenue, engine company.....	30,000 00	
No. 530 Eleventh street, for hook and ladder company.....	30,000 00	
Ralph avenue, near Bergen street, for hook and ladder company.....	30,000 00	
	\$230,000 00	

Alterations to Buildings.		
Engine Company 101, No. 1233 Fourth avenue.....	\$3,500 00	
Engine Company 103, No. 533 Hicks street.....	2,500 00	
Engine Company 105, No. 166 Pierrepont street.....	25,000 00	
Engine Company 109, No. 159 Graham street.....	4,000 00	
Engine Company 110, No. 166 Carlton avenue.....	3,500 00	
Engine Company 111, No. 166 Clymer street.....	25,000 00	
Engine Company 112, No. 136 Wythe avenue.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 114, No. 231 Herkimer street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 115, No. 88 India street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 116, No. 11 Scholes street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 117, No. 940 DeKalb avenue.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 119, No. 735 Dean street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 121, No. 163 South Second street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 125, No. 657 Liberty avenue.....	12,000 00	
Engine Company 127, No. 979 Herkimer street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 128, No. 178 Thirty-ninth street.....	16,000 00	
Engine Company 129, No. 246 Front street.....	10,000 00	
Engine Company 130, No. 59 Ellery street.....	10,000 00	
Engine Company 133, No. 243 Hull street.....	14,000 00	
Engine Company 134, No. 1472 Bergen street.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 144, West Fifteenth street, near Surf avenue, Coney Island.....	8,000 00	
Engine Company 153, Eighty-sixth street, near Twenty-fourth avenue....	3,000 00	
Engine Company 156, No. 124 DeKalb avenue.....	15,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 52, No. 394 Bedford avenue.....	8,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 54, No. 181 South Third street.....	8,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 55, No. 648 Pacific street.....	8,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 56, No. 124 Greenpoint avenue.....	8,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 57, No. 40 New Jersey avenue.....	8,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 58, No. 112 Seigel street.....	18,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 60, No. 264 State street.....	8,000 00	
Hook and Ladder Company 62, No. 1171 Madison street.....	8,000 00	
	\$297,500 00	

Recapitulation.			
	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Brooklyn and Queens.	Total.
New sites.....	\$288,000 00	\$98,000 00	\$386,000 00
Erection of buildings on new sites.....		855,000 00	855,000 00
Erection of buildings on sites owned by Department....	505,000 00	230,000 00	735,000 00
Alterations to buildings.....	144,000 00	297,500 00	441,500 00
Grand totals.....	\$937,000 00	\$1,480,500 00	\$2,417,500 00

In connection with alterations to buildings in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, it is to be noted that the buildings in question were erected under the supervision of the old Department of City Works of Brooklyn, some of them as far back as the year 1852, for volunteer fire department purposes, and were never suitable for a paid fire department system. Therefore, extensive alterations and repairs should be made thereto, at the earliest possible date, so as to make them suitable for the accommodation of the officers and men of the Department, who spend most of their time in their quarters and who should be made as comfortable as possible.

The aggregate amount necessary to do all the work contemplated in this communication is, as above stated, \$2,417,500. I shall refrain, however, from requesting any specific sum, leaving that matter to the wise discretion of your Honorable Board. It is important, however, that any resolution which may be adopted by your Honorable Board

looking to the issue of Corporate Stock for the purposes in view, should provide "for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon and for additions and alterations to buildings already erected for the use of the Fire Department."

Respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Fire Commissioner.

January 29, 1906.

HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—The Hon. John H. O'Brien, Fire Commissioner, in communication under date of January 20, 1906, requests the authorization of an issue of Corporate Stock to be applied for the acquisition of sites, erection of buildings thereon, and for the additions and alterations to buildings already erected for use of the Fire Department.

I would report that the Commissioner submits recommendations of the Chief and a Deputy Chief in the Department in charge of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, all of which is summed up by the Commissioner, as follows:

	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Brooklyn and Queens.	Total.
New sites.....	\$288,000 00	\$98,000 00	\$386,000 00
Erection of buildings on new sites.....		855,000 00	855,000 00
Erection of buildings on sites owned by Department....	505,000 00	230,000 00	735,000 00
Alterations to buildings.....	144,000 00	297,500 00	441,500 00
Grand totals.....	\$937,000 00	\$1,480,500 00	\$2,417,500 00

For your information I give the amounts appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment during the last five years:

During 1901—		
April 10, 1901, sites, buildings, etc. (Manhattan).....	\$300,000 00	
December 9, 1901, additional amount for Repair Shop (Manhattan).....	50,000 00	
		\$350,000 00
During 1902—		
July 25, 1902, sites, buildings, etc. (Brooklyn and Queens).....		\$241,000 00
During 1903—		
July 1, 1903, sites, buildings, etc. (Manhattan and The Bronx).....	\$500,000 00	
July 1, 1903, sites, buildings, etc. (Brooklyn and Queens).....	200,000 00	
		\$700,000 00
During 1904—		
July 15, 1904, Engine Company 7, Hook and Ladder Company 1 (Manhattan).....	\$415,000 00	
December 19, 1904, sites, buildings, etc. (entire City).....	300,000 00	
		\$715,000 00
During 1905—		
March 16, 1905, sites, buildings, etc. (entire City).....		\$500,000 00

There is no question that more Fire Department companies and hook and ladder companies would add to the efficiency of the Fire Department, and the only criticism that might be made to the detailed schedule, as submitted by the Commissioner, would be the immediate necessity of providing funds for the erection of buildings upon sites that are to be acquired by the City. Eliminating this item would reduce the Commissioner's request from \$2,417,500 to \$1,562,500, divided as follows:

For Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$937,000 00
For Brooklyn and Queens.....	625,500 00

In comparison with the amounts authorized in previous years, and, taking into consideration the growth of the City, I think if the financial condition of the City warrants the expenditure, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$800,000, to provide means for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon, and for the additions and alterations to buildings already erected for use of the Fire Department.

This will provide for \$480,000, to be expended in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and \$320,000 for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Respectfully,
(Signed) CHANDLER WITHINGTON,
Principal Assistant Engineer.

Approved:
H. A. Metz, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000) for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon, and for additions and alterations to buildings already erected for the use of the Fire Department.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified.

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000), for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon, and for additions and alterations to buildings already erected for the use of the Fire Department, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 369.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,
March 3, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, approving of the issue of \$10,000 Corporate Stock, in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the acquisition of land and the construction of a municipal lighting plant for The City of New York, together with copy of a report of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

February 28, 1906.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 24, 1905, a resolution was adopted providing for an issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding \$10,000 to meet the expenses of the Commission

appointed to prepare plans for municipal electric lighting plants for The City of New York, including the acquisition of land. The ordinance providing for this issue of Corporate Stock was rejected by the Board of Aldermen at the meeting held on February 14, the reasons given for such rejection being that the Finance Committee was not satisfied as to the value of the property which it was proposed to purchase as a site for a municipal lighting plant for the Borough of Richmond.

The Comptroller, pursuant to authority given by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, has contracted to purchase a plot at the foot of Elm street, Port Richmond, for the sum of \$55,000. It is a large plot, with a frontage of 150 feet on Richmond terrace and of 190 feet on the bulkhead line, and some 550 feet in depth. It is admirably adapted to the purpose for which it is required, and I am convinced that the price is a reasonable one. There is a balance of some \$48,000 in the fund already created for the acquisition of sites, and the additional issue of \$10,000 of Corporate Stock is needed to permit the purchase of the Richmond site.

In view of the importance of acquiring this site I beg to suggest that a new resolution be adopted providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of \$10,000, and that such action be taken at the meeting of the Board to be held on March 2.

The amounts which have been already appropriated for this purpose are as follows:

Issue of Corporate Stock, authorized January 20, 1905.....	\$25,000 00
Issue of Corporate Stock, authorized February 24, 1905.....	600,000 00

Total.....	\$625,000 00
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The disbursements to date have been:	
Site for plant for Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$350,000 00
Site for plant for Brooklyn and Queens.....	200,000 00
Appraising and searching titles for property.....	1,237 69
Expenses of the Commission in the preparation of plans.....	15,769 05

Total.....	\$567,006 74
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Balance.....	\$57,993 26
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Estimated further expenditures necessary for acquiring a site for the Borough of Richmond.....	\$55,000 00
Fee of the Chairman of the Commission, as per agreement.....	5,000 00
Estimated expense for the completion of the work.....	6,000 00

Total.....	\$66,000 00
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This indicates a deficit of \$8,000, to cover which an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$10,000 is recommended.

Respectfully,
(Signed) NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the acquisition of land and the construction of a municipal lighting plant for The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the acquisition of land and the construction of a municipal lighting plant for The City of New York, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 370.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,
March 3, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, authorizing the issue of \$25,000 Corporate Stock for the purpose of providing means for additional bathing facilities in the Rivington street bath building, Borough of Manhattan, by installing showers and bath tubs, new machinery, pumps and blowers, together with all the necessary piping connections; also inclosing copy of report of the Principal Assistant Engineer of the Department of Finance and communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
February 26, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, in communication under date of February 8, 1906, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$25,000, to be expended in providing for additional bathing facilities in the Rivington street bath building, Borough of Manhattan.

I would report that I have looked up the matter in detail and find that it is proposed to increase the bathing facilities at this building some fifty per cent. by installing the proper apparatus on the second floor. This floor is now unused for any purpose, the laundry originally installed having been discontinued.

It will be necessary to provide a new floor surface, marble bath partitions, all plumbing fixtures, with the supply lines for hot and cold water, new drain lines inside the building, and additional hot water boiler and circulating pump.

Plans in detail have not yet been made, and the estimate is provisional, only having been made of a study of the cost of similar recent work in bath buildings.

In my opinion the proposed work should cost not more than the amount asked for, namely, \$25,000, including architect's fees, and I feel that the expenditure would be a wise and proper one, inasmuch as it would increase the bathing facilities in this congested neighborhood by an amount out of proportion to the cost, and I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$25,000 to provide for additional bathing facilities in the Rivington street bath building, Borough of Manhattan, by installing showers and tub baths, new machinery, pumps and blowers, together with all the necessary piping connections.

Respectfully,
(Signed) CHANDLER WITHINGTON,
Principal Assistant Engineer.

City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan,
City Hall, February 8, 1906.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—Herewith is transmitted for the consideration of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a form of resolution authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock in the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to be expended for the purpose of providing additional bathing facilities in the Rivington Street Bath Building, by installing in the top floor (now unused) of the said building new showers and tub baths, new machinery, pumps and blowers, together with all the necessary piping connections required. It is estimated that twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) will be required to install this new equipment. The present bathing accommodations of this

building are entirely inadequate to meet the demands that are constantly being made upon it, and many people of the neighborhood are prevented from using it for that reason. By the installation of additional showers, tubs, etc., on the top floor the bathing accommodations will be greatly increased.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN F. AHEARN,
President of the Borough of Manhattan.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for the purpose of providing means for additional bathing facilities in the Rivington Street Bath Building, Borough of Manhattan, by installing showers and bath tubs, new machinery, pumps and blowers, together with all the necessary piping connections.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), for the purpose of providing means for additional bathing facilities in the Rivington Street Bath Building, Borough of Manhattan, by installing showers and bath tubs, new machinery, pumps and blowers, together with all the necessary piping connections, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting resolutions:

No. 371.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,
March 3, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, approving of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Departmental Inspector in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending the fixing of the salary of said additional grade at the rate of \$2,100 per annum; together with copies of report of the Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division, Department of Finance, and report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices, embracing resolution of the Board of Aldermen, relative thereto:

I also inclose form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
December 28, 1905.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of a request made by the Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, to fix the salary of the position of Departmental Inspector in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices at the rate of \$2,400 per annum, referred to the Investigations Division for examination, I beg to report as follows:

The position of Departmental Inspector is held by Mr. Lawrence T. Fassett, who receives a salary of \$1,950 per annum. The duties of the position are the same as those which had been performed by the Chief Inspector of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies previous to 1902, and to whom a yearly salary of \$2,500 was paid.

Mr. Fassett has had charge of the general inspectors of all public buildings in the Borough of Manhattan for the past two years, and by reason of the increase in the number of comfort stations, baths, etc., his work and responsibility have also increased. He has been connected with the Department since May, 1898, and the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices states that he is a faithful and conscientious employee. The salaries paid in other city departments for work similar to that of Mr. Fassett vary from \$2,400 to \$3,000 per annum, and I am informed that provision has been made in the budget of 1906 for the desired increase of salary.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, to fix the salary of the position of Departmental Inspector in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices at the rate of \$2,400 per annum, be granted.

Respectfully,
(Signed) C. S. HERVEY,
Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 2, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Departmental Inspector in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional grade of the position of Departmental Inspector in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan, at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum.

No. 372.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,
March 3, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copies of two (2) resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, approving of the establishment of the position of Male Probation Officer and an additional grade of the position of Interpreter, under the jurisdiction of the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, and recommending the fixing of the salaries of said positions at the rates of \$1,500 and \$1,800 per annum, respectively; together with copies of communications from the Court of Special Sessions and report of the Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

I also inclose forms of resolutions for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Clerk's Office, Court of Special Sessions,
First Division, No. 32 Franklin Street,
New York City, January 15, 1906.

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

Sirs—I am requested by the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions of the First Division of The City of New York to present to your notice the following resolution, which was adopted by the said Justices at a recent meeting:

"Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be requested to fix the salary of Probation Officer of this Court at \$1,500 per annum, and of the Interpreter of the Children's Court at \$2,000 per annum."

In pursuance of this resolution the Justices desire to call to your notice the fact that the sums mentioned have already been provided for and passed by your Honorable Board in our annual Budget for 1906, viz.:

For salary of Probation Officer, \$1,500, and for increase of salary for Interpreter, Children's Court, \$500.

I am,

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) CHAS. W. CULKIN, Clerk.

February 26, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of the resolution adopted by the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to fix the salary of Probation Officer of that Court at \$1,500, and the Interpreter of the Children's Court at \$2,000 per annum, referred to you by the Investigations Division, I beg to report as follows:

There are now employed in this Court as Probation Officers one man who receives no salary, one woman who receives \$1,200 per annum, and three Policemen detailed for the work. The employment of the woman Probation Officer was authorized by chapter 382, Laws of 1902. Section 2 of the Special Act provides that "by and with the consent and concurrence of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the Justices of this Court may fix the compensation of such Probation Officer (female) at a sum not exceeding \$1,200 per annum."

Under chapter 656, Laws of 1905 (an act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure), "the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in The City of New York may, in their discretion, determine whether Probation Officers, not detailed from other branches of the public service, shall receive a salary, and if they shall so determine, they may fix the amount thereof and provide for its payment."

It is under the provisions of the last specified law that the request is made to fix the salary of a Probation Officer at \$1,500 per annum.

The male Probation Officer now employed in the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, receives no compensation from the City. He is connected with the Children's Aid Society, and that organization pays him at the rate of \$1,500 per annum for his services. It is the wish of the Justices that he should be paid that amount as a regular appointee and attache of the court. He would then be under the jurisdiction of and responsible to the court.

The duties of a Probation Officer of this court may be summed up as follows: He is required to investigate the cases of defendants who are either convicted or who plead guilty and report upon the same; to make a special investigation into all cases where boys or young men are found guilty of misdemeanor for the purposes of finding out their previous character and record. He is placed in charge of boys who are out on parole. He devotes four hours three nights a week at his office to receiving reports from the paroled boys. He is required to keep a complete record of all cases investigated by him. From January 1, 1906, to February 15, 1906, he has personally investigated 190 cases. For the year ending December 1, 1905, 946 cases were referred to him for investigation. Of this number 507 were placed on parole. The remainder were committed to institutions. Only five boys violated their parole.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission has placed the position of Probation Officer of this court in the exempt class. The State Civil Service Board has not, as yet, approved of this action. Should it fail to do so, the position, if established, would be in the competitive class.

Regarding the request of the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, for an increase of the salary of the Interpreter of the Children's Court from \$1,500 to \$2,000 per annum, it may be stated that Justices Olmsted, Wyatt, McAvoy, Zeller, Deuel and McKean have stated to an Examiner of the Investigations Division that they are in favor of such increase. It was upon their recommendation that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of 1905 allowed in the Budget for 1906 the amount of \$2,000 for this purpose.

There is quite a difference in the salaries paid Interpreters employed in the various courts, as the following schedule of salaries shows:

Supreme Court	\$2,500 00
General Sessions	2,000 00
Special Sessions (First and Second Divisions).....	2,000 00
Children's Court (First and Second Divisions).....	1,500 00
City Magistrate's Court (First Division).....	1,500 00
City Magistrate's Court (Second Division).....	1,200 00
Municipal Courts (First and Second Divisions).....	1,200 00

There is no doubt that the Interpreter employed in the Children's Court is entitled to receive a salary commensurate with that received by the Interpreter employed in the Court of Special Sessions. Their duties and requirements are the same, and their services are always in demand on court days. The records prove that the business of the Children's Court is increasing. Over 9,000 cases were disposed of in the Children's Court of the First Division during 1905.

I would respectfully recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment fix the salary of male Probation Officer of the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, at \$1,500 per annum, and the salary of the Interpreter of the Children's Court, First Division, at \$1,800 per annum.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) CHARLES S. HERVEY,
Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 2, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of the position of Male Probation Officer under the jurisdiction of the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said position be fixed at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Male Probation Officer under the jurisdiction of the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum.

No. 373.

January 18, 1906.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—I have yours transmitting application of the Justices of this Court for the increase of salary of Interpreter and fixing salary of Probation Officer. The Justices were informed of the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in referring back their application on the day on which the reference was made, and directed the Clerk of the Court to renew the application which is already before your Board and which the Justices trust will be acted upon promptly, so that the officials mentioned may get the salary which is justly their due since January 1. The increase in the Budget was made for the specific purpose of paying these salaries.

I am,

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) WILLARD H. OLMSTED, Justice, Special Sessions.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 2, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Interpreter of the Children's Court, Court of Special Sessions, First Division, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional grade of the position of Interpreter of the Children's Court, Court of Special Sessions, First Division, at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Secretary, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners:

No. 374.

Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners,
No. 320 Broadway, New York,
March 2, 1906.

Mr. P. J. SCULLY, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Sir—I am directed by the Rapid Transit Board to transmit to you herewith, in further reply to resolution of the Honorable Board of Aldermen, adopted the 6th of February, 1906, with respect to the method of heating the cars in the subway and of

the elevated system, etc., copy of report of the President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company on this subject, dated the 1st of March.

Yours respectfully,

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

Interborough Rapid Transit Company, No. 23 Nassau Street,
New York, March 1, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—With further reference to your letter of February 19, transmitting a copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on the 6th of February, 1906, on the question of heating the cars of this company, I beg to inform you it is our practice, both on the elevated and subway, to heat all cars running on the elevated portion of the structure by means of electric heaters, whenever the street temperature reaches 45 degrees or lower. The heat is turned on in the yard one hour before the cars go into service, and a careful record is kept, showing the temperature on the outside and the time that the heater switches are cut in and out, in order that the heat may be properly regulated. The amount of heat used is as follows:

Between 45 and 30 degrees, 1 point of heat.

Between 30 and 15 degrees, 2 points of heat.

Below 15 degrees, 3 points of heat.

You will notice that the heat is first turned on at 45 degrees of temperature, which we have found by experience makes the cars more comfortable than by waiting until the temperature reaches 40 degrees, as provided in the ordinance referred to in the resolution.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) AUGUST BELMONT, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Brooklyn, transmitting resolution:

No. 375.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,
Brooklyn, March 5, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—In order to meet with the requirements of the prevailing rate of wages law relative to the compensation paid to Enginemen and Stokers in the Bureau of Sewers, I would respectfully request the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$3,700, the proceeds of the issue of said bonds to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn in the payment of wages to Enginemen and Stokers employed in the Bureau of Sewers. The report from the Superintendent of that Bureau shows that it will be necessary to make an increase in the Thirty-first Ward Sewage Districts 1 and 3 as follows:

Enginemen	\$1,650 00
Stokers	1,050 00

In the Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works:

Enginemen	\$547 00
Stokers	453 00

These increases should have been provided for in the appropriation made to the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for 1906. I inclose form of ordinance.

Yours very truly,

BIRD S. COLER, President of the Borough.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 24 of the Laws of 1905, for the purpose of meeting an estimated deficiency in the appropriation made to the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the year 1906, for the Thirty-first Ward Sewage Districts 1 and 3 and the Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works in the Bureau of Sewers, set forth in a communication of the President of the Borough dated March 5, the Board of Aldermen hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate \$3,700.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

No. 376.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Bureau of Franchises, No. 280 Broadway,
March 5, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—There has been referred to this Bureau your resolution of February 20, 1906, as follows:

"Whereas, It is alleged that the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company have taken possession or are about to take possession of several blocks at One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of the construction of a conduit for transmitting power from the main line of said railroad to the Pocahontas branch of said railroad, and said work has already been commenced or is about to be commenced;

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is requested to cause its Bureau of Franchises to investigate the said matter and to report to the Board of Aldermen as well as the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as to whether the said railroad company or any other corporation or individuals has secured the legal right to the use of the City's streets for the purpose mentioned in the preamble hereof."

Replying thereto I beg to advise you that the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company is compelled by chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903 to use electricity as the motive power in Park avenue, south of the Harlem river, beginning July 1, 1908. Section 6 of that chapter provides that the City shall afford to said railroad company all such reasonable facilities as may be required to carry into effect the provisions of that act.

Chapter 423 of the Laws of 1903 provided for the abolition, discontinuance and avoidance of certain grade crossings in The City of New York of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad Company, and provided for the change in route from the Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

Chapter 424 of the Laws of 1903 authorized the City to grant a right of way in St. Mary's Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, to the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and to acquire part of the company's roadway for a street.

Pursuant to the provisions of the foregoing acts, and particularly chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company applied on August 24, 1905, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for a permit for the transmission of electric current for the operation of its railroad within The City of New York. The company proposes to transmit electric current by the use of ducts or subways, and also by the use of aerial transmission lines, that is, wires strung upon steel poles.

The application in part reads as follows:

"The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company therefore requests your permission to construct ducts as follows:

"To construct a duct system underneath Railroad avenue on the east side of the railroad right-of-way, from the Harlem river near East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

"To construct a duct system underneath Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from the point where the Port Morris Branch of the railroad company crosses said Westchester avenue to the point where One Hundred and Fiftieth street is intersected by the line of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company.

"To construct a duct system underneath Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, between the Harlem Division of the railroad company and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Branch of the said railroad company."

The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on October 13, 1905, addressed the Corporation Counsel advising him of the application of the company and asking whether the permits could be granted. The Corporation Counsel, under date of December 27, 1905, replied and advised the Commissioner that he could lawfully grant a permit to construct a duct system underneath Railroad (Park) avenue, from the Harlem river near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

As to the other streets referred to, namely, Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from the point where the Port Morris Branch of the railroad company crosses said Westchester avenue to the point where One Hundred and Fiftieth street is intersected by the line of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and underneath Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, between the Harlem Division of the railroad company and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Branch of the said railroad company, the Corporation Counsel held that in neither of those cases has the railroad company any franchise of any nature whatsoever through the streets specified, and that the company cannot use the same without obtaining a franchise therefor.

In the Borough of The Bronx temporary permits were issued on January 16, 1906, to the railroad company to dig what is known as test pits in One Hundred and Fiftieth street. These permits grant no franchise rights and constitute mere temporary permits, and were issued by the Bureau of Highways.

The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has issued a permanent permit (which has not as yet been accepted by the company) for the construction of electrical subways along Park avenue, from the Harlem river near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in accordance with the opinion of the Corporation Counsel above cited.

The Secretary of the Department to-day informed my representative that in view of that opinion, no permanent permit whatsoever will be issued for the use of streets in which the Corporation Counsel advised that the company had no franchise, until such time as the Corporation Counsel stated that such permit could lawfully be issued.

The records of this office disclose no rights to use that part of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Railroad avenue and Third avenue, by the railroad company, other than those indicated in the foregoing.

An examination which was made of the surface of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between the limits stated, would indicate that the test pits had been made. It would therefore appear that for any further rights in One Hundred and Fiftieth street, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company would be obliged to apply to the proper local authorities for a franchise.

Respectfully,

HARRY P. NICHOLS, Assistant Engineer.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Meyers asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following resolution:

No. 377—(S. O. No. 11).

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen, by resolution adopted on the 6th day of February, 1906, and in the exercise of the powers conferred upon the Board by section 54 of the Greater New York Charter, appointed a special committee for the purpose of investigating the Department of Street Cleaning; and

Whereas, On the 28th day of February, 1906, the said Board adopted a resolution defining the authority of the said special committee and empowering it to incur certain expenses necessary for the purposes of the said investigation; therefore be it

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes of the said investigation.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, the same failing to receive the unanimous vote required by section 30 of the Charter:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, O'Neill, Peters, Potter, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—61.

Negative—Aldermen Morris and Olvany—2.

On motion of Alderman Meyers, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper made a Special Order of business for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 332.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 868), the annexed resolution in favor of permitting L. Bauer to erect a marquee in front of No. 514 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. Bauer to erect and keep an awning or marquee of iron and glass over the sidewalk in front of his premises No. 514 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning or marquee shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

J. HANN, C. D. NOONAN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANK L. DOWLING, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

Report of Committee on Parks—

No. 134.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred on January 23, 1906 (Minutes, page 429), the annexed petition in favor of a playground in the Bushwick and Ridgewood sections of the Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That the Committee held a public hearing February 25, 1906, on the aforesaid petition:

All the speakers representing various boards of trades and other civic bodies in the Bushwick and Ridgewood sections were unanimously in favor of the proposed playground.

The Committee therefore recommend that the petition be referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and request respectfully that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will take such action as will insure the locating of a playground in the locality designated.

Whereas, In this thickly populated residential section of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as the Bushwick section, which is made up largely of a cosmopolitan class of people, many of them who can ill afford to send their children to the country for summer recreation, so that the street is by necessity their only playground, where they can enjoy the sunlight and God's pure air; and

Whereas, The growing demand and absolute necessity of providing a suitable playground for the children of our citizens, wherein they may romp around and play to their heart's content free from the danger of fast moving trolley cars, automobiles and other vehicles; and

Whereas, As the present time offers a splendid opportunity to acquire a suitable plot of ground for such playground on the site of the old "Union Cemetery" (in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn), which we believe can be purchased at a reasonable price, as same is unimproved property; and

Whereas, This extremely large and still growing section, with a population of some 200,000, is at present without a playground, and as this movement is strongly endorsed as an absolute necessity by the following organizations: The Twenty-eighth Ward Taxpayers' Protective Association, Turn Verein, Brooklyn, E. D.; Allied Board of Trade and Taxpayers' Association, Twenty-eighth Ward Board of Trade, Broadway Board of Trade, Ridgewood Board of Trade, Unity Republican Club, William Schnitzpan Association, Twentieth Assembly District Democratic Association, Twentieth Assembly District Republican Association, Twentieth Assembly District Citizens' Union, Twenty-eighth Ward Republican Club, Mothers' Club of the School No. 74, and other organization; ten petitions were presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment signed by prominent citizens of the Bushwick and Ridgewood sections, and, further, it has been unanimously endorsed by the Bushwick Local Boards of 1904-1905 as a most desirable location; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the people of the Bushwick and Ridgewood sections, in meeting here assembled this 28th day of May, 1905, do most urgently and emphatically appeal to his Honor the Mayor, the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the members of the Board of Aldermen, to use every means at their disposal to provide a public playground in the Bushwick and Ridgewood sections of the Borough of Brooklyn (if possible on the site of the old Union Cemetery) at the earliest opportunity; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor, City and Borough officials.

JARED J. CHAMBERS, Chairman.

George Trieber, J. A. Estrup, John Fierabend, G. F. Paziot, Secretaries.

This meeting was held on May 28, 1905, at the hall of the Turn Verein, Gates and Bushwick avenues, and was largely attended. The meeting was addressed by twenty prominent citizens of the Bushwick and Ridgewood sections.

JACOB KRAUSS,

Chairman of Public Improvement Committee of the Twenty-eighth Ward Taxpayers' Protective Association.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JACOB BARTSCHERER, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, FRED LINDE, JAMES J. SMITH, Committee on Parks.

Which was referred to the Local Board of the district affected.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

No. 339.

Your Special Committee of Three, who were appointed by the Committee on Rules on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 885), for the purpose of appearing before the Joint Committee on Taxation of the Senate and Assembly of the State of New York, at a public hearing to be held at Albany on March 1, 1906, and expressing the hostile sentiment of the people of The City of New York towards the "Mortgage Tax Law," as it has become known to their direct representatives, the members of the Board of Aldermen, do respectfully

REPORT:

That your Committee attended the said public hearing and presented, through its Chairman, the resolution adopted by the Board on February 6, 1906, urging the repeal of chapter 729 of the Laws of 1905, known as the "Mortgage Tax Law," together with the report of the Committee on Rules appointing your Special Committee, adopted February 28, 1906. That your Committee was accorded a most respectful hearing and were extremely gratified to have precedence given them over all the delegations which attended the hearing from every part of the State. That in the opinion of your Committee much good may be accomplished for the people of The City of New York by this Board's active participation in public questions directly affecting the people of this City, and it suggests representation at other hearings that may be held by the same or similar public bodies on such questions.

B. W. B. BROWN, JACOB BARTSCHERER, R. S. DOULL, Special Committee of Three.

On motion of Alderman Brown, this report was received and the committee discharged.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES RESUMED.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 353.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 912), the annexed resolution in favor of appointing Charles N. Pinco and John T. Metcalf City Surveyors, respectfully

REPORT:

The petitions of Charles N. Pinco and John T. Metcalf are accompanied by the recommendations of other engineers and surveyors customarily required by the Board of Aldermen, and the Committee recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed City Surveyors:

Charles N. Pinco, No. 169 Floyd street, Brooklyn.
John T. Metcalf, No. 135 Garfield place, Brooklyn.
JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., MICHAEL J. CARTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred.

Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Kenneally, Krulish, Guntze, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Wentz and President Haffen—44.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 44—(G. O. No. 51).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on January 9, 1906 (Minutes, page 207), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$5,640,000, for improvement of the water supply, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it has given very careful consideration to this matter, and in order to obtain thorough knowledge of the facts held one advertised public hearing and two or three regular hearings. The public hearing was well attended, but nobody opposed this appropriation. Among those who have attended and advocated and explained the application were Commissioner Ellison, Deputy Commissioners Crozie and Goodwin and Engineers de Varona and Birdsall of the Water Department. They explained that this appropriation was requested to generally improve the water system in Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens, the items of which are specifically set forth in the accompanying letter.

It was further explained that the water-piping in The Bronx was to be now systematized, something it now lacked.

The Commissioner urged this appropriation very greatly, and stated that water supply progress would be at a complete standstill unless it were granted soon. Complaints have been received from the Morrisania Local Board, and also from residents and taxpayers, as to the necessity of water supply improvements.

Your Committee believes that this appropriation, though large, is necessary for the proper development and maintenance of the City's water supply, and therefore recommends the adoption of this ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five million six hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$5,640,000) to provide means for the improvement of the Water Supply System of The City of New York, as set forth in section 178 of the Charter.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 23, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue

of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of five million six hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$5,640,000) to provide means for the improvement of the Water Supply System of The City of New York, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five million six hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$5,640,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid and apportioned as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$2,150,000 00
Borough of Queens.....	100,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn.....	3,390,000 00

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, J. E. BUNTING, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.
Which was laid over.

No. 221.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 6, 1906 (Minutes, page 713), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$238,000, for repairs to asphalt pavements, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That Borough President Ahearn, William Davis, of his office, and Chief Engineer Olney, of the Department of Highways, appeared before your Committee and urged the passage of this resolution. They explained that this amount was required to repair the asphalt paving on streets where the time of maintenance by the asphalt companies had expired. They exhibited an itemized statement showing the streets and amounts and cost of the necessary repairs, and the Borough President further explained that he had annually received similar amounts by Corporate Stock issue, but that this year the Corporation Counsel had advised the Board of Estimate that as this was for repairs, Revenue Bonds were necessary.

Your Committee believe that on account of its higher rate of interest, Revenue Bonds should be sparingly issued, but as the Corporation Counsel has advised that this is a case where Revenue Bonds are the only relief, and as these repairs seem to be urgently necessary, your Committee report favorably upon this application.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in an amount not to exceed two hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars (\$238,000), to be expended by the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the repair of asphalt pavements.

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, J. E. BUNTING, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Under rule 21, consideration of this report as deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, O'Leary, O'Neill, Peters, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Torpey, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen, President Coler and the Vice-Chairman—62.

Report of Committee on Parks—

No. 278.

The Committee on Parks, to which was referred, February 14, 1906 (Minutes, page 788), the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating traffic on West End avenue, north of Seventieth street, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That the committee held a public hearing February 26, 1906, to which all persons interested in the proposed ordinance were invited. After a lengthy discussion the committee adjourned the hearing until March 6, 1906, to give a further opportunity to any one who desired to be heard in opposition to the proposed ordinance. Residents of West End avenue addressed the committee and said that it was the unanimous desire of all the people living in the locality designated that vehicular traffic should be regulated on West End avenue the same way it is regulated on other parkways. No persons having appeared before the committee in opposition, they therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

Whereas, By ordinances heretofore adopted by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, the use of certain parkways in said City by business vehicles has been regulated; and

Whereas, By chapter 494 of the Laws of 1905, West End avenue, north of Seventieth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City of New York, was placed under the jurisdiction and control of the Department of Parks of The City of New York, and made a parkway, and it is desirable that the said rules regulating the use of parkways be extended to the said West End avenue.

Now therefore be it ordained, that the delivery of supplies to the residents of West End avenue, north of Seventieth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, will be permitted in the forenoon; but no business vehicle shall enter upon or pass over said parkway after the hour of noon, except by special permission of the Commissioner having jurisdiction. In passing over the said parkway, business vehicles must go direct to place of delivery, must leave the said parkway without unnecessary delay and by the shortest route—the place of entry if possible. Said parkways must not be used to enable business vehicles to reach places exterior to them.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JACOB BARTSCHERER, JAMES J. SMITH, FRED. LINDE, J. E. BUNTING, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Parks.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved that this report be recommended to the Committee on Parks.

Alderman Downing moved as an amendment that the motion of Alderman Dowling be laid upon the table.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman Downing.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Dowling, Doyle, Everson, Fried, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Levine, Murphy, Richter, Rowcroft, Stapleton, Torpey, and Wentz—22.

Negative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Carter, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Downing, Ellery, Falk, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, J. J. Hahn, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Mulligan, Noonan, Potter, Rendt, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Wright, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—27.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman Downing.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Cronin, Doull, Dowling, Everson, Haggerty, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Higgins, Kenneally, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Peters, Rendt, Richter, Sullivan, and Torpey—18.

Negative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Carter, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Downing, Ellery, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Mulligan, O'Neill, Potter, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Torpey, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, and President Coler—30.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, O'Neill, Potter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Coler and the Vice-Chairman—45.

Negative—Aldermen Ahner, Collins, Dowling, Everson, Haggerty, Higgins, Kenneally, Levine, Murphy, Richter—10.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 302.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 800), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock \$20,000 for erection of new buildings, etc., Department of Correction, respectfully

REPORT:

That, as set forth in the accompanying letter, this money is required for the erection of new buildings for the new Reform School on Hart's Island. Commissioner Lantry appeared before the Committee and urged the adoption of this ordinance and further explained that the State Law of 1904 enlarging the scope of this school necessitated these additional buildings.

Your Committee believe this appropriation to be necessary and therefore report formally upon adoption of this ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the erection of new buildings, additions, improving, permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 16, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the erection of new buildings, additions, improving, permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, J. E. BUNTING, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Under rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution:

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Hagerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Kline, Kuntze, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Mulligan, Murphy, O'Leary, O'Neill, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Sullivan, Wentz, President Bermel, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—46.

No. 333.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 872), the annexed petition against holding the police parade, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, as this is an anonymous typewritten communication, it should be ordered on file, and your committee so recommends.

New York City, February 20, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Patrolmen of the Police Department of The City of New York most respectfully and earnestly urge that you do not encourage, by an appropriation or otherwise, the holding of a police parade, now scheduled to be held some time during the month of May, contending that such parade is the cause of unnecessary expense and danger to the City, and also of considerable hardship to the men of the Department, and, in support of this contention, they claim:

First—That the amount of ten or fifteen thousand dollars, generally expended for stands, music, etc., brings no adequate return, and might be much better used in another direction.

Second—That the City is practically unprotected during the actual time of the parade, and for several hours before and after, owing to the time necessary for the men to get from their respective precincts to the place of formation, and to return again after dismissal at the end of the parade. During this time one man on patrol must cover the posts usually covered by six, seven or more men, giving great opportunity for fires and acts of violence to occur without immediate detection.

Third—That, owing, probably, to the continued unfavorable criticism of the Department by the press of the City, the parade, instead of being an honor to the men participating, humiliates them, as they are continually hailed with derisive cries of "Here come the grafters," "Look at these side door rappers," "See this bunch of fakes," and other similar remarks, too numerous to mention.

Fourth—That, during the parade, traffic on the main thoroughfare of the City is at a standstill and much delayed on all cross-town streets, resulting in great inconvenience and discomfort to the travelling public, which is not necessary or in any way compensated for.

Fifth—That it works hardship on the men, in that they are compelled to attend an armory drill, once or twice a week, for three or four months previous to the parade, on what is supposed to be their own time, and while off duty. As the majority of them live a long distance from the armory where these drills are held, this drill often means, practically, the loss of the whole of their off time for that day and prevents their obtaining the rest needed for the proper performance of their regular duties. In addition to this lost time, they are—according to location—taxed from fifteen cents to one dollar each on the day of the parade "for ice water and music."

Sixth—That the only apparent benefit of the parade is the opportunity afforded a few of the higher officials to bring themselves more into the "limelight" of public vision.

They in no way object to doing regular police duty to the best of their ability, often losing much of the time they are supposed to be at home, therefore without complaint, often taking long chances of death or injury in the discharge of their duties, as is demonstrated hundreds of times each year, but they do strongly object to being made monkeys of, for the gratification of the vanities of two or three of the higher officials.

The days when the parade would be of benefit as a civic pageant are past, and the parade now results only in the humiliation of the most of those compelled to participate. They are not soldiers, vain of accomplishments and new uniforms, anxious to show them off; they are only policemen, and they beseech your Honorable Board to, as far as lies in your power, discourage the attempt to make them appear what they are not, that they may give even better attention to the duties they are sworn to.

Most respectfully,

THE PATROLMEN OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY.

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, J. E. BUNTING, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Under rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

Which report was accepted.

No. 352—(G. O. No. 52).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 911), the annexed resolution in favor of paying bill of William H. McDonald, \$65, for engrossing resolutions on deaths of Hon. John J. Pallas and Alderman John J. Dougherty, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to draw a warrant in favor of William H. McDonald for sixty-five dollars (\$65), the

said sum to be payment in full for engrossing resolutions, as follows: On the death of Hon. John J. Pallas, adopted by the Board of Aldermen October 17, 1905, and approved by the Mayor, October 24, 1905; on the death of Hon. John J. Dougherty, adopted by the Board of Aldermen November 17, 1905, and approved by the Mayor November 21, 1905; the said sum to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1906."

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, J. E. BUNTING, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Public Letting—

No. 316—(S. O. No. 12).

The Committee on Public Letting, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 864), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Bridges to purchase two automobiles without public letting, respectfully

REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the power conferred upon it by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes and empowers the Bridge Commissioner to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, for the official use of the Department of Bridges, two (2) automobiles, at an expense not to exceed the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500) for both of said automobiles, viz., one not to exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) and the other not to exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500).

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, FRANCIS J. O'NEILL, MAX S. LEVINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred.

Subsequently Alderman Kline moved that this report be made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

No. 211—(S. O. No. 13).

The Committee on Public Letting, to whom was referred on February 6, 1906 (Minutes, page 649), the annexed resolution in favor of modifying a contract with Bart Dunn for building a sewer in Broadway, between city line and Riverdale avenue, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the Board of Aldermen, made by resolution adopted February 6, 1906, that the contract entered into between The City of New York and Bart Dunn on the 13th day of December, 1899, for the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Broadway, between the city line and Riverdale avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and said contract is hereby modified by omitting therefrom the provision for the construction of a special section 180 feet in length beneath the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and the portions of the street adjacent thereto, and the construction in lieu thereof of a double sewer fifteen (15) feet in diameter, similar to that on the portions of Broadway immediately north and south of the proposed special section.

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, FRANCIS J. O'NEILL, DAVID S. RENDT, MAX S. LEVINE, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred.

Subsequently Alderman Kline moved that this report be made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

No. 329—(S. O. No. 14).

The Committee on Public Letting, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 868), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the President of the Borough of Manhattan to contract for laying safety treads on stairways of the viaduct at Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they find that this resolution is merely an amendment of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1906, and approved by the Mayor February 13, 1906, said amendment being the use of the word safety instead of the words steel and lead.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized to award a contract without public letting in an amount not to exceed seventeen hundred dollars (\$1,700), for the purpose of laying safety treads on the stairways of the viaduct at Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan.

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, FRANCIS J. O'NEILL, MAX S. LEVINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred.

Subsequently Alderman Kline moved that this report be made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

President Cromwell called up Special Order No. 9, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 31—(S. O. No. 9).

The Committee on Public Letting, to whom was referred on January 9, 1906 (Minutes, page 181), the annexed communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond, requesting authority to purchase furniture and furnishings for the new Borough Hall, Borough of Richmond, without public letting, respectfully

REPORT:

That the Commissioner of Public Works, of the Borough of Richmond, representing the President of the Borough, explained to the committee that the new Borough Hall was rapidly nearing completion; that the leases of many of the Departments will expire on May 1, 1906, and that rooms in the Borough Hall should be properly fitted and furnished by that time; also, that owing to the nature of articles to be purchased, they can best be bought without advertising, because it would be impossible to specify them satisfactorily.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond,
New Brighton, N. Y., December 28, 1905.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—As Richmond Borough Hall nears completion, the subject of furniture and furnishings comes up for attention. Of the \$90,000 recently secured for the Borough Hall, a portion thereof is to be used for such furniture and furnishings, which will include desks, tables, chairs, office stools, window screens, water coolers, carpets, mats, window shades, wardrobes, telephone booths, railings, wire screens, mirrors and various other miscellaneous furnishings and fittings.

In furnishing fittings for each of the offices of the building, the requirements of the head of each office will govern the style required to meet the necessities of each particular office or department. As can be imagined, the necessities of each office will vary the kind and style of furnishings and fittings to be used.

It will be seen, therefore, owing to the diversity of the articles needed, how absolutely difficult it will be to draw specifications that will aptly describe the supplies needed. In this connection, too, the drawing of such specifications and their approval through the various channels of the City will consume at least two or three months. This time, together with the time necessary for the advertising of bids, execution of contracts, registration of contracts, manufacture of the goods and probable delays in their delivery, would mean a further delay of at least six months, making in all at least eight or nine months. We expect now to get into the building about the 1st of April, and it is absolutely necessary, of course, that the offices be furnished and fitted up, ready for use at that time. Such occupancy and use at that time will be absolutely impossible if I am obliged to advertise for the furnishings and fittings.

Owing to the nature of the articles to be purchased, they can be best bought without advertising, because it is impossible, as stated above, to specify most of them satisfactorily, and therefore any competition of prices would to a great extent eliminate the comparison of quality. This would be true, for instance, of all the floor coverings and much of the furniture. It would be to the advantage of the City, both as to quality and cost, if we can shop for these goods and buy them as the result of personal inspection and personal selection; besides, personal selection will make it easier to fill the requirements of the various offices to be fitted.

It is very difficult to state the probable cost of the furnishings and fittings, but it will, beyond any doubt, exceed the sum of \$1,000. I therefore beg to respectfully ask that I be authorized and empowered to purchase without public letting the necessary furnishings and fittings of Richmond Borough Hall at an amount which will exceed \$1,000, but not exceeding the sum of \$30,000.

Very truly,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, in the open market, without public letting, the necessary furniture, fixtures and fittings for the Richmond Borough Hall, to an amount exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

A. L. KLINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, MAX S. LEVINE, DAVID S. RENDT, JACOB BARTSCHERER, F. J. O'NEILL, Committee on Public Letting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Doull, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olyany, O'Neill, Rendt, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler and the Vice-Chairman—56.

Negative—Aldermen Dowling, Haggerty, Kenneally and Richter—4.

On motion of President Cromwell, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper retained on the list of Special Orders.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Meyers called up General Order No. 50, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 305.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 808), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salary of additional grade of Stenographer and Typewriter in Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at \$1,800 per annum, respectfully

REPORT:

Chief Engineer de Varona appeared before the Committee, representing the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and urged a favorable report on this resolution. Mr. de Varona explained to the Committee that it was the intention of the Commissioner to promote to this grade Mr. Demm, who is the Stenographer in the Chief Engineer's office. It was explained that Mr. Demm does a great deal more work than any other Stenographer in the Department, and is an especially qualified man; that he is on the eligible list for appointment as a Court Stenographer at \$2,000, and that he has recently declined an appointment in the hope of an increase in his salary warranting his remaining in his present position. The Committee offers no objection to the increase of the salary in the particular case mentioned, but it does object to creating a new grade to which, at the pleasure of the Commissioner or any successor, all of the Stenographers now receiving \$1,200 might be raised. The Committee thinks it inadvisable for the Board of Aldermen to create a grade simply for the purpose of rewarding one employee. There is no legal objection to naming the beneficiary in the resolution, and your Committee prefers such action in this case. There are similar cases pending before the Committee in which a like report may be expected. The Committee recommends the return of the resolution to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and reports for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby returns to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the following resolution, being Introductory No. 305, with the request that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopt a new resolution, either naming the Stenographer intended to receive the increased salary or providing that the grade shall have but one incumbent.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held February 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Stenographer and Typewriter in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional grade of the position of Stenographer and Typewriter in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., JOHN J. CRONIN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, CHARLES KUNTZE, MICHAEL J. CARTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which report was accepted and resolution embraced therein adopted.

Alderman Meyers called up General Order 48, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 308.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 813), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing four grades for salaries of Keepers in Department of Correction at \$800, \$900, \$1,050 and \$1,200 per annum, respectfully

REPORT:

Commissioner Lantry, the Rev. Mr. Wade, Chaplain of the City Prison and the Penitentiary, and Mr. Dorsey, a representative of the Keepers' Association, appeared before the Committee and explained that the Keepers, many of whom have been employed for a long period of years (some as long as 25 years), perform very arduous and confining duties with long hours of service, and receive and have received the small remuneration of \$800 and \$900 per annum. It is proposed to grade the Keepers according to their length of service, something in the nature of the grades in the Police Department, and yet the promotions will not be automatic, as the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has amended the resolution heretofore introduced by leaving to the Commissioner discretion in the matter so that relative efficiency may be considered. While the immediate effect of this resolution will be a large increase in the salary account of the Department, the subsequent annual increases will not be so considerable, and the change in system should have a valuable result to the City in stimulating and rewarding efficiency.

The Committee recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 16, 1906:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of the position of Keeper in the Department of Correction be fixed at the following rates:

	Per Annum.
Under two years' service.....	\$800 00
Under four and over two years' service.....	900 00
Under six and over four years' service.....	1,050 00
Over six years' service.....	1,200 00

Provided, however, that no increase of salary under this resolution shall become operative without the approval of the Commissioner of Correction of The City of New York.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., JOHN J. CRONIN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, CHARLES KUNTZE, MICHAEL J. CARTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Higgins, Jacobson, Kenneally, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Wentz, Wright, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—47.

Alderman Moffitt called up General Order No. 44, being a report and ordinance, as follows:

No. 207.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 6, 1906 (Minutes, page 642), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$83,000 for transfer to City of New York of the title to real and personal property of the Normal and Training School of the Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That by an act of the 1905 Legislature, the Normal and Training School of Jamaica was transferred to The City of New York, and the price to be paid for the property by the City was to be fixed by a commission composed of the Mayor, Comptroller, the President of the Board of Education, of State Commissioner of Education, and the State Comptroller. This Commission has fixed the price at \$83,000, and this appropriation is for the purpose of paying that price. As this is mandatory, your Committee recommends the adoption of the ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of eighty-three thousand dollars (\$83,000), to provide means for the consideration for the transfer to The City of New York of all the right, title and interest of the State of New York in and to the real and personal property connected with the Normal and Training School in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the Village of Jamaica and County of Queens, and for examination of title and survey of property.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 2, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified.

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding eighty-three thousand dollars (\$83,000) for the consideration for the transfer to The City of New York of all the right, title and interest of the State of New York in and to the real and personal property connected with the Normal and Training School in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the Village of Jamaica and County of Queens, and for examination of title and survey of property, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding eighty-three thousand dollars (\$83,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, JAMES W. REDMOND, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, B. W. B. BROWN, J. E. BUNTING, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Kline, Krulish, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Rendt, Richter, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wentz, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—43.

Alderman Moffitt called up General Order No. 45, being a report and ordinance, as follows:

No. 208.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 6, 1906 (Minutes, page 644), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$189,980.54, to pay awards, interest and expenses in acquiring title to approaches for the Fordham Heights Bridge, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That this application is for an appropriation to pay for the Bronx approach for the new Fordham Heights Bridge. The Court order has been served upon the Bridge Commissioner and the interest upon same has been computed to the 1st of April. If the money is not paid then the amount will be raised from accruing interest. As this is mandatory matter, and the amount has been fixed by judicial precedence, your Committee recommends the adoption of the ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and eighty-nine thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars and fifty-four cents (\$189,980.54) to provide means for the payment of awards and interest thereon and the costs and expenses in the matter of acquiring title to property for the approaches to the Fordham Heights Bridge in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 2, 1906, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Comptroller be and hereby is, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of one hundred and eighty-nine thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars and fifty-four cents (\$189,980.54), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the payment of awards and interest thereon, and the costs and expenses in the matter of acquiring title to property for the approaches to the Fordham Heights Bridge, in the Borough of The Bronx."

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, JAMES W. REDMOND, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, B. W. B. BROWN, J. E. BUNTING, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Wentz and Wright—46.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 378.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds:

By the President—

Frank H. Sigerson, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan.

Benjamin Horn, No. 5 Attorney street, Manhattan.

John A. O'Brien, No. 69 East Houston street, Manhattan.

Charles O. C. Cassidy, No. 712 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, The Bronx.

Edw. G. Hackett, No. 364 West Fifty-eighth street, Manhattan.

Sam M. Fischer, No. 746 St. Nicholas avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bartscherer—

Feist M. Strauss, No. 155 East Eighty-ninth street, Manhattan.

Elizabeth M. Burkhardt, No. 1047 Greene avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Brown—

Lawrence E. Brown, No. 28 West Forty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Carter—

Frederick G. Gross, Broadway and Hatch avenue, Queens.

By Alderman Davies—

L. Bertrand Smith, No. 99 McDonough street, Brooklyn.

Thos. P. Sherman, No. 163 West One Hundred and Fortieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

A. Feldblum, No. 774 Broadway, Brooklyn.

George D. Gilmore, No. 203 Hart street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Downing—

William Ashby, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.

Harold O. Purvis, No. 143 Bergen street, Brooklyn.

Thos. J. Fitzsimons, No. 104 First place, Brooklyn.

William A. Sinclair, No. 257 Dean street, Brooklyn.

Harry E. Raitano, No. 350 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Ellery—

Benjamin F. Farrar, No. 537 Quincey street, Brooklyn.

Frank H. Waggoner, No. 57 McDonough street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Everson—

Sigismund B. Levy, No. 645 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Falk—

Edward A. Richards, No. 141 Barbey street, Brooklyn.

Jacob A. Freedman, No. 84 Amboy street, Brooklyn.

Herman Rosahnsky, No. 1627 Pitkin avenue, Brooklyn.

James Lavin, No. 239 West Twenty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Freeman—

Charles Dreyer, No. 2 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Manhattan.

Edward D. Loughman, No. 62 East Eighty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Fried—

Earle R. Lightbourne, No. 326 West Thirty-seventh street, Manhattan.

Philip Siff, No. 197 Clinton street, Manhattan.

Reuben J. Wittstein, No. 280 East Broadway, Manhattan.

Samuel Karschtart, No. 260 Henry street, Manhattan.

Abraham M. Pariser, No. 230 East Broadway, Manhattan.

William Weiss, No. 61 Park row, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—

Edward Fillmore, No. 14 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Manhattan.

Samuel Brand, No. 28 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, Manhattan.

A. H. Sanders, No. 143 East Eighty-ninth street, Manhattan.

Bernard Freundlich, No. 76 West One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Manhattan.

Simon Schiff, No. 26 Lenox avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gunther—

James V. Rao, No. 277 Twenty-second street, Brooklyn.

Luke O'Toole, No. 361 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn.

James S. Corrigan, No. 353 Eleventh street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman C. Hahn—

P. T. McGlynn, No. 2176 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hann—

Geo. S. Pettit, No. 95 Brooklyn avenue, Brooklyn.

Frank E. Phillips, No. 1076 Prospect street, Brooklyn.

M. T. Rochford, No. 857 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Hatton—

Joseph A. Reilly, No. 242 East Thirty-fifth street, Manhattan.

Fred. C. Whiting, No. 149 Broadway, Manhattan.

Josiah S. Lindsay, No. 235 East Thirty-fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Krulish—

Chapman C. Moss, No. 168 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kuck—

Frank E. White, No. 140 Bergen street, Brooklyn.

Joseph R. Garvey, No. 17 Douglas street, Brooklyn.

Charles F. Schlaefer, No. 339 Hoyt street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kuntze—

Louis B. Sherman, No. 678 East One Hundred and Forty-first street, The Bronx.

By Alderman Lawlor—

Thomas Clark, No. 432 Berry street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Levine—

Michael Leon, No. 190 Chrystie street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Linde—

E. White, No. 5204 Third avenue, Brooklyn.

Fredk. Linde, No. 219 Fifty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Markert—

Alfred Gaskell, No. 80 Ainslie street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Meyers—

Theodore du Moulin, No. 45 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, Manhattan.

David Alexander, No. 151 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Morris—

Geo. W. Kearney, Bainbridge avenue, The Bronx.

Howard T. Marston, No. 862 Eagle avenue, The Bronx.

By Alderman Murphy—

Henry Storck, No. 1409 Crotona avenue, The Bronx.

By Alderman Noonan—

Eric L. Boetzel, No. 151 East One Hundred and Sixth street, Manhattan.

Moses Morris, No. 1427 Madison avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Olvany—

Joseph S. Heil, No. 23 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

William S. Grey, No. 49 West Forty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Peters—

W. Coleman Hughes, No. 142 Keap street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Redmond—

Maude A. Hopson, No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.

Sam. H. Coombs, No. 85 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Rendt—

Loretta R. Silvar, No. 62 Wright street, Stapleton.

By Alderman Rowcroft—

Irving Mahnkun, No. 38 Cornelia street, Brooklyn.

William H. Horowitz, No. 54 Morrell street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Smith—

Joseph J. Carey, No. 490 Grand street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Stapleton—

Edward J. Reilly, No. 188 South street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Carney M. Marro, No. 240 Elizabeth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wafer—

Berton L. Maxfield, No. 102 Montague street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—

Joseph Levy, No. 2008 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
Sarah V. L'Hommedieu, No. 512 Van Buren street, Brooklyn.
Wm. M. Jenkins, No. 70 Truxton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wright—

Herbert E. Williams, Douglaston, Queens.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hutton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, Peters, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wentz, Wright, President Bernel and the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 379.

By Alderman Carter—

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Queens be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into an agreement in accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, at an expense not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), the purpose of which shall be an examination of the records and the obtaining of the necessary information of the cleaning, and keeping them clean, of the streets of said Borough and for the further purposes of securing permits from property owners for the use of vacant lots for dumping purposes.

Which was referred to the President of the Borough of Queens.

No. 380.

By Alderman Cole—

Whereas, The territory embraced within the lines of the former Village of Tottenville, in the Borough of Richmond, is in the main but poorly lighted by a system of antiquated oil lamps; therefore be it

Resolved, That it be and hereby is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a modern system of lighting be established in the above mentioned territory.

Which was adopted.

No. 381.

By Alderman Dinwoodie—

Whereas, A former Commissioner of Parks in the Borough of The Bronx began the construction of a race track in Pelham Park, in that borough; and

Whereas, The said work was not lawfully authorized and was discontinued at the command of the Mayor of The City of New York; and

Whereas, The Mayor's direction that the park be restored to its previous condition has not been complied with.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks in the Borough of The Bronx be and he is hereby requested to advise the Board of Aldermen at his earliest opportunity as to what steps he has taken to restore the lawns and playgrounds, which were interfered with by the race track, and as to the length of time which he estimates to be necessary to accomplish the work of restoration.

Which was adopted.

No. 382.

By Alderman Doull—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of Ferguson Brothers for the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), the said sum to be payment in full for engraving twenty-five hundred invitations, furnishing five thousand envelopes, and for addressing and postage of same, said work being done in connection with the opening exercises of the new municipal ferry between the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond on October 25, 1905; said sum to be charged to and paid out of the remainder of the amount set aside by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, three hundred dollars (\$300), in accordance with the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted May 16, 1905, and received from the Mayor June 6, 1905, and the amount set aside by said Board, two hundred dollars (\$200), in accordance with the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted January 16, 1906, and received from the Mayor January 30, 1906, said resolutions being in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 383.

By Alderman Callahan—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioners of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an improved iron drinking fountain be erected and maintained and water supplied therein on the sidewalk near the curb in front of No. 560 West Forty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 384.

By Alderman Davies—

Resolved, That Frank & Morris be and they are hereby granted permission to erect and maintain a show case twenty-five feet long within the stoop line in front of their premises on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan; the work to be done at their own expense under the supervision of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 385.

By the same—

Whereas, The neighborhood of Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street is now a congested tenement section; and

Whereas, The St. Nicholas Park and the Riverside Drive are too far from this neighborhood for the women and young children to get benefit from them; and

Whereas, At the corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Amsterdam avenue is located a large grass plot owned by the City and under the control of the Water Department, and which is suitable for park purposes; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply and the Commissioner of Parks be and they each of them are hereby requested to allow the use of the Water Department Park at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Amsterdam avenue by the people as a park, under reasonable departmental regulations.

Which was referred to the Committee on Parks.

No. 386.

By Alderman Freeman—

A Resolution Relating to the Holding of a Public Hearing on, and an Investigation of, the Telephone Service in The City of New York.

Whereas, Prevailing conditions in the City's administration, its social and business life, have rendered the telephone a thing of public necessity and a tremendous economic factor, increasing, as statistics have shown, the productive power of our industries, adding to our wealth and facilitating the transaction of the public business; and

Whereas, In practically every city and State of the Union, excepting New York, it has been demonstrated that free competition among telephone companies has led to a material reduction of the rates charged for telephone service without lessening the efficiency of such service; and

Whereas, The telephone system in The City of New York is operated and controlled by one corporation, without competition, and under circumstances that enable said corporation to charge exorbitant rates and impose arbitrary conditions for furnishing such service, whereby not only our citizens, but also our City government is made to suffer financially; and

Whereas, Public attention has recently been drawn to this matter by the report of the General Laws Committee favoring the Krulwich bill in our State Assembly, and by the consideration of the Keenan bill in our State Senate, and also by expert writers in our newspapers and magazines, who claim that the people of this City are being mercilessly plundered by a telephone trust, that refuses an intelligible statement of account to its subscribers and throttles competition by corrupt and unconscionable practices, or buys off its opponents.

Resolved, That our Committee on Laws and Legislation be instructed to hold a public hearing upon these charges and to investigate and report upon the conditions of the telephone service in this City; the method of charging subscribers for calls and the reasonableness of the rates charged for such service, and also to report upon the powers of this Board to control said matters, with a view to the betterment thereof, and for the purpose of relieving this City and its citizens from the effects of a monopolized control of such telephone service, and all other matters relating thereto; and be it further

Resolved, That said Committee report to this Board thereon with all convenient speed.

Which was adopted.

No. 387.

By Alderman Jacobson—

Whereas, It is a matter of public knowledge that New York City has been for several years the scene of many explosions resulting in the loss of a great number of lives and destruction of much valuable property;

Whereas, The records show that this class of accidents has been of greater frequency than ever during the last few months:

Whereas, It is commonly reported that much of the difficulty lies in the unlawful licensing of ignorant and careless users of dangerous articles liable to explosion or combustion;

Whereas, It is also commonly reported that much laxity exists in the administration of that branch of the Fire Department which is charged with the administration of the laws regarding explosives and combustibles, and which is known as the Bureau of Combustibles;

Resolved, That a special committee be appointed to consist of five (5) members, to investigate the affairs and manner of conducting business of the Bureau of Combustibles. That this Committee be empowered to subpoena witnesses and take testimony regarding the whole subject; that it be requested to summon experts on the transportation and use of explosives, also insurance experts, blasting contractors, etc. That they report to this body their findings, together with the summary of the changes in the present laws, if any, which they would recommend.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

No. 388.

By Alderman Meyers—

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel is requested to advise the Board of Aldermen whether, in his opinion, the Board of Water Supply is authorized by section 32 of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, or otherwise, in fixing the salaries of its employees independently and without application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen for action by said Boards, as provided in section 56 of the revised Greater New York Charter.

Which was adopted.

No. 389.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. S. Nation to erect and maintain a retaining wall four feet in height within the stoop line in front of his premises, No. 2444 Walton avenue, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of the Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 390.

By Alderman Mulligan—

Resolved, That it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that water mains be laid in Second avenue, from Fifth street to Eighth street, Williamsbridge, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 391.

By the same—

Resolved, That it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that gas mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street lamps placed thereon and lighted in Second avenue, between Fifth and Eighth streets, Williamsbridge, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 392.

By Alderman Rendt—

Resolved, That Max Feldman of No. 83 Fingerboard road, Borough of Richmond, be and he hereby is appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 393.

By Alderman Rowcroft—

Resolved, That it be recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that three lamp-posts be erected, street lamps with Welsbach lights placed thereon, and the same lighted two on the side of De Kalb avenue and one on the side of Stockholm street of the German Hospital on the northwest corner of Stockholm street and St. Nicholas avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Which was adopted.

No. 394.

By Alderman Stapleton—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Christopher Casino to erect and keep storm doors within the stoop line in front and on the side of the premises No. 10 Madison street, in the Borough of Manhattan; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 395.

By Alderman Wentz—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Goodwin to place and keep a watering trough on the sidewalk near the curb on the Saratoga avenue side of his premises at the corner of Jefferson and Saratoga avenues, known as No. 994 Jefferson avenue, Borough of Brooklyn; the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Alderman Meyers, the Board returned to the order of business of General Orders.

GENERAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman Mulligan called up General Order No. 47, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 312.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 828), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of additional grade of the position of Draughtsman in Department of Docks and Ferries at \$2,100 per annum, respectfully

REPORT:

Mr. Staniford, Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries, appeared on behalf of the Commissioner, and explained that at the present maximum grade of \$1,800 it is impossible to keep some of the best Draughtsmen in the Department, as they are attracted by larger salaries in private employment, and also are led to seek transfers to other City departments where larger salaries are paid. The Committee thinks that it is highly undesirable to have such a marked disparity of salaries for the same class of work in different departments, as is shown in the report of Charles S. Hervey, Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division, which was referred to the Board of Aldermen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, together with its resolution. Mr. Staniford convinced the Committee of the urgency of the situation in his office, and we therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution, but it is the view of the Committee that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment should undertake a systematization of the grades of Draughtsmen in the different departments, and

the Committee will likely refer back to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for that purpose any future resolutions regarding this position.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Draughtsman in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the additional grade of the position of Draughtsman in the Department of Docks and Ferries at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., JOHN J. CRONIN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, CHARLES KUNTZE, MICHAEL J. CARTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Jacobson, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Richter, Schloss, Sturges, Wentz, Wright, President Bermel and the Vice-Chairman—41.

Alderman Mulligan called up General Order No. 49, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 309.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 87), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of additional grade of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving in the Department of Finance at \$1,050 per annum, respectfully

REPORT:

Deputy Comptroller McCooley appeared before the committee and explained that this resolution creates a new minimum grade of \$1,050 at which new employees will begin. This appears to be a measure of economy, and the committee recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held February 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving in the Department of Finance, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of ten hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,050) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the additional grade of the position of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving in the Department of Finance at the rate of ten hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,050) per annum.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D.; JOHN J. CRONIN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, CHARLES KUNTZE, MICHAEL J. CARTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Higgins, Jacobson, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Redmond, Richter, Rowcroft, Sturges, Torpey, Wright and President Bermel—43.

Alderman Richter moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 13, 1906, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk, and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week Ending February 24, 1906.

Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude, 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments Above the Ground, 53 feet; Above the Sea, 97 feet.

BAROMETER.

DATE. February.	7 a. m.		2 p. m.		9 p. m.		Mean for the Day.		Maximum.		Minimum.	
	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 18	30.200		30.040		29.980		30.073		30.300	0 A. M.	29.960	12 P. M.
Monday, 19	29.990		30.016		30.110		30.039		30.140	12 P. M.	29.944	3 A. M.
Tuesday, 20	30.196		30.128		30.080		30.135		30.200	9 A. M.	30.020	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 21	29.892		29.690		29.540		29.707		30.020	0 A. M.	29.560	8 P. M.
Thursday, 22	29.710		29.888		30.090		29.896		30.118	12 P. M.	29.560	0 A. M.
Friday, 23	30.204		30.198		30.198		30.260		30.118	9 A. M.	30.118	0 A. M.
Saturday, 24	30.158		30.064		30.016		30.079		30.200	0 A. M.	29.970	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.018 inches.
Maximum " at 0 a. m., Feb. 18..... 30.300 "
Minimum " at 8 p. m., Feb. 21..... 29.530 "
Range "..... .770 inch.

THERMOMETERS.

DATE. February.	7 a. m.		2 p. m.		9 p. m.		Mean.		Maximum.		Minimum.		Maximum.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday, 18	37	34	37	35	36	37.6	35.0	40	4 P. M.	36	4 P. M.	34	1 A. M.
Monday, 19	37	34	34	40	40	41.0	38.0	44	2 P. M.	40	3 P. M.	36	6 A. M.
Tuesday, 20	41	39	50	46	49	46.6	44.0	51	4 P. M.	48	4 P. M.	39	8 A. M.
Wednesday, 21	48	45	58	55	49	51.6	49.6	58	2 P. M.	43	4 A. M.	49	5 A. M.
Thursday, 22	41	39	48	44	39	43.6	40.0	48	3 P. M.	44	3 P. M.	36	12 P. M.
Friday, 23	34	33	46	44	43	41.0	38.6	48	5 P. M.	33	5 A. M.	31	6 A. M.
Saturday, 24	39	37	49	46	45	44.4	42.3	51	4 P. M.	48	4 P. M.	37	1 A. M.

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week..... 43.5 degrees..... 41.1 degrees.
Maximum " at 5 p. m., Feb. 21..... 58 " at 2 p. m., Feb. 21..... 55 "
Minimum " at 5 a. m., Feb. 23..... 33 " at 6 a. m., Feb. 23..... 31 "
Range "..... 25 "..... 24 "

WIND.

DATE. February.	Direction.			Velocity in Miles.			Force in Pounds per Square Foot.			Time.
	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	
Sunday, 18	WNW	W	SW	8	17	41	66	0	1/4	11.15 P. M.
Monday, 19	W	WSW	WSW	52	58	37	147	0	1/4	1 P. M.
Tuesday, 20	SSW	SW	SSW	13	38	38	89	0	1/4	8.50 P. M.
Wednesday, 21	SSW	SE	WNW	20	49	34	112	0	1/4	1.50 P. M.
Thursday, 22	WNW	N	NNW	96	90	69	255	0	1/4	3.40 P. M.
Friday, 23	N	NE	SE	47	32	24	103	0	1/4	11.15 A. M.
Saturday, 24	S	SSE	SE	2	25	31	58	0	1/4	3.50 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 830 miles.
Maximum force "..... 2 pounds.

DATE. February.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.				
	Force of Vapor.				Relative Humidity.				Clear, o. Overcast, 10.			Depth of Rain and Snow in Inches.				
	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 18	.157	.178	.173	.169	71	80	72	74	8 Cu.	6 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday, 19	.157	.195	.221	.191	71	67	83	73	10	6 Cu.	8 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Tuesday, 20	.212	.258	.297	.255	82	71	85	79	5 Cir.	0	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Wed'sday, 21	.260	.393	.348	.333	77	81	100	82	8 Cu.	10	10	2.30 P.M.	10 P.M.	7 30	.75	.....
Thursday, 22	.212	.236	.194	.214	82	70	81	77	2 Cir.	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Friday, 23	.155	.262	.208	.208	79	84	75	79	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Saturday, 24	.191	.271	.275	.245	81	78	92	83	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	0

Total amount of water for the week..... .75 inch.
Duration for the week..... 7 hours, 30 minutes.

DATE.	7 a. m.		2 p. m.	
	Feb. 18	Feb. 19	Feb. 20	Feb. 21
Sunday, Feb. 18	Calm, hazy.	Cool, hazy.	Cool, hazy.	Cool, hazy.
Monday, " 19	Calm, hazy.	Calm, hazy.	Pleasant, hazy.	Mild, hazy.
Tuesday, " 20	Calm, hazy.	Mild, hazy.	Pleasant, windy.	Mild, pleasant.
Wednesday, " 21	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.
Thursday, " 22	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.
Friday, " 23	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.
Saturday, " 24	Cool, hazy; white frost.	Cool, hazy; white frost.	Cool, hazy; white frost.	Cool, hazy; white frost.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office—Bureau of Licenses, City Hall, }
New York, March 2, 1906. }

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of the Bureau of Licenses of The City of New York for the month of February, 1906. This report shows the receipts of all the offices of the Bureau of Licenses in the several boroughs.

Respectfully,

JOHN P. CORRIGAN, Chief, Bureau of Licenses.

Statement of Licenses Issued and Fees Received February, 1906.

City Treasury.	
15 Hoist, general	\$375 00
11 Hoist, general, renewal.....	137 50
11 Hoist, special	11 00
2 Ticket speculator	100 00
4 Ticket speculator, renewal.....	100 00
59 Peddler, horse and wagon.....	472 00
97 Peddler, horse and wagon, renewal.....	388 00
2 Peddler, push cart.....	8 00
362 Peddler, push cart, renewal.....	724 00
8 Peddler, basket	16 00
37 Peddler, basket, renewal.....	37 00
46 Express	230 00
72 Express, renewal	180 00
113 Public cart	226 00
334 Public cart, renewal.....	334 00
40 Dirt cart	40 00
55 Dirt cart, renewal.....	27 50
6 Express driver	3 00
1 Express driver, renewal.....	25
15 Stand, Elevated Railroad.....	150 00
12 Common show	300 00
11 Common show, renewal.....	137 50
1 Shooting gallery	5 00
5 Shooting gallery, renewal.....	12 50
28 Bowling alley	140 00
126 Bowling alley, renewal.....	315 00
147 Billiard table	441 00
301 Billiard table, renewal.....	451 50
12 Gutterbridge	12 00
1 Hand organ	1 00
1 Public porter	1 00
6 Public porter, renewal.....	1 50
1,941	
\$4,377 25	
Sinking Fund.	
9 Fines	20 00
12 Pawnbroker	\$6,000 00
18 Second-hand dealer	450 00

27 Second-hand dealer, renewal.....	337 50
25 Junk shop	500 00
36 Junk shop, renewal.....	360 00
4 Junk boat	20 00
1 Junk boat, renewal.....	2 50
47 Junk cart	235 00
76 Junk cart, renewal	190 00
16 Special hack stand.....	400 00
2 Special coach	10 00
25 Special coach, renewal.....	62 50
3 Public coach	9 00
5 Public coach, renewal.....	7 50
6 Special cab	18 00
31 Special cab, renewal.....	46 50
18 Public cab	36 00
43 Public cab, renewal.....	43 00
91 Hack driver	45 50
59 Hack driver, renewal.....	14 75
36 Stand, newspaper	180 00
98 Stand, fruit	980 00
1 Stand, newspaper and fruit.....	15 00
89 Stand, bootblack, chair.....	445 00

769 10,407 75
 Totals \$15,805 00
 2,710

The above statement is complete and correct.

HENRY F. SCHLUENZEN,
 Financial Clerk of Bureau, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
 New York, February 26, 1906.

Hon. THEODORE 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 name of the person to whom the license was issued, class of license, and location for same issued during the twenty-four (24) hours ending 12 midnight, February 24, 1906:

Andrew J. Maguire (first class), No. 132 West Eighty-ninth street.
 Frederick F. White (first class), No. 49 Wall street.
 Thomas Bell (second class), No. 1465 Broadway.
 Frederick Prase (second class), No. 403 East Sixty-second street.
 Henry Will (second class), North First and Berry streets, Brooklyn.
 Thomas Russell (second class), No. 122 Hinsdale street, Brooklyn.
 Frederick W. Sneff (second class), East Thirty-fourth street and Avenue H, Brooklyn.
 Thomas P. Leibold (second class), No. 1172 Herkimer street, Brooklyn.
 Philip E. Weigle (third class), No. 834 Kent avenue, Brooklyn.
 Edward C. Beardsley (third class), No. 56 Ainslie street, Brooklyn.
 William J. Rooney (third class), Sunswick street and Willow avenue, Brooklyn.
 Nicholas Dunn (third class), Middagh and Henry streets, Brooklyn.
 James Bowen (third class), No. 151 Grand street.
 William F. Ryan (third class), No. 925 Broadway.
 Robert Schafer (third class), Wakefield Station.
 William Gleson (third class), No. 514 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.
 Henry Rado (third class), No. 207 East Seventy-ninth street.
 John E. Nafis (third class), No. 546 East One Hundred and Thirty-third street.
 Hugh J. Thompson (third class), St. John's Park.
 Joseph Suckey (third class), No. 660 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.
 Patrick J. Honan (third class), No. 217 East Fifty-fourth street.
 Samuel H. McComb (third class), No. 105 North Moore street.
 Daniel Booth (third class), No. 917 St. Nicholas avenue.
 John O'Halloran (third class), No. 33 Union square.
 William Stimpson (third class), No. 120 Riverside drive.
 Louis Snydercker (third class), Willis avenue and Harlem river.
 James White (third class), Pier 62, North river.
 Timothy Donavan (special), No. 1213 Intervale avenue, New York Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOHN McDERMOTT,
 Sergeant in Command, Sanitary Company.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
 New York, February 27, 1906.

Hon. THEODORE 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 name of the person to whom the license was issued, class of license, and location for same issued during the twenty-four (24) hours ending 12 midnight, February 26, 1906:

John J. Wheeler (first class), No. 452 Fifth avenue.
 Ellis Crossland (first class), Herald square.
 James England (first class), One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Park avenue.
 Owen H. Carroll (first class), No. 393 Pearl street.
 Patrick McKenna (first class), No. 39 Downing street.
 Herbert W. York (first class), No. 416 East Twenty-ninth street.
 John G. Ould (first class), No. 350 Henry street, Brooklyn.
 Andrew Gagel (first class), East avenue and Newtown creek.
 Owen J. McGowan (first class), Barren Island.
 Charles T. Mellen (second class), East New York avenue and Albany avenue, Brooklyn.
 William F. Morgan (second class), No. 121 Underhill avenue, Brooklyn.
 Peter Moran (second class), No. 35 Greenpoint avenue, Brooklyn.
 Adam Wachtler (second class), One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and Third avenue.
 Leonard Jacoby (second class), No. 433 East Twenty-third street.
 George H. Jones (second class), No. 37 Broadway.
 John T. Brady (second class), Thirty-fourth street and Broadway.
 Thomas Bell (second class), No. 37 Fifth avenue.
 John Murray (third class), foot of Kane avenue, Brooklyn.
 Frederick Williams (third class), No. 43 Keap street, Brooklyn.
 Archibald Macallister (third class), No. 175 Beard street, Brooklyn.
 George A. Smith (third class), No. 371 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.
 Frederick C. Main (third class), No. 1055 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.
 William David (third class), No. 308 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Bernard McGowan (third class), foot of North Twelfth street, Brooklyn.
 John Quinn (third class), No. 131 Pierrepont street, Brooklyn.
 Frank Harris (third class), Pier 34, North river.

Terrence McArdle (third class), No. 1417 Bergen avenue, Brooklyn.
 Edward Featherstone (third class), Waterbury and Ten Eyck streets, Brooklyn.
 Austin Williams (third class), Fourth and Front streets, Brooklyn.
 Joseph Kemp (third class), No. 26 Exchange place.
 Peter F. Washington (third class), Forty-eighth street and Broadway.
 Franz Scheibenstock (third class), No. 762 East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.
 David Stewart (third class), No. 54 West Thirty-third street.
 Harry C. Snow (third class), No. 401 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.
 John Scanlon (third class), No. 83 Fifth avenue.
 Morrison P. Shattuck (third class), Jerome Park.
 Patrick Purcell (third class), Pier (new) 35, North river.
 John H. McDonald (third class), Fifty-sixth street and Seventh avenue.
 Cajus Leedham (third class), No. 17 William street.
 Hugh F. King (third class), Thirty-fourth street and Broadway.
 James R. Hewitt (third class), Jerome Park.
 Hugh Hamill (third class), Pier (new) 35, North river.
 Thomas Farrell (third class), No. 524 East Nineteenth street.
 William J. Frazier (third class), No. 511 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.
 Gustav Coen (third class), No. 276 Fifth avenue.
 Patrick Concannon (third class), No. 206 West Forty-third street.
 Richard Barrett (third class), No. 416 West Twenty-sixth street.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOHN McDERMOTT,
 Sergeant in Command, Sanitary Company.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
 New York, February 28, 1906.

Hon. THEODORE 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 name of the person to whom the license was issued, class of license, and location for same issued during the twenty-four (24) hours ending 12 midnight February 27, 1906:

Caleb K. Birdsall (first class), No. 64 East Forty-ninth street.
 Leslie Belden (first class), No. 256 Broadway.
 Nathaniel B. Sawyer (first class), No. 35 Chambers street.
 John A. Wilkinson (first class), Eighty-sixth street and Broadway.
 Charles A. Moore (first class), No. 63 Bethune street.
 John Fagan (first class), No. 145 East Forty-fourth street.
 George B. Sedden (first class), No. 560 West Thirty-fourth street.
 Charles A. Engrenn (first class), No. 149 Hicks street, Brooklyn.
 James H. Smith (first class), Grafton and Oakland avenues, Brooklyn.
 Charles J. Prichard (second class), No. 474 Eighteenth street, Brooklyn.
 John Engel (second class), No. 228 Concord street, Brooklyn.
 Leander J. Dailey (second class), No. 245 Crown street, Brooklyn.
 Augustus Johnson (second class), Irving and Cooper avenues, Brooklyn.
 Antonio Bouza (second class), Forty-sixth street and Second avenue, Brooklyn.
 Soren Thomassen (second class), No. 203 Rivington street.
 John Dillon (second class), No. 17 William street.
 Charles Roddy (second class), No. 145 Fifth avenue.
 Otto Lehrman (second class), Ninety-second street and Third avenue.
 William Armstrong (second class), No. 881 Broadway.
 John V. Jordan (third class), No. 7 West Sixty-seventh street.
 Andrew Almblad (third class), No. 47 White street.
 George Wolfe (third class), No. 203 West One Hundred and Twelfth street.
 James O'Connell (third class), No. 107 East Eighteenth street.
 John Molynex (third class), Linoleumville, S. I.
 Thomas Rooney (third class), No. 7 Wall street.
 Thomas Phelan (third class), No. 435 Fifth avenue.
 George Schafer (third class), No. 344 East Forty-ninth street.
 John J. McCarthy (third class), No. 636 West Thirty-ninth street.
 John Mackey (third class), No. 95 Broad street.
 William Sturin (third class), No. 6 West Thirty-first street.
 David H. Hayes (third class), Rosebank, S. I.
 John E. Morrell (third class), No. 175 East One Hundred and Twentieth street.
 Andrew Olsen (third class), No. 332 Seventh avenue.
 Elmer F. H. White (third class), No. 6 West Thirty-first street.
 Ambert Leake (third class), One Hundred and Fifty-first street and Macomb's Dam road.
 Gramiel Williams (third class), No. 497 Pearl street.
 Paul Strehlow (third class), No. 1297 Madison avenue.
 Adolph Scholz (third class), No. 563 Broadway.
 Charles Schein (third class), No. 182 Avenue C.
 Stephen Redmond (third class), Randall's Island.
 George Shevlin (third class), No. 2 West Thirty-fifth street.
 Patrick E. Hackett (third class), No. 660 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.
 Allen Cowley (third class), No. 49 Wall street.
 Henry A. Logan (third class), One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Eighth avenue.
 James Murphy (third class), Aqueduct, near race track, Brooklyn.
 Frederick Justus (third class), No. 207 Third avenue, Brooklyn.
 John H. Grimes (third class), No. 195 Plymouth street, Brooklyn.
 Frederick Deroussen (third class), Grand street and Newtown creek.
 William Chiusano (third class), No. 646 Dean street, Brooklyn.
 Hans Leitgeb (third class), foot of Lawrence street, Brooklyn.
 John Morlock (third class), Barren Island, Brooklyn.
 Edward G. Rodgers (third class), No. 974 Rockaway avenue, Brooklyn.
 Charles Jacoby (third class), No. 32 East Thirty-third street.
 Charles Peterson (third class), No. 502 Kent avenue, Brooklyn.
 John E. McNally (third class), No. 13 Montauk avenue, Brooklyn.
 Thomas Egan (third class), foot of Java street, Brooklyn.
 John B. Sullivan (special), foot of East Ninety-ninth street, New York Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOHN McDERMOTT,
 Sergeant in Command, Sanitary Company.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

I herewith submit a report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of the Bronx, for the week ending February 24, 1906:

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$441,900).....	31
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$60,350).....	16
Unsafe cases filed	2
Violation cases filed	49
Unsafe notices issued	5
Violation notices issued	57
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	19
Complaints lodged with the Bureau.....	4
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected.....	1,558

P. J. REVILLE,
 Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx.
 John H. Hanan, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending February 10, 1906.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, February 19, 19

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 196, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I have the honor to present herewith a report to February 10, 1906, of all moneys received by me, and the amount of all warrants paid by me since January 31, 1906, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on February 10, 1906.

Very respectfully,

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending February 10, 1906.

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1906. Feb. 10	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$83,743 77	1906. Jan. 31	By Balance.....		\$3,731,600 69
	American Museum of Natural History.....	43,984 40				
	Armory Fund.....	22,100 00				
	Athletic Field, Under Jurisdiction of the Board of Education.....	2,837 48				
	Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	9,940 80				
	Borough of Brooklyn.....	24,958 80				
	Borough of Queens.....	100 00				
	Botanical Garden, Bronx Park, etc.....	180 00				
	Bridge and Approach Over Bronx River at Westchester Avenue (Temporary).....	2,215 68				
	Bridge Over Bronx River at One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.....	259 57				
	Bridge Over Bronx River at Westchester Avenue (Permanent).....	86 14				
	Bridge over Eastchester Bay, etc., Borough of the Bronx.....	897 83				
	Bridge over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	389 60				
	Bridge over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.....	48 00				
	Bridge over Harlem River, between First and Willis Avenues.....	127,802 07				
	Bridge over Harlem River at One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth Streets.....	118 50				
	Bridge over Flushing Creek, etc., Borough of Queens.....	25,699 80				
	Bridge over Tracks of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Westchester Avenue.....	51,000 00				
	Brooklyn Bridge—Construction of Western or Manhattan Terminal.....	10 40				
	Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.....	152 00				
	Charges on Arrears of Taxes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	29,730 51				
	College of The City of New York, New Site, etc.....	95 31				
	Construction of Bridges and Approaches, Fort Morris Branch Railroad, etc.....	4,715 80				
	Construction of Bridge across Harlem River at Two Hundred and Seventh Street, Borough of Manhattan.....	64 05				
	Construction of Comfort Station, Madison Square Park, Borough of Manhattan.....	300 00				
	Construction and Equipment of Fire Boats.....	2,650 11				
	Construction and Establishment High Pressure Water System, etc., Borough of Manhattan.....	2,700 31				
	Construction and Establishment High Pressure Water System, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	166 66				
	Construction of New Hospital, Borough of The Bronx.....	537 96				
	Construction of Private Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	96 00				
	Construction of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	375 35				
	Construction of Webster Avenue Relief Sewer, Borough of The Bronx.....	95 91				
	Croton Water Rents Refunding Account.....	11,050 00				
	Department of Correction—Building Fund.....	73 00				
	Department of Correction—Repairing Steamboats.....	388 71				
	Department of Education—Maintenance of Training Schools.....	1,198 83				
	Department of Education—Special High School Fund.....	325 00				
	Department of Finance—Retirement Fund.....	5,722 50				
	Department of Health—Building Fund.....	12,474 47				
	Department of Public Charities—Building Fund.....	9,482 60				
	Department of Street Cleaning, Acquiring Site, etc., Stables, Borough of Brooklyn.....	6,080 00				
	Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	180,897 70				
	Dock Fund.....	3,431 29				
	Excise Taxes, New York County.....	3,379 24				
	Excise Taxes, Kings County.....	725 84				
	Excise Taxes, Queens County.....	452 59				
	Excise Taxes, Richmond County.....	4,753 16				
	Exempt or Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association, Borough of Queens.....	2,740 54				
	Expenses—Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal.....	486 00				
	Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette.....	254 00				
	Fire Alarm Telegraph System, Borough of Richmond.....	51 02				
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Richmond and Queens.....	1,798 35				
	Fire Department Fund—Sites, Buildings, etc.....	7,479 78				
	Fire Department Fund—Sites, Buildings, etc., Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	521 83				
	Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	63,152 22				
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	723 89				
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of The Bronx.....	112 00				
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of Brooklyn.....	395 95				
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of Queens.....	9,344 44				
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of Richmond.....	1,888 95				
	General Fund.....	166 66				
	Gouverneur Hospital, Borough of Manhattan.....	8,442 50				
	Hall of Records, Kings County.....	4,861 34				
	Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways and Playgrounds, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	3,863 05				
	Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways and Playgrounds, Borough of The Bronx.....	20,357 70				
	Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways and Playgrounds, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	388 95				
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	1,052 17				
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Borough of The Bronx.....	3,146 13				
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	30 00				
	Improvement of Steps at One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Street, etc.....	1,585 80				
	Maintenance and Distribution, Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, 1905.....	45,988 34				
	Maintenance and Distribution of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, 1906.....	244,344 87				
	New East River Bridge Fund.....	256 00				
	New Hall of Records—Building Fund.....	29,063 91				

1906. Feb. 10	To Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Correction—Purchase of Supplies, etc.	\$1,624 88	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Health—Reindexing, etc.	300 00	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Public Charities—Deficiency in Appropriation for 1905.	120 00	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice.	224 75	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses City Commission, Preparing Plans, etc.	16 75	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Conducting Criminal Actions Against C. F. Dodge, et al.	15 50	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Conducting Criminal Actions Against A. T. Patrick.	41 20	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses Court of Special Sessions, etc., Second Division.	54 87	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Defending Actions Brought by Gas and Electric Light Companies.	3,182 30	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Fourteenth District Municipal Court, Borough of Manhattan, for 1906.	1,296 58	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses Incurred in Disaster of Steamer "General Slocum".	688 87	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Making Exact Triangulation, etc., City of New York.	12 62	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses Renting, etc., Building for Training School for Nurses, etc.	133 33	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Sixth District Municipal Court, Borough of Brooklyn, 1906.	1,465 08	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Seventh District Municipal Court, Borough of Brooklyn, 1906.	1,374 50	
	Revenue Bond Fund—General Repairs—Board of Education.	250 00	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Indexing Conveyances of County Clerk's Office, etc.	908 33	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Installing Paid Fire Department, Rockaway Beach, etc., Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.	1,690 96	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.	7,639 12	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.	3,421 68	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Lighting Public School Buildings, 1904.	28 69	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Maintenance of Fire Alarm Telegraph System, Borough of Richmond.	66 15	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Maintenance and Support of City Wards in Private Institutions.	21,240 96	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Operation and Maintenance of Nine Photometric Stations, etc.	123 65	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Payment County Charges and Expenses.	524 09	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Printing, Stationery, etc., City Departments and Offices.	17,930 93	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Rebuilding, etc., Downing Brook Drains, etc., Borough of The Bronx.	2,706 40	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Repairing and Maintaining Asphalt Pavements, Borough of Manhattan.	2,176 97	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs and Supplies, Public Buildings and Offices, etc., Borough of Manhattan.	10,278 91	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs to Surface Drains, Van Nest, Borough of The Bronx.	48 00	
	School Building Fund.	313,027 94	
	Sheriff's Fees.	116 80	
	Sites for Carnegie Libraries.	9,349 50	
	Street Improvement Fund.	238,203 78	
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.	749 85	
	Unsafe Building Fund, Borough of Manhattan.	791 50	
	Water Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	29,147 84	
	Water Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.	28,737 85	
	Water Fund, Borough of Queens.	1,971 93	
	Water Fund, Borough of Richmond.	3,339 81	
	Water Main in Southern Boulevard, near One Hundred and Forty-first Street, etc.	6,145 65	
	Water-meter Fund No. 2.	871 80	
	Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn, 1905.	24 00	
	Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn, 1906.	28 06	
	Williamsburg Bridge Maintenance Fund.	3,509 03	
		\$1,831,024 03	
	1901.		
	Department of Education—General School Fund.	\$1,155 82	
	1902.		
	Department of Education—General School Fund.	1,104 23	
	1903.		
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Manhattan.	1 00	
	1904.		
	Armory Board, Borough of Manhattan.	5 00	
	Board of City Record.	6,027 30	
	Department of Education—General School Fund.	3 66	
	Department of Education—Board of Education.	64 81	
	Department of Education, Borough of Manhattan.	7 77	
	Department of Education, Borough of Brooklyn.	9 18	
	Department of Health, Borough of The Bronx.	4 68	
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.	50 00	
	Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.	6,543 30	
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	692 28	
	Police Department.	80 17	
	1905.		
	Armory Board, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	927 40	
	Armory Board, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.	1,347 54	
	Association for Benefiting Children and Young Girls, etc.	1,043 93	
	Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul.	823 94	
	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.	9,798 02	
	Board of Aldermen and City Clerk.	240 20	
	Board of Assessors.	15 38	
	Board of Building Examiners.	7 34	
	Board of City Record.	12 50	
	Board of Elections.	52 00	
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	115 45	
	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.	425 11	
	Brooklyn Eye and Ear Hospital.	24 72	
	Brooklyn Hospital.	845 54	
	Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital.	333 05	
	Children's Aid Society.	7,249 88	
	City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.	36 35	
	Civil Service Commission.	293 58	
	Colored Orphan Asylum and Association, etc.	477 65	
	Commissioners of Accounts.	291 32	
	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.	75 00	
	Coroners, Borough of Manhattan.	222 35	
	Coroners, Borough of The Bronx.	201 00	
	Court of Special Sessions, First Division.	139 03	
	Court of Special Sessions—Second Division.	27 11	
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.	1,401 88	
	Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx.	84 50	
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Brooklyn.	931 95	
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Queens.	407 65	
	Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.	4,703 81	
	Department of Correction, Borough of Brooklyn.	3,053 01	
	Department of Education—General School Fund.	30,798 23	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Board of Education.	3,611 72	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Manhattan.	37,591 67	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of The Bronx.	3,740 40	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Brooklyn.	19,118 89	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Queens.	9,888 80	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond.	1,677 01	
	Department of Finance.	4,952 49	
	Department of Finance—Chamberlain's Office.	74 53	
	Department of Health.	3,822 79	
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.	1,036 20	
	Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.	7,793 51	
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.	1,530 24	
	Department of Public Charities.	38,403 34	
	Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.	37,221 57	
	Department of Taxes and Assessments.	183 90	
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	4,244 16	
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Brooklyn.	607 74	
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens.	2,351 82	
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Richmond.	326 23	
	Expenses of Art Commission.	53 81	
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	4,478 91	
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.	7,419 19	
	Five Points House of Industry.	2,088 69	
	Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.	3,658 84	
	Hebrew Infant Asylum, City of New York.	168 70	
	House of Calvary.	343 20	
	House of the Good Shepherd.	2,154 19	
	House of St. Giles the Cripple.	647 63	
	Institution of Mercy.	1,306 56	
	Interest on the City Debt.	280 00	

1906. Feb. 10	By Common Land Fund, Late Town of Gravesend—Rents.		
	Forfeited Recognizances, New York County.		
	Dock Fund.		
	Unsafe Building Fund, Borough of Manhattan.		
	Chamberlain's Commissions.		
	Street Incumbrance Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.		
	Street Incumbrance Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.		
	Byrnes.	\$12 09	
	Jerome.	2,075 18	
	Bensel.	2,996 81	
	Murphy.	731 00	
	Keenan.	1,462 10	
	Woodbury.	170 30	
	"	34 50	
	Nagle.	\$821 00	
	Conscience.	1 00	
	Bogart.	75 00	
	Dalton.	2,935 19	
	Ellison.	23 20	
	Hebbard.	3,908 18	
	Haag.	75 50	
	Slattery.	50 00	
	Haffen.	1,217 76	
	Scully.	1,805 54	
	Byrnes.	3,542 75	
	Butler.	119 47	
	O'Brien.	175 00	
	Delany.	1,513 78	
	Comptroller.	1,845 28	
	Robinson.	60 00	
	Woodbury.	689 00	
	Lantry.	16,396 18	
	Scully.	31 00	
	Byrnes.	117 94	
	Dunne.	1,067 52	
	Berger.	10 80	
	Scully.	13 50	
	De Bragg.	130 00	
	Scully.	3 00	
		36,443 94	
	Excise Taxes, New York County.		
	Excise Taxes, Kings County.		
	Excise Taxes, Queens County.		
	Excise Taxes, Richmond County.		
	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Salaries, 1905.		
	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, 1905.		
	Department of Bridges, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, 1906.		
	Department of Health—Salaries, 1905.		
	Department of Health—Salaries, 1906.		
	Department of Bridges—Salaries, 1906.		
	Department of Finance—Chamberlain's Office, Salaries, 1906.		
	Department of Education—General School Fund, 1905.		
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Salaries, 1905.		
	Police Department—Police Fund, 1905.		
	President of the Borough of Brooklyn—Bureau of Highways—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies, 1906.		
	Coroners' Fees, Borough of The Bronx, 1905.		
	Armory Board, Boroughs of Manhattan, 1905.		
	Department of Education—General School Fund, 1905.		
	Rents, 1905.		
	Proceeds of Sale 3 per cent Corporate Stock Issued for Various Municipal Purposes.		
	Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs and Renewals of Street Pavements, Borough of Manhattan.		
	4 per cent. Special Revenue Bonds, 1906.		
	4 per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1906.		
	4 1/4 per cent. Revenue Bond, 1906.		
	Goldman, Sacks & Co.	\$250,000 00	
	Morgan & Bartlett.	500,000 00	
	Fisk & Robinson.	300,000 00	
	Hetty H. R. Green.	500,000 00	
	Dollar Savings Bank.	50,000 00	
	Newburgh Savings Bank.	50,000 00	
	I. & W. Seligman.	500,000 00	
	Goldman, Sacks & Co.	1,000,000 00	
	Harvey Fisk & Sons.	900,000 00	
	Hetty H. R. Green.	250,000 00	
	Heidelberg & Ichelheimer.	600,000 00	
	Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co.	300,000 00	
	Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank.	250,000 00	
		5,450,000 00	
	Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Arrears of Taxes, 1898, etc.		
	Interest on Taxes, 1898, etc.		
	Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.		
	Interest on Assessments, Street Improvement Fund.		
	Fund Street and Park Openings.		
	Interest on Assessments—Street and Park Openings.		
	Charges on Arrears of Taxes.		
	Charges on Arrears of Assessments.		
	One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct.		
	Towns of Westchester—Taxes and Assessments.		
	Towns of Westchester—Interest on Taxes and Assessments.		
	Towns of Westchester—Fees, etc.		
	Annexed Territory, Westchester County—Taxes.		
	Annexed Territory, Westchester County—Interest on Taxes.		
	Borough of Brooklyn—Arrears of Taxes, 1897, etc.		
	Interest on Taxes, 1897, etc.		
	Eighth Ward Improvement Fund—Installments.		
	Eighth Ward Improvement Fund—Full Payments.		
	Twenty-sixth Ward—Main Sewer—Installments.		
	Twenty-sixth Ward—Main Sewer—Full Payments.		
	Sewerage Fund, Laws of 1893 and 1894.		
	Assessment Fund.		
	Opening and Grading Assessments, Thirty-first Ward.		
	Assessments for Local Improvements, New Lots—Installments.		
	Opening and Grading Assessments, Town of Gravesend.		
	Assessments for Local Improvements, Town of Flatlands.		
	Local Improvements—Late Town of New Utrecht.		
	Sales for Unpaid Assessments, Town of New Utrecht.		
	Interest on Assessments.		
	Advertising Sales.		
	Arrears of Water Rents, 1897, etc.		
	Interest on Water Rents, 1897, etc.		
	Borough of Queens—Long Island City—Arrears of Taxes.		
	Interest on Taxes.		
	Arrears of Water Taxes.		
	Interest on Water Taxes.		
	Sales for Arrears of Taxes.		
	Interest on Sales for Arrears of Taxes.		
	General Improvement Commission, Installments.		
	Interest on General Improvement Commission, Installments.		
	General Improvement Commission, Full Payment.		

1906. Feb. 10	To Law Department.....	\$1,623 04	1906. Feb. 10	By Borough of Queens.		
	Lebanon Hospital Association.....	707 90		Town of Newtown:	Collector of Assessments.....	\$59 58
	Low Maternity.....	45 68		Arrears of Taxes.....	"	42 25
	Lutheran Hospital Association.....	99 20		Interest on Taxes.....	"	11 33
	Mary Immaculate Hospital.....	303 06		Arrears of School Taxes.....	"	6 97
	Maternity of Long Island College Hospital.....	30 00		Interest on School Taxes.....	"	76 61
	Mayorality—Mayor's Office.....	399 34		Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	171 49
	Mayorality—Bureau of Licenses.....	54 00		Interest on Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	
	Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	357 60		Town of Flushing:		
	New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	150 51		Arrears of Taxes.....	"	11 73
	New York Ophthalmic Hospital.....	495 42		Interest on Taxes.....	"	6 65
	New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital.....	1,316 14		Arrears of School Taxes.....	"	75
	New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	1,646 71		Interest on School Taxes.....	"	43
	Normal College.....	170 08		Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	97 00
	Norwegian Lutheran Deaconesses' Home and Hospital.....	421 30		Interest on Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	209 66
	Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	960 79		Notices of Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	21 00
	Ottile Orphan Asylum.....	8 86		Village of Flushing:		
	Police Department.....	51,947 17		Sales for Assessments for Local Im-		
				provements.....	"	13 96
	President of the Borough of Manhattan—			Interest on Sales for Assessments	"	
	Bureau of Buildings.....	60 05		for Local Improvements.....	"	13 68
	Bureau of Highways.....	294 76		Village of Whitestone:		
	Bureau of Incumbrances.....	250 41		Arrears of Taxes.....	"	16 80
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	545 20		Interest on Taxes.....	"	16 59
	Bureau of Sewers.....	176 50		Arrears of Water Taxes.....	"	38
	General Administration.....	627 40		Interest on Water Taxes.....	"	55
	President of the Borough of The Bronx—			Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	33 53
	Bureau of Buildings.....	83 63		Interest on Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	71 24
	Bureau of Highways.....	548 71		Sales for Arrears of Water Taxes.....	"	3 17
	Bureau of Public Baths.....	27 78		Interest on Sales for Arrears of		
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	452 08		Water Taxes.....	"	3 45
	Bureau of Sewers.....	223 02		Assessments for Local Improvements	"	38 33
	Topographical Bureau.....	114 35		Interest on Assessments for Local		
	President of the Borough of Brooklyn—			Improvements.....	"	16 63
	Bureau of Buildings.....	38 50		Town of Jamaica:		
	Bureau of Highways.....	17,012 74		Arrears of Taxes.....	"	10 00
	Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.....	29 00		Interest on Taxes.....	"	5 66
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	2,890 83		Arrears of Water Taxes.....	"	22
	Bureau of Sewers.....	1,020 02		Interest on Water Taxes.....	"	11
	Topographical Bureau.....	65 00		Arrears of Light Taxes.....	"	88
	President of the Borough of Queens—			Interest on Light Taxes.....	"	48
	Bureau of Highways.....	781 32		Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	8 31
	Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	573 25		Interest on Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	8 22
	General Administration.....	10 00		Village of Jamaica:		
	President of the Borough of Richmond—			Arrears of Taxes.....	"	4 80
	Bureau of Buildings.....	193 38		Interest on Taxes.....	"	12 72
	Bureau of Engineering.....	6 00		Town of Hempstead:		
	Bureau of Highways.....	99 73		Arrears of Taxes.....	"	8 25
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	510 16		Interest on Taxes.....	"	4 57
	Bureau of Sewers.....	11 35		Arrears of School Taxes.....	"	4 39
	Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	237 72		Interest on School Taxes.....	"	2 43
	Queens Borough Library.....	162 79		Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	11 46
	Rents.....	750 40		Interest on Sales for Arrears of Taxes.....	"	13 54
	St. Catharine's Hospital.....	1,897 98		Taxes, Arrears Commission.....	"	23 05
	St. Elizabeth's Industrial School.....	354 10		Interest on Taxes, Arrears Commis-		
	St. Francis' Hospital.....	2,131 20		sion.....	"	25 76
	St. Michael's Home.....	1,930 61		Village of Far Rockaway:		
	Sloane Maternity Hospital.....	295 91		Arrears of Taxes.....	"	34 40
	Tenement House Department.....	176 93		Interest on Taxes.....	"	34 31
	Wilson Industrial School for Girls.....	113 50		Borough of Richmond—		
				State, Town and County Taxes:		
	New York County.			Northfield.....	"	44 46
	Board of City Record.....	96 80		Castleton.....	"	92 36
	Commissioner of Jurors.....	182 24		Village Taxes, Edgewater.....	"	18 03
	Court of General Sessions.....	14 88		Village Taxes, New Brighton.....	"	24 65
	Disbursements and Fees.....	315 00		Village Taxes, Port Richmond.....	"	6 06
	District Attorney.....	645 43		Lamp Taxes, Edgewater.....	"	20
	New York Institution for Instruction of Deaf and Dumb.....	10,255 23		Lamp Taxes, New Brighton.....	"	6 77
	Preservation of Public Records, Register's Office.....	493 08		Water Taxes, Edgewater.....	"	53
	Register.....	207 75		School Taxes—Twenty-nine Districts.....	"	80 14
	St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	8,153 59		Interest on Taxes.....	"	104 98
	Sheriff.....	117 23		Assessments for Local Improvements,		
	Supreme Court, First Department.....	549 11		Port Richmond.....	"	59 80
	Western New York Institution for Deaf Mutes.....	158 79		Interest on Assessments.....	"	65 19
						\$6,973,473 21
	Kings County.					
	Board of City Record.....	732 79				
	Commissioner of Records.....	11 00				
	County Clerk.....	15 00				
	County Contingent Fund.....	225 00				
	County Court.....	531 76				
	District Attorney.....	101 37				
	Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	953 50				
	Register.....	180 93				
	St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	4,228 87				
	Sheriff.....	31 75				
	Supreme Court, Second Department.....	404 57				
	Surrogate's Court.....	39 27				
	Queens County.					
	Board of City Record.....	58 25				
	County Contingent Fund.....	500 00				
	Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	106 36				
	St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	254 88				
	Supreme Court and County Court.....	651 52				
	Richmond County.					
	Board of City Record.....	130 00				
	County Court and Surrogate's Court.....	31 90				
	District Attorney.....	85 00				
	Rents.....	35 08				
	Sheriff.....	248 13				
	1906.					
	Advertising.....	702 00				
	Annual Compensation John T. Mayers, etc., for Damages.....	66 66				
	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	19,659 43				
	Board of Aldermen and City Clerk.....	150 00				
	Board of Assessors.....	6 00				
	Board of City Record.....	9,186 85				
	Board of Elections.....	5,704 08				
	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.....	5 80				
	Civil Service Commission.....	25 00				
	Collating, Copying and Preserving of Old Records, Kings County.....	325 90				
	College of The City of New York.....	1,433 33				
	Coroners, Borough of Richmond.....	933 33				
	Costs of Commitments of Insane Persons.....	50 00				
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.....	4 568 77				
	Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx.....	75 00				
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Brooklyn.....	556 40				
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Queens.....	575 04				
	Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	29,093 04				
	Department of Correction, Borough of Brooklyn.....	325 50				
	Department of Education—General School Fund.....	1,410,543 89				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Board of Education.....	79,548 51				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Manhattan.....	6 413 09				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of The Bronx.....	2,621 27				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	4,871 49				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Queens.....	1,579 50				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	1,198 88				
	Department of Finance.....	21,714 77				
	Department of Finance—Chamberlain's Office.....	4,205 27				
	Department of Health.....	26,882 51				
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	29,104 84				
	Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.....	4,135 24				
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	10,511 60				
	Department of Public Charities.....					
	Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and	46,571 37				
	Brooklyn.....	75,824 54				
	Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	21,419 55				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Man-					
	hattan and The Bronx.....	42,777 56				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of					
	Brooklyn.....	9,785 12				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens	6,719 17				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Rich-					
	mond.....	1,140 89				
	Expenses of Art Commission.....	100 00				
	Fire Department.....	473,910 31				
	Installments Payable in 1906.....	40,134 37				
	Interest on the City Debt.....	11,000 88				
	Law Department.....	1,185 20				
	Mayorality.....	1,380 72				
	Mayorality—Bureau of Licenses.....	22 31				
	Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	1,526 65				
	New York Public Library—Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations.....	34,319 16				
	Normal College.....	17,008 15				
	Police Department.....	973,608 62				

Dr. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending February 10, 1906.				Cr.			
1906. Feb. 10	To Jury Fees—New York County.....	\$11,644 00		1906 Jan. 31	By Balance, Jury Fees, New York County.....	\$37,450 00	
	Jury Fees—Kings County.....	4,108 00			Balance, Jury Fees, Kings County.....	16,134 00	
	Jury Fees—Queens County.....	1,245 16	\$16,997 16		Balance, Jury Fees, Queens County.....	9,800 60	
					Balance, Jury Fees, Richmond County.....	4,517 54	\$68,000 14
	Balance, Jury Fees—New York County.....	\$25,815 00					
	Balance, Jury Fees—Kings County.....	12,026 00					
	Balance, Jury Fees—Queens County.....	9,889 60					
	Balance, Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	3,272 38					
			51,002 98				
			\$68,000 14				\$68,000 14

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1906. Feb. 10	To Witness Fees, New York County.....	\$597 34		1906 Jan. 31	By Balance, Witness Fees, New York County.....	\$8,564 11	
	Witness Fees, Richmond County.....	7 38	\$604 72		Balance, Witness Fees, Queens County.....	1,468 70	
	Balance, Witness Fees, New York County.....	\$7,966 77			Balance, Witness Fees, Richmond County.....	911 22	\$10,944 03
	Balance, Witness Fees, Queens County.....	1,468 70					
	Balance, Witness Fees, Richmond County.....	903 84					
			10,339 31				
			\$10,944 03				\$10,944 03

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 24, 1906.

General Drug Department.

Appointed—
Mar. 1. Cyrenius, Lloyd W., Apothecary (certified February 20), per annum \$900 00

New York City Training School.

Appointed—
Feb. 14. Fitzpatrick, Mary, Hospital Helper (certified February 20), per annum 240 00

Dropped—
Feb. 19. Bartlett, Ella J., Trained Nurse, per annum..... 600 00

Dismissed—
Feb. 13. Sheehan, Rebecca, Hospital Helper (intoxication), per annum 240 00

City Hospital.

Appointed—
Feb. 8. Keever, Joseph, Cook (certified February 20), per annum.. 360 00

Promoted—
Feb. 1. Hayes, Grace, Hospital Helper, from \$240 grade per annum to 300 00

Promoted and Title Changed—
Feb. 1. Lee, Mary, Hospital Helper (title changed to Seamstress), from \$144 grade per annum to..... 204 00

Bureau of Dependent Children.

Appointed—
Feb. 19. Lynch, Mary A., Pupil Examiner, per annum..... 360 00

Metropolitan Hospital.

Appointed—
Feb. 9. Rossegal, Leon, Assistant Cook (certified February 16), per annum 240 00

Feb. 24. Mooney, Thomas I., Hospital Helper (certified February 23), per annum..... 600 00

Metropolitan Training School.

Appointed—
Feb. 16. Cullen, George, Hospital Helper (certified February 15), per annum 300 00

Feb. 12. Sargent, Eva Belle, Hospital Helper (certified February 15), per annum 300 00

Feb. 12. Duffy, Delia Violet, Hospital Helper (certified February 15), per annum 300 00

Feb. 12. Twoey, Mary, Hospital Helper (certified February 15), per annum 300 00

Feb. 12. Gulbrandom, Marie J., Hospital Helper (certified February 15), per annum..... 300 00

Feb. 9. Thomas, Alfred, Hospital Helper (certified February 15), per annum 300 00

Promoted—
Feb. 16. Morrissey, Tessie M., Hospital Helper, from \$300 grade per annum to..... 360 00

Feb. 16. Armstrong, William, Hospital Helper, from \$150 grade per annum to 300 00

Resigned—
Feb. 16. Clark, William A., Hospital Helper, per annum..... 360 00

Dropped—
Feb. 13. Flynn, Michael, Hospital Helper (failing to report), per annum 300 00

New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools.

Appointed—
Feb. 12. McBride, Patrick, Hospital Helper (certified February 14), per annum 240 00

Feb. 12. Ryan, Peter, Hospital Helper (certified February 14), per annum 240 00

Feb. 12. Grogan, John, Hospital Helper (certified February 14), per annum 240 00

Feb. 14. O'Neill, Josephine, Seamstress (certified February 19), per annum 250 00

Feb. 13. Gray, Annie, Seamstress (certified February 19), per annum 204 00

Feb. 15. Scheffer, Mary, Hospital Helper (certified February 19), per annum 240 00

Resigned—
Feb. 15. Costigan, Lizzie, Seamstress, per annum..... 250 00

Feb. 15. Matthews, Marie, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 240 00

Feb. 17. Avington, Margaret, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 240 00

Feb. 12. Weatherby, Mary, Seamstress, per annum..... 204 00

Dismissed—
Feb. 13. Snyder, John B., Hospital Helper (absence without leave), per annum 240 00

Feb. 10. Smith, James, Hospital Helper (absence without leave), per annum 240 00

Feb. 11. Cornbes, Daniel, Hospital Helper (absence without leave), per annum 240 00

Feb. 11. Sherman, John, Hospital Helper (intoxication), per annum 300 00

Dropped—
Feb. 6, 7 and 8. Costigan, Lizzie, Seamstress (for three days' absence without leave), per annum..... 250 00

Steamboats.

Dropped—
Feb. 19. McGovern, John, Hospital Helper (services no longer required), per annum..... 480 00

Storehouse.

Promoted—
Feb. 12. Hallissey, Reginald, Hospital Helper, from \$150 grade per annum to 180 00

Dismissed—
Feb. 11. Ryan, James, Hospital Helper (absence without leave), per annum 180 00

Central Office, Brooklyn.

Promoted—
Feb. 27. Flynn, Frances E., Typewriting Copyist (certified by Civil Service, February 7), from \$600 per annum to..... 900 00

Dismissed—
Feb. 8. Connaughton, Mary, Clerical Assistant (absence without leave), per annum..... 420 00

Kings County Hospital.

Leave Granted—
Feb. 1. Roth, Joseph, Barber (three days without pay), per annum. 480 00

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, New York,
February 24, 1906.

Messrs. BEHAN & CAVANAUGH, Builders, Fourth Avenue and Twenty-third Street, City:

Gentlemen—Your proposition of February 21, 1906, for building an additional flight of stairs from the first balcony to the ground floor in place of the drop ladder, specified in your contract for the erection of the male dormitory at the Metropolitan Hospital, for the sum of fifty-two dollars (\$52), is accepted and you are hereby notified to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Yours respectfully,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

P. S.—Extra on contract.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, New York,
February 24, 1906.

Messrs. McMANUS & WELCH, No. 1901 Washington Avenue, New York City:

Gentlemen—Your proposition of February 21, 1906, to furnish the necessary material and labor to complete four autopsy tables in Morgue Building at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, to be the same as those shown, for the sum of five hundred and thirty dollars (\$530), is accepted, and you are hereby notified to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Respectfully yours,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, New York,
February 27, 1906.

Mr. A. WINTERNITZ, No. 237 East Seventy-second Street, New York:

Dear Sir—Your proposition of February 23, 1906, to furnish all labor and material required to install one (1) bath tub, one (1) water closet, one (1) basin and one (1) sink in the emergency pavilion, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island; also four (4) gas outlets, for the sum of three hundred and thirteen dollars (\$313), is accepted, and you are hereby notified to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Yours respectfully,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Note—These fixtures to correspond in every respect to the fixtures now in position in easterly end of said pavilion.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, New York,
March 1, 1906.

RUBIN SOLOMON & SON, No. 1483 Second Avenue, City:

Gentlemen—Your proposition of February 26 to paint the walls and ceiling of stairway at the consumptive building, Kings County Hospital, two additional coats, which it requires, for the sum of fifty-eight dollars (\$58), is accepted, and you are hereby directed to proceed with the work at once.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Respectfully yours,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, 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 February 21, 1906.

Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring and repaving pavement, General Account.....	\$3,193 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	2 50
For vault permits.....	2,811 33
For shed permits.....	70 00
For sewer connections.....	328 80
For bay window permits.....	147 80
For ornamental projection permits.....	78 18
Total.....	\$6,632 11

Permits Issued.

Permits to open streets to make sewer connections.....	66
Permits to place building material on streets.....	70
Permits to construct street vaults.....	3
Permits to construct sheds.....	14
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	17
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections.....	226
Permits for railway construction and repairs.....	5
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	22
Permits for sewer connections.....	16
Permits for sewer repairs.....	10
Permits for bay windows.....	17
Permits for ornamental projections.....	2
Total.....	468

Obstructions Removed.

Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.....	7
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Repairs to Pavement.

Square yards of pavement repaired.....	2,510
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Repairs to Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer built.....	143
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	9,880
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	9,050
Basins cleaned.....	205
Basins examined.....	102

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$173,412 78

Statement of Laboring Force Employed During the Week Ending February 17, 1906.

	Mechan- ics.	Labor- ers.	Teams.	Carts.	Bath At- tendants.	Clean- ers.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.....	247	170	3	86	..	..
Boulevards, roads and avenues (maintenance of).....	9	71	20	11	..	..
Roads, streets and avenues.....	..	29	18	5	..	..
Sewers, maintenance, cleaning, etc.....	99	84	10	48	..	1
Cleaning public buildings, baths, etc.....	149	71	..	32	139	243
Total.....	504	425	51	182	139	244

Changes in Working Force for Week Ending February 17, 1906.

Bureau of Highways—
One Cartman deceased.
One Laborer deceased.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—
One Laborer transferred from Department of Docks and Ferries.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Public Works,
and Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

SURROGATES, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

March 5—Appointment on this date of Murray R. Fonda of No. 10 West One Hundred and Fourth street, Manhattan, to the position of Recording Clerk in this office at the annual salary of \$1,000; transfer on the same day of Joseph H. Garvey from the position of Recording Clerk at a salary of \$1,000 to the position of Recording Clerk in the Department for the Preservation of the Public Records, at a salary of \$1,200; transfer to the Register's office on the 1st inst. of Lazarus Shapiro, formerly a Recording Clerk at a salary of \$1,000.

CITY CHAMBERLAIN.

March 6—The salary of Hugh C. Riley, a Bank Messenger, has been fixed at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, the same to take effect from March 1, 1906.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

(Financial Branch.)

March 6—By a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 2, 1906, Joseph Haag was appointed Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with salary at the rate of \$7,500 per annum, to take effect as of date March 1, 1906.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

March 6—

Appointed.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Frederick C. O'Neill as ununiformed Fireman for a probationary period of one month from the 6th inst., with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum, and assigned to Engine Company 1.

Dropped from the Rolls.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Blacksmith's Helper Henry Gearty, Repair Shops, for physical incapacity to perform the duties of his position, to take effect at 5 p. m., March 2, 1906.

Temporary Laborer Charles F. Degnan, Repair Shops, to take effect from 8 a. m., February 28, 1906, the three months term

for which he could have been appointed having expired on said date, and he having been absent continually without leave since January 16, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

March 3—The transfer of Norman B. Gardiner, Assistant Engineer, from this Department to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, took effect March 1, 1906. Mr. Gardiner's name has therefore this day been dropped from the list of employees of the Department.

March 1—Lorenzo L. Burke has been appointed to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, with compensation at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, to take effect this day.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

March 5—Resignation of Alfred McCarville, Engineman, to take effect March 5, 1906.

Resignation of Joseph P. Shelby of No. 1 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Clerk, to take effect March 1, 1906.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, March 12, 1906, at 1.30 o'clock p. m., on the following matters:

Resolution directing the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels to investigate facilities of Williamsburg Bridge.

Resolution in relation to an investigation as to the authority by which the New York and Long Island Railroad Company proceeded with the work of constructing the so-called Steinway tunnel.

All persons interested in the above matters are respectfully invited to attend.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, and
Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in

the Aldermanic Chamber in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, March 12, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the following matter:

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$120,000, for purchase of voting machines.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully invited to attend.

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



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

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

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Frank M. O'Brien, Secretary.
William A. Willis, Assistant Secretary.
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Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 to 12 M.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
Patrick Derry, Chief of Bureau.

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. Gaetano D'Amato, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
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Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City. Charles H. Smith, Financial Clerk, Borough of Queens.

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Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row. Entrance Room 803, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 11 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
Patrick F. McGowan, President.
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City Hall, Rooms 11, 12; 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
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Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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H. J. Storrs, Chief Clerk, Room 11.

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James J. Sullivan, Chief Stock and Bond Clerk, Room 37.

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P. H. Quinn, Chief Auditor of Accounts, Room 27.

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Jeremiah T. Mahoney, Auditor of Accounts, Room 185.

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Daniel C. Potter, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions, Room 38.

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Staats-Zeitung Building, 2d, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Robert W. Hebbard, Commissioner.
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Telephone, 3825 Main.
John McKeown, Second Deputy Commissioner.
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Borough of Manhattan.

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County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 19, 20, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23; Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house, Clerk's Office, Rooms 19, 20 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
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COUNTY COURT.

Temporary County Court-house, Long Island City.
 County Court opens at 10 A. M. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August.
 County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.
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SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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 Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury.
 Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury.
 Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury.
 Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury.
 Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury.
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 Clerk's office open at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.
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 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33.
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 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
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 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 27.
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.
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 Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.
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 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions) Room No. 15.
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner mezzanine floor.
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southeast corner, second floor.
 Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.
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Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
 Court opens at 10.30 A. M.
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 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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 Part II.
 Part III.
 Part IV.
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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
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 Justices—Howard J. Forker, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe; Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.
 Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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 Second Division—No. 102 Court Street, Brooklyn. James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

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 Second District—Jefferson Market.
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 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
 Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
 Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.
 Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

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 Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

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Borough of Richmond.

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 First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
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MUNICIPAL COURTS.**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands.
 New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
 Waupole Lynn, Justice. Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street.
 Court-room, No. 55 Madison street.
 John Hoyer, Justice. Francis Mangin, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court opens daily at 9 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 William F. Moore, Justice. Daniel Williams, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards.
 Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue.
 Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
 George F. Roesch, Justice. Andrew Lang, Clerk.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street.
 Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
 Benjamin Hoffman, Justice. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards.
 Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily (except legal holidays), and continues open until close of business.
 Daniel F. Martin, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk.

Seventh District—That portion of Nineteenth Ward east of Lexington avenue, bounded on the south by the north side of East Forty-third street and on the north by the south side of East Eighty-sixth street, also that portion bounded on the south by the north side of East Sixty-first street, on the west by the east side of Park avenue, and on the north by the south side of East Sixty-fifth street. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
 Herman Joseph, Justice. Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards.
 Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 9 A. M.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
 James W. McLaughlin, Justice. Henry Merzbach, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river, north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
 Joseph P. Fallon, Justice. William J. Kennedy, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street, west of Central Park West to Fifty-ninth street, south on Fifty-ninth street to Seventh avenue, west on Seventh avenue to Fifty-third street, north on Fifty-third street to Eighth avenue, west on Eighth avenue to Fortieth street, north side to Hudson river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
 Thomas E. Murray, Justice. Michael Skelly, Clerk.

Eleventh District—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue, north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9 A. M.
 Francis J. Worcester, Justice. Herman B. Wilson, Clerk.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2630 Broadway.
 Alfred P. W. Seaman, Justice. James V. Gilloon, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Leon Sanders, Justice. James J. Devlin, Clerk.
 Court-room, No. 264 Madison street.

Fourteenth District—The Fourteenth District embraces that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded as follows: Beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue, north on Eighth avenue to West Fifty-third street; east on West Fifty-third street to Seventh avenue; north on Seventh avenue to West Fifty-ninth street; east on West Fifty-ninth street to Transverse road at Central Park West and West Ninety-seventh street; east on Transverse road to Fifth avenue and East Ninety-seventh street; south on Fifth avenue to East Ninety-sixth street; east on Ninety-

sixth street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Sixty-fifth street; west on East Sixty-fifth street to Park avenue; south on Park avenue to East Sixty-first street; east on East Sixty-first street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Fortieth street; west on East and West Fortieth streets to the point of beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue.

Edgar J. Lauer, Justice. William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.
 Court-house, southwest corner Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.

William W. Penfield, Justice. Thomas F. Delahanty, Clerk.
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
 John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
 John J. Walsh, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.
 Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. William H. Allen, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue, between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
 William J. Lynch, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court opens at 9 o'clock.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.
 Thomas H. Williams, Justice. G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk. R. M. Bennett, Assistant Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards. Court-house, northwest corner of Third street and Third avenue.
 Cornelius Ferguson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.
 Justice, Lucien S. Bayless. Charles P. Bible, Clerk.
 Court-house, No. 485 Fulton street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.
 Alexander S. Rosenthal, Justice. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.
 Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City formerly composing five wards). Court-room, No. 40 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 M. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
 Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. Thomas F. Kennedy, Clerk.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room, in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, New York.
 William Rasquin, Jr., Justice. Henry Walter, Jr., Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former Towns and Villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.
 James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 o'clock a. m.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

George W. Stake, Justice. Peter Tiernan, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called to a. m.
Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."

Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."

Weekly—"Irish-American," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"Staats-Zeitung."

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COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE LEADED GLASSWORK FOR THE GREAT HALL, MAIN BUILDING, FOR THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO BE ERECTED ON THE PLOTS OF GROUND LOCATED ON ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above work will be received by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Trustees of the College of the City of New York, at the office of the Board, Lexington avenue and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on **MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1906.**

The time allowed for doing and completing the work herein specified will be one hundred and thirty-five (135) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be not less than twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared for the purpose, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon written application therefor at the office of the Architect, George B. Post, No. 33 East Seventeenth street, New York City, where the plans and drawings which are made a part of the specifications can also be seen.

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job. No bid shall be withdrawn while the awarding of the contract is pending.

Bidders will write out the total amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

EDWARD M. SHEPARD,
Chairman;

JAMES W. HYDE,
Secretary;

FREDERICK P. BELLAMY,
JAMES BYRNE,
LEE KOHNS,
JOSEPH F. MULQUEEN,
THEO. F. MILLER,
M. WARLEY PLATZKE,
PARKER D. HANDY,
EGERTON L. WINTHROP,

Board of Trustees and Committee on Buildings.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 7, 1906.

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

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLIES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the College of the City of New York at the office of the Board, No. 17 Lexington avenue, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1906.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CHEMICAL SUPPLIES, MATERIALS AND APPARATUS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS OF THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is between the 1st and 30th days of June, 1906, or thereafter from time to time as may be directed by the Professor of Physics not later than December 31, 1906.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and the blank proposals and lists of articles, materials, supplies and apparatus to be furnished and delivered to the places designated. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to the specifications and schedules. The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform to and must be the same or equal in quality, character, finish and design to the samples furnished, or to those described by the names of well-known dealers and manufacturers, and referred to by catalogue numbers. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Board of Trustees. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Board

of Trustees in passing upon tenders. Bidders must state the price of each item. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose goods are the same or equal to the samples furnished for inspection or referred to by catalogue number.

Bidders shall describe the various items by reference to the particular maker's catalogue or circular, or by the submission of a sample. Only one bid will be received from a bidder for each item.

Samples will be on exhibition at the College of the City of New York, No. 17 Lexington avenue, Room 15, until the bids are opened.

All goods must be delivered as directed, in the original bottles or packages, at the Department of Physics, the College of the City of New York, One Hundred and Fortieth street and Convent avenue, Borough of Manhattan (unless otherwise stated in the specifications). The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received at the institution.

No charge will be allowed for freight expenses, boxes or cartage, but boxes may be taken away by the contractor.

Contractors who fail to make prompt deliveries will be considered as in default and debarred from bidding in the future.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the said Board of Trustees, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon written application therefor at the office of the College of the City of New York, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the said college, corner of Lexington avenue and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

EDWARD M. SHEPARD.

JAMES W. HYDE,
Secretary.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 26, 1906.

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

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
"North Side News," "Westchester Independent," "Bronx Sentinel," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Borough Record."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star," "Richmond County Herald," "Richmond County Democrat," "Staten Island World."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Queens Borough Advertiser," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News," "Long Island Farmer," "Long Island Democrat."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard Union," "Brooklyn Free Press," "Brooklyn Weekly News," "Flatbush Weekly News."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
"Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts).

Designation by Board of City Record April 26, 1904.

Amended July 22 and September 15, 1904, and February 7, 1905.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 6, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements requesting that sidewalks be repaired where necessary, and an additional course of new flagging be laid on the west side of Broadway, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets, and on the east side, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 20th day of March, 1906, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF OUTLET SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, BETWEEN HARLEM RIVER AND SEVENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

65 linear feet of wooden box sewer of 6 feet by 9 feet 6 inches interior diameter.

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

The amount of the security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

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

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 2, 1906.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906.

FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRICAL WORK IN COURT HOUSE LOCATED AT NO. 153 EAST FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be forty (40) days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

Bidders will name a lump sum for the above contract.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Bernstein & Bernstein, No. 24 East Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 2, 1906.

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees at the above office until 3 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1906.

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL AND MAKING REPAIRS TO THE ROOFS, GUTTERS, LEADERS AND SKYLIGHTS OF THE BUILDINGS AND TOWERS ON THE GROUNDS OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The security required shall be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within 60 days.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the General Medical Superintendent, No. 411 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,
President Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1906.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 209 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 8287, No. 1. Regulating, grading, paving with macadam pavement, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and planting trees in East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard. Together with a list of awards caused by a change of grade.

List 8491, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Carter avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Tremont avenue. Together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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 East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Carter avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Tremont avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 10, 1906, 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,

March 8, 1906.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 8588, No. 1. Regulating, grading and curbing Rochester avenue, between St. Mark's and East New York avenues.

List 8637, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Bristol street, between East New York avenue and Hunterly road.

List 8771, No. 3. Sewer in Fifty-ninth street, from a point 400 feet easterly from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue, and outlet sewer in Sixth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-second street.

No. 1. Both sides of Rochester avenue, from St. Mark's avenue to East New York avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Bristol street, from East New York avenue to Hunterly road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-second street; east side of Fifth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; both sides of Sixtieth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; south side of Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, and north side of Fifty-ninth street, extending about 300 feet west of Sixth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 3, 1906, 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,

March 1, 1906.

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, CORN EXCHANGE BANK BUILDING, JAY STREET, NEW BRIGHTON, S. I.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, Corn Exchange Bank Building, until 12 o'clock m., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1906.

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY STORM WATER SEWER IN RICHMOND ROAD AND ELM AVENUE, FROM ROSE AVENUE TO MORAVIAN BROOK, SECOND AND FOURTH WARDS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

1,630 linear feet of salt-glazed, vitrified stone-ware pipe sewer of 12 inches interior diameter.

2 reinforced concrete receiving basins.

2 manholes, complete.

500 feet, B. M., of foundation timber and planking in place.

3 cubic yards of concrete in place.

300 feet, B. M., of sheeting retained.

The time allowed for the doing and completing of the above work is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY EXTENSION OF SANITARY SEWER OUTLET AT THE FOOT OF FISHER AVENUE, FROM ITS PRESENT TERMINUS ABOUT 180 FEET, FIFTH WARD, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

180 linear feet of cast-iron pipe sewer of 16 inches interior diameter, weighing not less than 135 pounds per foot, and including the foundation, laying, caulking and securing, as shown on plan.

1 cubic yard of concrete in place.

100 feet, B. M., of spruce lumber.

8 guard piles, furnished, driven and braced.

The time allowed for the doing and completing of the above work is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND GUTTER PAVING NICHOLAS STREET, FROM RICHMOND TERRACE TO ST. MARK'S PLACE, FIRST WARD.

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

3,300 cubic yards of excavation.

500 square yards of vitrified brick pavement.

60 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

900 linear feet of new 16-inch curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

100 square feet of old bridge stone relaid without jointing or dressing.

The time allowed for the doing and completing of the above work is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 4. EMBRACING ALL WORK AND MATERIALS AS DESCRIBED IN THE CONTRACT FOR THE ERECTION OF TRIANGULATION TOWERS THEREIN DESIGNATED.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is the erection and completion of:

4 30-foot high triangulation towers.

1 52-foot high triangulation tower.

1 84-foot high triangulation tower.

The time allowed for the doing and completing of the above work is one hundred (100) calendar days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTEEN THOUSAND (13,000) TONS OF 1½-INCH BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP-ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE at such point and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Highways may direct upon the roads within the portion of the Borough of Richmond known as Stone District No. 3 and bounded as follows:

North by southerly line of Richmond turnpike, southwesterly lines of Clove road, Clove avenue, Fingerboard road and Sand lane, southwesterly by Arthur Kill or Staten Island Sound.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT THOUSAND (8,000) TONS OF 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP-ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE at such points and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Highways may direct upon the roads within the portion of the Borough of Richmond known as Stone District No. 2 and bounded as follows:

North by Kill von Kull, east by New York Bay, south by Sand lane, Fingerboard road, Clove avenue, Clove road to Richmond turnpike, west by the easterly line of the Clove road from Richmond turnpike to Bard avenue and the easterly line of Bard avenue. All bounding roads named in the above description unless otherwise specified are included in this district.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT THOUSAND (8,000) TONS OF 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP-ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE at such points and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Highways may direct upon the roads within the portion of the Borough of Richmond known as Stone District No. 1 and bounded as follows:

North by Kill von Kull, east by Bard avenue and the Clove road, south by Richmond turnpike and west by the Arthur Kill or Staten Island Sound. All bounding roads named in the above description are included in the district.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT, TEN THOUSAND (10,000) BRICK AND THREE HUNDRED (300) CUBIC YARDS OF BUILDING SAND at such points within the Borough of Richmond and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Highways may direct.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHTY THOUSAND (80,000) FEET, B. M., YELLOW PINE AND SPRUCE LUMBER. At such points within the Borough of Richmond and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Highways may direct.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE HUNDRED (300) BARRELS PORTLAND CEMENT (IN WOOD), ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE (175) YARDS BUILDING SAND, THREE HUNDRED (300) SQUARE FEET OF FLAGGING, ONE HUNDRED (100) LINEAR FEET OF 12-INCH VITRIFIED SEWER PIPE, ONE HUNDRED (100) LINEAR FEET OF 18-INCH VITRIFIED SEWER PIPE, ONE HUNDRED (100) LINEAR FEET OF 24-INCH VITRIFIED SEWER PIPE, ONE DOZEN 12-INCH QUARTER BENDS, SIXTY THOUSAND (60,000) BRICK. To be delivered at such points in the Borough of Richmond and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Sewers may direct.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

No. 11. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEN THOUSAND (10,000) FEET, B. M., YELLOW PINE AND SPRUCE LUMBER. At such points within the Borough of Richmond and in such quantities from time to time as the Superintendent of Highways may direct.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150).

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

Blank forms of bids may be had and the contracts, specifications and plans may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 26, 1906.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, March 7, 1906.

A. SEBASTIAN, AUCTIONEER, ON BEHALF of the Fire Department of the City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Hospital and Training Stables, Nos. 133 and 135 West Ninety-ninth street, Manhattan, on Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, the following ten horses, no longer fit for service in the Department and known as Nos. 628, 867, 985, 1056, 1096, 1361, 1528, 1568, 1790 and 1794.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Fire Commissioner.

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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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS AND BRAN FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is one hundred and eighty (180) days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$4,200).

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

bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 2, 1906.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, March 6, 1906.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, AUCTIONEER, on behalf of the Fire Department of the City of New York, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Hospital and Training Stables, St. Edwards and Bolivar streets, Borough of Brooklyn, on Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following eight horses, no longer fit for service in the Department and known as Nos. 44, 227, 335, 357, 599, 661, 919 and 1570.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Fire Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1906.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 10 days.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VEGETABLES, FRUITS, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1906.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item. The bids on lumber and vegetables, etc., 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 Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1906.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1906,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

The 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 at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 1, 1906.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1906,

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A NEW FIRE LINE AND STAND PIPES FOR THE VARIOUS BUILDINGS ON HART'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 consecutive working days.

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

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

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO ERECT IRON GRILL DOORS IN DORMITORY OF NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY, HART'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 1, 1906.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-NINTH AND THIRTY-SECOND WARDS.

FLATBUSH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from the boundary line of Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards to Avenue N. Area of assessment: Both sides of Flatbush avenue, from the boundary line of Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards to Avenue N, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 6, 1906, and entered March 6, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays till 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 6, 1906.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

BLACKWELL STREET—SEWER, from Broadway to Graham avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Blackwell street, east side of Bartow street, west side of Pomeroy street, from Broadway to Graham avenue (Franklin road).

DEBEVOISE AVENUE—SEWER, from a point about the centre of the church thereon, commencing about 540 feet south of Grand avenue, and to continue in a northerly direction to the existing public sewer in Grand avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Debevoise avenue, from Grand avenue to a point about 540 feet southerly therefrom.

ELY AVENUE—SEWER, from Grand to Jamaica avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ely avenue, from Grand avenue to Jamaica avenue.

FRANKLIN STREET—SEWER, from Woolsey to Willow street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Franklin street, from Willow street to Woolsey street; east side of Woolsey street, extending about 195 feet north of Franklin street.

NINTH AVENUE—SEWER, from Broadway to Graham avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninth avenue (Kouwenhoven street), from Broadway to Graham avenue, and south side of Broadway, about 100 feet east and west of Ninth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 6, 1906, and entered on March 6, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessments 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 assessments to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 6, 1906.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from St. Nicholas avenue to Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

FORT WASHINGTON AVENUE—CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING, from Broadway to West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fort Washington avenue, from Broadway to West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 6, 1906, and entered on March 6, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, 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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1906, 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, March 6, 1906.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SECOND AND TWENTY-NINTH WARDS, SECTIONS 4 AND 16.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—OPENING, from Fifteenth street to Terrace place. Confirmed November 29, 1905; entered March 6, 1906. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the southern line of Fifteenth street at the centre of the block between Tenth avenue and Eleventh avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly line of Fifteenth street to the centre line of the block between Eleventh avenue and Coney Island avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of the block between Eleventh avenue and Coney Island avenue to the southern line of Windsor place; thence southerly to a point in the northern line of Sherman street in the centre of the block between Eleventh avenue and the old City line of Brooklyn; thence southerly along the centre line of the block between Eleventh avenue and the old City line of Brooklyn to the southerly line of Prospect avenue; thence southerly along the southern line of Prospect avenue to the western line of Terrace place; thence southerly along the western line of Terrace place to a point distant 70.45 feet southerly of the southern line of Nineteenth street; thence westerly and parallel to Nineteenth street to the centre line of the block between Eleventh avenue and Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of the block between Eleventh avenue and Tenth avenue to the point of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any assessment shall remain unpaid for a period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles and Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessments became liens, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and

on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 6, 1906.
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INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON APRIL 1, 1906, on the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1906.

The interest due on April 1, 1906, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on April 1, 1906, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1906.
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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO, OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines and on property owned by The City of New York, acquired for street purposes, in the

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
All of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for the extension of Grand street, from the intersection of Havemeyer street and South Fourth street to Hooper street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

A map showing the property to be sold is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and bidders should acquaint themselves with the extent and portions of the buildings to be sold and owned by the City.

By direction of the Comptroller, the sale of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue. The sale will take place on

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1906,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, and will be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction on 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 give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area, are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb; and any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away.

Failure to remove the said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within said period, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will without notice to the purchaser cause the same to be removed and the cost 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 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 and from 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 damages 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 appliance used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down, but all furnishings, 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, without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall 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 Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1906.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTIONS 9 AND 10.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from Third avenue to Boston road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Prospect avenue to Park avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. GARDEN STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from Crotona avenue to Southern Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Garden street, from Crotona avenue to Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

CRESCENT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Crescent avenue, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments March 1, 1906, and entered on March 1, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 30, 1906, 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, March 1, 1906.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SEVENTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9. VANDAM STREET—REGULATING AND GRADING, between Meeker avenue and Bridge-water street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Vandam street, from Meeker avenue to Bridge-water street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12. OSBORNE STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Livonia avenue and Riverdale avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Osborne street, from Livonia avenue to Riverdale avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

BRISTOL STREET—PAVING, between East New York avenue and Hunterly road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bristol street, from East New York avenue to Hunterly road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

AMBOY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between East New York avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Amboy street, from East New York avenue to Sutter avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11. GRANITE STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Bushwick avenue and the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company at Evergreen avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Granite street, from Bushwick avenue easterly to the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company at Evergreen avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, PAVING GUTTERS AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Albemarle road and Beverley road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Seventeenth street, from Albemarle road to Beverley road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16. BEVERLEY ROAD—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, both sides, between Ocean parkway and East Second street. Area of assessment: Blocks bounded by East Second and East Third streets, Church lane and Beverley road; south side of Beverley road, between Second and Third streets, Block 5354, Lots Nos. 1 and 11; third sides of Beverley road, from Third to Fourth street; north side of Beverley road, between Fourth and Fifth streets, on Block 5357, Lots Nos. 76 and 78, and both sides of Beverley road, from Fifth street to Ocean parkway.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON EAST SEVENTH STREET, east side, between Reeve

place and Ocean parkway; on EAST SEVENTH STREET, west side, between Reeve place and Greenwood avenue; on BEVERLEY ROAD, north side, between Ocean parkway and East Seventh street; on BEVERLEY ROAD, north side, between East Eighth street and Coney Island avenue; on BEVERLEY ROAD, south side, between East Seventh street and Coney Island avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Seventh street, between Greenwood avenue and Ocean parkway, on Block 5286, Lots Nos. 17 and 19; east side of Seventh street, between Greenwood avenue and Reeve place, on Block 5278, Lot No. 13; west side of Seventh street, between Reeve place and Greenwood avenue, on Block 5277, Lots Nos. 28 and 31; south side of Beverley road, between Seventh street and Coney Island avenue, on Block 5359, Lot No. 1; Block 5360, Lot No. 1, and Block 5361, Lot No. 1; north side of Beverley road, between Ocean parkway and Seventh street, on Block 5339, Lot No. 33; north side of Beverley road, between Eighth street and Coney Island avenue, on Block 5343, Lot No. 33.

EAST THIRTEENTH STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND GUTTERING, between Beverley road and Cortelyou road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Thirteenth street (Argyle road), from Beverley road to Cortelyou road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the east side between Seventy-third and Eighty-fourth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Third avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, on Block 5918, Lots Nos. 3, 4 and 6; between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets on Block 5929, Lot No. 6, from Seventy-fifth to Seventy-sixth street, on Block 5950, Lot No. 6; between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets, on Block 5960, Lot No. 7, and from Seventy-eighth to Eighty-fourth street.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 18 AND 19. ELEVENTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Seventy-ninth street to Eighty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19. SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS from Fifteenth avenue to New Utrecht avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-third street, from Fifteenth avenue to New Utrecht avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

THIRTY-SECOND WARD.

KENMORE PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS between Farragut road and Avenue G. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kenmore place, from Avenue G to a point about 380 feet north, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Avenue G, —that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 27, 1906, and entered February 27, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessments 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 assessments became liens, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays till 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 28, 1906, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 27, 1906.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—OPENING, from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue. Confirmed November 21, 1905; entered February 28, 1906. 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.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly side of Buena Vista avenue with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; running thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-first street and West One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the easterly side of Buena Vista avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Buena Vista avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the

Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 April 30, 1906, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1906.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named place and street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

PUBLIC PLACE—OPENING, bounded by Morris avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-third street and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street. Confirmed April 22, 1903; entered February 28, 1906. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Morris avenue and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Lowell street; running thence northwesterly along said line parallel to Lowell street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of that portion of Morris avenue lying between East One Hundred and Fortieth street and Lowell street; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and its northeasterly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lowell street and East One Hundred and Forty-second street; thence northwesterly along said middle line and its northwesterly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Rider avenue and Canal place; thence northeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Spencer place; thence northeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Railroad avenue, East, and Morris avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets; thence southeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Morris avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Morris avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets; thence southeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street through a point which is 100 feet from the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street measured at right angles thereto; thence southwesterly along said line to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence southeasterly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between College avenue and Third avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth and East One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets; thence southeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Third avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line and also along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Alexander avenue to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-second and East One Hundred and Forty-third streets; thence northwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between College avenue and Third avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lowell street and East One Hundred and Forty-second street; thence northwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of College avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line and also along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Morris avenue to the point or place of beginning.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—OPENING. from Brook avenue to German place, including the triangular space lying northeasterly thereof, and **EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—OPENING.** from German place to St. Ann's avenue. Confirmed March 23, 1905; entered February 28, 1906. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Brook avenue; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street lying between St. Ann's avenue and Brook avenue; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 30, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1906.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named place and street in THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11.
PUBLIC PLACE—OPENING. bounded by Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleeker street. Confirmed October 19, 1905. Entered February 23, 1906. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Hamburg avenue with the southerly side of Harmon street; running thence northeasterly and along the southerly side of Harmon street to the westerly side of Irving avenue; running thence southeasterly along the westerly side of Irving avenue to its intersection with the northerly side of Ralph street; running thence southeasterly and along the northerly side of Ralph street to its intersection with the easterly side of Hamburg avenue; running thence northeasterly and along the easterly side of Hamburg avenue to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.
SHERMAN STREET—OPENING. from the southerly side of Reeves place (formerly Adams street) to the land dividing land of the Windsor Terrace Land Association, from the land late of Thomas Murphy. Confirmed December 29, 1905. Entered February 23, 1906. Area of assessment includes all those lots, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Coney Island avenue with the northerly side of Greenwood avenue; running thence westerly and along the northerly side of Greenwood avenue to its intersection with the easterly side of Prospect avenue; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of Prospect avenue to the center line of the block between Vanderbilt street and Reeves place; running thence easterly and along the center line of the block between Vanderbilt street and Reeves place to the westerly side of Coney Island avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Coney Island avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any assessment shall remain unpaid for a 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 assessments 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 assessments became liens, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 24, 1906, 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, February 23, 1906.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

FOURTH WARD, SECTION 1.
PARK ROW—REPAIRING SIDEWALK in front of No. 209. Area of assessment: No. 209 Park row, known as Block 117, Lot No. 24.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.
SIXTY-NINTH STREET—RECEIVING BASIN. north side, between West End and Twelfth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Sixty-ninth street, extending about 105 feet west of West End avenue; west side of West End avenue, extending about 101 feet north of Sixty-ninth street.

WEST SIXTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND FLAGGING. from West End avenue to the railroad wall. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, westerly from West End avenue to the railroad wall and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of West End avenue.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.
WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALK. north side, from Lenox avenue to a point 450 feet east. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, extending easterly from Lenox avenue about 460 feet.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.
WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS. south side, from Seventh avenue to a point 550 feet east. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, extending about 550 feet east of Seventh avenue.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET AND MANHATTAN AVENUE—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS on the north-west corner. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and south side of Hancock place, extending about 100 feet west of Manhattan avenue; west side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-third street to Hancock place.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—REPAIRING SIDEWALK on the northeast corner. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending about 78 feet east of St. Nicholas avenue; east side of St. Nicholas avenue, extending about 102 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALK. north side, from Seventh avenue to a point 300 feet east. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, extending about 300 feet east of Seventh avenue.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALK AND RESETTLE CURB opposite No. 303. Area of assessment: No. 303 West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, known as Block 204, Lot No. 28.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET—PAVING AND CURBING. from Eighth avenue to Bradhurst avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Eighth avenue to Bradhurst avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTIONS 7 AND 8.
BROADWAY—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS. east and west sides, from West One Hundred and Forty-third street to West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. Area of assessment: East side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Forty-third street to about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; east side of Broadway, commencing about 75 feet south of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and extending north to about 25 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; east side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to about 75 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; east side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to about 100 feet south; east side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street; west side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Forty-third street to about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; west side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; west side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; west side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to about 75 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; west side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Fifty-third street to a point distant about 75 feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; west side of Broadway, commencing about 87 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and extending northerly to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—SEWER. between Boulevard Lafayette and Riverside drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Boulevard Lafayette to Riverside drive.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING AND CURBING. from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8 (MARBLE HILL).

JANSEN AVENUE—PAVING AND CURBING. from Terrace View avenue, North, southerly to the northerly line of Terrace View avenue, South. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jansen avenue, from Terrace View avenue, North, to Terrace View avenue, South, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

VAN CORLEAR PLACE—REGULATING AND PAVING. from Kingsbridge avenue to a point 175.3 feet southerly. Area of assessment: Both sides of Van Corlear place, from Kingsbridge avenue to about 175 feet southerly, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Kingsbridge avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 20, 1906, and entered on February 20, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 21, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 20, 1906.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named place, in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11.

TESSUP PLACE (Formerly Second Avenue)—OPENING. from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue. Confirmed May 5, 1905; entered February 20, 1906. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street lying between Cromwell avenue and Boscobel avenue with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Boscobel avenue; running thence northerly along last mentioned line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to Cromwell avenue and through a point in the easterly line of Cromwell avenue equally distant from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventieth street; running thence easterly along said last mentioned line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Cromwell avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to the westerly line of Macomb's road; thence northeasterly in a straight line to the point of intersection of the easterly line of Macomb's road with the southwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Macomb's road; thence northerly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Featherbed lane; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Belmont street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of Featherbed lane; thence northwesterly in a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Featherbed lane with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Macomb's road; thence northerly along last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn through the southeasterly corner of Macomb's road and Grand avenue and at right angles to the easterly line of Macomb's road; thence westerly along said line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Featherbed lane; thence westerly along last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Nelson avenue; thence southwesterly along said line of Nelson avenue to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Nelson avenue and Marcher avenue; thence southwesterly along said prolongation and middle line and its southwesterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of High Bridge street; thence easterly along last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Boscobel avenue; thence southerly along last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street lying between Cromwell avenue and Boscobel avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 21, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 20, 1906.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

NINTH WARD, SECTION 4.
PARK PLACE—PAVING AND CURBING. between Grand avenue and Classon avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Park place, from Classon to Grand avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 20, 1906, and entered February 20, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided for in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessments to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 21, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 20, 1906.
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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THEREOF OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

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 on

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1906,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, all the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging, erected upon real estate acquired for Police Department purposes, belonging to The City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the buildings thereunto belonging, acquired for the Department of Police in the Borough of Manhattan, erected upon land described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of West Thirtieth street distant 263 feet easterly from the southeasterly corner of West Thirtieth street and Seventh avenue; running thence southerly and parallel with Seventh avenue 76 feet 5 inches; thence easterly 6 feet; thence again southerly or nearly so 23 feet 5 inches to the center line of the block between West Twenty-ninth street and West Thirtieth street; thence easterly along the center line of said block and parallel with West Thirtieth street 91 feet; thence northerly and again parallel with Seventh avenue 93 feet 9 inches to the southerly side of West Thirtieth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of West Thirtieth street 100 feet 7 inches to the point or place of beginning, premises being known by Nos. 134 to 138 West Thirtieth street.

By direction of the Comptroller, the sale of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be made under the supervision of the Collector on Friday, March 9, 1906, at 11 a. m., on the premises.

The buildings on the premises above described shall be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction 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 give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb; and any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, etc., and all stoops and area walls, shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away.

Failure to remove any portion thereof, within said period, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood

to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost 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 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 and from 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 damages 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 appliance used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furnishings, 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, without the aid of braces, the beam holes, etc., bricked up and the wall 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 watertight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel.

H. A. METZ,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 19, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,
March 26, 1906.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture with patented articles.....	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt)—	
Not over 2 years.....	15,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000
School building repairs.....	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus....	5,000
New Buildings—New docks.....	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water-mains—	
Not over 2 years.....	10,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000

HERMAN A. METZ,

Comptroller.

ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

ARMORY BOARD, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor, Chairman of the Armory Board, in The City of New York, until 2 p. m.,

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE EXTENSION, ALTERATION AND FURNISHINGS TO THE SEVERAL ARMORIES OF THE ORGANIZATIONS OF THE N. G. N. Y., IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN, AS FOLLOWS:

No. 1. Extension to the Thirtieth Regiment Armory, Borough of Brooklyn.
Security required, \$50,000.
Deposit to be made with the bid, \$2,500.
Time allowed for doing the work, 240 working days.

No. 2. Iron railing around the Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.
Security required, \$1,000.
Deposit to be made with the bid, \$50.
Time allowed for doing the work, 75 working days.

No. 3. Lighting fixtures for the new Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.
Security required, \$5,000.
Deposit to be made with the bid, \$250.
Time allowed for doing the work, 120 working days.

No. 4. Lockers for the new Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.
Security required, \$5,000.
Deposit to be made with the bid, \$250.
Time allowed for doing the work, 120 working days.

No. 5. Gun Racks in the new Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.
Security required, \$1,000.
Deposit to be made with the bid, \$50.
Time allowed for doing the work, 50 working days.

The bids will be compared and the contracts 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 Armory Board, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application at the office of the Armory Board, No. 280 Broadway, Stewart Building, Manhattan.

For No. 1, the plans and specifications can be examined at the office of the architects, Messrs. Parfitt Brothers, No. 26 Court street, Borough of Brooklyn.

THE ARMORY BOARD,

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,

Mayor;

JAMES McLEER,

Brigadier-General, Commanding Second Brigade;

GEORGE MOORE SMITH,

Brigadier-General, Commanding First Brigade;

FRANK A. O'DONNELL,

President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments;

PATRICK McGOWAN,

President of the Board of Aldermen.

The City of New York, March 2, 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

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

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 976.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PRINTING AND BINDING ANNUAL REPORT AND INDEX AND BINDING MINUTES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES FOR THE YEAR 1904.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of four months after date of receipt of notice to begin said work.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

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

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

J. A. BENDEL,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated FEBRUARY 21, 1906.

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

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

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

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

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

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 30 per cent. of the estimated cost.

JOSEPH W. SAVAGE,

Secretary.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 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, March 3, 1906.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,

CHARLES A. JACKSON,

OSCAR S. BAILEY,

Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,

Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING ONE HUNDRED (100) HEADSTONES OVER THE GRAVES OF THE DECEASED VETERAN UNION SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND MARINES, AS PROVIDED BY LAW IN THE SEVERAL CEMETERIES, SITUATED IN THE COUNTIES OF KINGS AND QUEENS.

The time allowed for making and completing the headstones and full performance of the contract will be four (4) months.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,

President.

Dated JANUARY 16, 1906.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO LAY A NEW TILE FLOOR WITH MARBLE BASE IN PLACE OF THE FLOOR AND BASE NOW ON PREMISES, FIRST STORY, BOROUGH HALL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be 30 days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The bidder will state the price for the work complete as specified. The bids will be com-

pared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

BIRD S. COLER,

President.

Dated FEBRUARY 15, 1906.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,853 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,285 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 4,288 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,429 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,058 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,020 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 4,485 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,495 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,000 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 2,000 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,389 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,130 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,000 LINEAR FEET OF BLUESTONE CURBSTONE.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before September 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150,000 POUNDS OF PAVING PITCH.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before December 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1906.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 175 GROSS TONS OF THE BEST ANTHRACITE COAL, EGG SIZE.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before September 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350).

No. 11. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 30,000 SQUARE FEET OF BLUESTONE FLAGSTONE.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before October 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 12. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 200 CUBIC YARDS OF PAVING GRAVEL AND 100 CUBIC YARDS OF CEMENT SIDEWALK GRIT.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before November 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 13. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 4,000 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1906.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 14. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,500 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before November 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

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

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

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

BIRD S. COLER,

President.

Dated FEBRUARY 23, 1906.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GROCERIES, HARNESS, CORDAGE, DRY GOODS, HORSES, POULTRY, YEAST, ETC.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1906.

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

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

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

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,

Commissioner.

The City of New York, March 1, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, January 8, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by the Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising The City of New York," will be opened for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until

APRIL 1, 1906.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the Main Office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Masonic Building, Stapleton.

Corporations in all the boroughs must make application only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the borough where such person resides, and in the case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York at the office of the Department of the borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

FRANK A. O'DONNELL,

President;

JOHN J. BRADY,

FRANK RAYMOND,

JAMES H. TULLY,

N. MULLER,

CHARLES PUTZEL,

SAMUEL STRASBOURGER,

Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

On Contracts Nos. 1 and 3 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On Contract No. 2 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch offices, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, and Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective Boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated MARCH 8, 1906.

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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 Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DIRECT TO EACH SCHOOL BOOKS FOR LIBRARIES FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1906, and such further time as may be allowed by the contract.

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, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

Dated MARCH 1, 1906.
PATRICK JONES,
Superintendent of School Supplies.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 44, 84, 144 AND 145, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 25 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 44..... \$300 00
Public School 84..... 800 00
Public School 144..... 700 00
Public School 145..... 700 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

No. 2. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 66, ON WATKINS AND OSBORN STREETS, ABOUT 100 FEET SOUTH OF SUTTER AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 130 working days. The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 66, ON WATKINS AND OSBORN STREETS, ABOUT 100 FEET SOUTH OF SUTTER AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 130 working days. The amount of security required is Eighteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 114, ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF REMSEN AVENUE, BETWEEN BAYVIEW AVENUE AND SCHOOL LANE, CANARSIE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 300 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eighty-six Thousand Dollars.

On Contract No. 1 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

On Contracts Nos. 2, 3 and 4 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1906.

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

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,
Borough of The Bronx.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING GLASS TO THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 30 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 6. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 25, AT NO. 326 FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days. The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 7. FOR FURNITURE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 64, ON NINTH AND TENTH STREETS, ABOUT 93 FEET EAST OF AVENUE B, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:
Item 1..... \$2,600 00
Item 2..... 1,200 00
Item 3..... 1,500 00
Item 4..... 6,000 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Borough of Queens.

No. 8. FOR ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SANFORD AVENUE AND MURRAY STREET, FLUSHING; ALSO PUBLIC SCHOOL 47, ON THE CORNER OF HARDENBROOK AND HILLSIDE AVENUES, JAMAICA; AND PUBLIC SCHOOL 79, ON SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS, WHITESTONE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 22..... \$500 00
Public School 47..... 400 00
Public School 79..... 500 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

On Contracts Nos. 5 and 6 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 7 and 8 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated MARCH 1, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWENTY-SEVEN (27) SWEEPING MACHINES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 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 sweeping machine contained in the specifications hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1906.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWELVE (12) SPRINKLING OR WATERING TRUCKS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 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 sprinkling or watering truck contained in the specifications annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1906.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING IRON, BOLTS, STEEL AND NAILS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1907.

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, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

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

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1906.

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

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

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1906,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER, CLASSES I. TO IX., BOTH INCLUSIVE, TO BE DELIVERED IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1906.

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 thousand feet, board measure, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

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

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 21, 1906.

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

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN McGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1906,

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CLEAN STEAM BOILER ASHES AND UNLOADING AND DELIVERING CLEAN STEAM BOILER ASHES.

Unloading and delivering 2,000 cubic yards of clean steam boiler ashes.

Furnishing and delivering 1,000 cubic yards of clean steam boiler ashes.

All of the above to be delivered east of the Bronx river and hauled within a radius of 2½ miles from the nearest dock at such times and in such quantities as may be directed during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER FOR MAINTENANCE OF VIADUCTS AND BRIDGES.

71 pieces 4-inch by 12-inch by 32-foot Georgia yellow pine.

15 pieces 4-inch by 12-inch by 23-foot Georgia yellow pine.

18 pieces 4-inch by 12-inch by 18-foot Georgia yellow pine.

108 pieces 4-inch by 12-inch by 30-foot Georgia yellow pine.

95 pieces 4-inch by 12-inch by 22-foot Georgia yellow pine.

10 pieces 4-inch by 12-inch by 31-foot Georgia yellow pine.

To be furnished and delivered at such times and in such quantities as may be directed to the yard of the Bureau of Highways, One Hundred and Forty-third street and College avenue, or to the location of bridges during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

12,000 pieces 1¼-inch by 9-inch by 13-foot spruce, No. 1.

3,000 pieces 2-inch by 4-inch by 16-foot spruce, No. 1.

500 round chestnut posts, 12 feet long, not less than 6 inches in diameter.

500 feet, B. M., ¾-inch clear white pine.

500 feet, B. M., ¾-inch clear white pine.

500 feet, B. M., ¾-inch clear white pine.

To be furnished and delivered at such times and in such quantities as may be directed to the yard of the Bureau of Highways, One Hundred and Forty-third street and College avenue, during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BATHGATE AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET TO PELHAM AVENUE.

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

4,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.

500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

300 cubic yards of filling.

1,475 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and laid.

6,050 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

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

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 75 working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES, INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS, ETC., TO THE BUREAU OF SEWERS (BRANCH OFFICE ON WEST SIDE OF MACOMB'S ROAD, NEAR JEROME AVENUE).

2 precision planimeters, Buff & Buff Catalogue, 1905, or equal.

2 Plummets, Nos. 12, Buff & Buff Catalogue, 1905, or equal.

2 "sunflowers," complete, with rods, Heller & Brightly, or equal.

2 German silver protractors, full circle 3 inches in diameter, with horn or celluloid centre, and points to hold in place; circle to be divided into degrees running both ways, from zero at the top to 180 degrees at the bottom, with 10-inch arm attached; arm to be graduated to tenths of a foot from the centre of protractor on a scale of 2 feet to the inch.

2 slate ink cups, with glass covers, Keuffel & Esser Catalogue, 1901, No. 3154, or equal.

1 Jupiter pencil sharpener, Keuffel & Esser Catalogue, No. 3518.

2 brass verniers for tunnel alignment, similar to those furnished to Rapid Transit Commission, Keuffel & Esser, or equal.

1 beam compass, 2 steel points, 1 pen, 1 pencil and needle point, together with morocco case, Keuffel & Esser Catalogue, 1901, No. 510, or equal.

1 oil stone, in case, with cover, Keuffel & Esser Catalogue, 1901, No. 2721, or equal.

1 blueprint frame, 24 inches by 30 inches, Keuffel & Esser Catalogue, 1901; No. 243, or equal.

1 blueprint bath tray, 24 inches by 30 inches, Keuffel & Esser Catalogue, 1901, No. 247, or equal.

2 levelling rods, in one piece, 5 feet long, graduated like the New York levelling rod, with angle targets.

1 apparatus for plumbing down shafts, similar to the apparatus used on Division No. 3 of the Rapid Transit Commission, including about 200 feet of piano wire .02 of an inch in diameter, to be furnished as directed.

8 miners' hats, with soft brims, to be selected.

1 cement testing machine, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 3184, or equal.

1 scale, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 712, or equal.

1 special scale, to ascertain fineness of cement, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, or equal.

25 briquet moulds, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 3194, or equal.

1 measuring glass, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 1602, or equal.

1 ground glass plate, 24 inches by 24 inches by 1 inch, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, or equal.

16 galvanized iron pans, 24 inches by 24 inches by 3 inches, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, or equal.

1 set Gilmore needles, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904.

1 large cement trowel, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904.

1 small cement trowel, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904.

4 large augurs for sampling cement barrels, similar to those now in use in this Bureau.

1 sieve, 100 mesh, 6 inches diameter, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 303, or equal.

1 sieve, 200 mesh, brass frame, covered top and bottom, same style and diameter as No. 303, Stubb's wire gauge, No. 45.

1 set sand test sieves, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 400, or equal.

1 keg Standard crushed quartz, Fairbank's Catalogue, 1904, No. 400, or equal.

1 thermometer, graduated to 300 degrees Fahrenheit, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 19

2 nests of beakers, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2282, or equal.
 1 dozen test tube cleaners, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2485, or equal.
 1 burette, 100 c. c., divided to 1-10 c. c., Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2514, or equal.
 6 Bunsen burners, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2557, or equal.
 1 specific gravity apparatus, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2698a, or equal.
 1 balance (Becker), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2095, or equal.
 1 set weights (Becker), 1 m. g. to 100 gr., Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2184, or equal.
 2 crucibles (porcelain), No. 3, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2850, or equal.
 1 cylinder, graduated in c. c., Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2918, or equal.
 1 desiccator (6-inch), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2930, or equal.
 2 evaporating dishes (6-inch), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2963, or equal.
 100 sheets filter paper (7 1/2-inch), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3210, or equal.
 200 sheets filter paper (10-inch), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3210, or equal.
 200 sheets filter paper, 7 c. m. diameter, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3218, or equal.
 2 flasks, 4-ounce, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3294, or equal.
 2 flasks, 8-ounce, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3294, or equal.
 2 flasks, 16-ounce, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3294, or equal.
 1 flask, graduated, 250 c. c., Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3317, or equal.
 2 funnels, 3-inch, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3345, or equal.
 2 funnels, 6-inch, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3345, or equal.
 1 pound glass stirring rods, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3676, or equal.
 1 pound glass tubing, about 3-16-inch diameter, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3678, or equal.
 1 set of reagent bottles, filled, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2409, or equal.
 5 pounds Ferris sulphide, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, or equal.
 1 mortar and pestle (3-inch), agate, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4080, or equal.
 1 pipette, 100 c. c., graduated to 1-10 c. c., Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4263, or equal.
 1 platinum crucible, 28 gr., Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4321, or equal.
 1 platinum triangle, with frame, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4351, or equal.
 20 feet rubber tubing, 5-16-inch, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4539, or equal.
 30 feet rubber tubing, 1/4-inch, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4540, or equal.
 6 sand baths (6-inch), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4554, or equal.
 2 supports for burettes, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4770, or equal.
 2 supports for funnels, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4796, or equal.
 1 rack for test tubes, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4843a, or equal.
 1 tripod, 5-inch diameter, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4973, or equal.
 1 forceps, with platinum tips, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 3341, or equal.
 2 wash bottles (1 pint), with flexible delivery tube, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 7181, or equal.
 1 blast lamp, Bunsen's for gas, with set of 3 nipples, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2334, or equal.
 1 bellows, Fletcher (9 b.), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 2308, or equal.
 2 dozen test tubes, 6-inch by 3/4-inch, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4872, or equal.
 2 dozen test tubes, 10-inch by 1-inch, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905, No. 4872, or equal.
 1 copy Fresenius-Cohn revised sixth German edition "Quantitative Chemical Analysis" (2 volumes), Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905.
 1 volume Fresenius-Wells Manual of "Qualitative Chemical Analysis" (1 volume), revised sixteenth German edition, Eimer & Amend Catalogue, 1905.
 The time for the delivery of the articles above mentioned must be within thirty days of the execution of the contract.
 The amount of security required will be Six Hundred Dollars.
 No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND RIVERDALE AVENUE.
 The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
 1,037 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2 feet 9 inches diameter.
 794 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2 feet 6 inches diameter.
 17 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18 inches.
 11 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15 inches.
 400 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
 201 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
 15 manholes, complete.
 3 catch basins, complete.
 2,775 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.
 25 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
 50 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.
 10,000 feet, B. M., of timber, for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.
 50 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.
 The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 330 working days.
 The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$14,500).
 No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BRIGGS AVENUE, BETWEEN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET.
 The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
 273 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15 inches.
 547 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
 100 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
 8 manholes, complete.
 4 receiving basins, complete.

5 cubic yards of concrete, in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
 1,000 feet, B. M., of timber for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting, furnished and left in place.
 10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.
 600 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.
 The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 125 working days.
 The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).
 The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.
 Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

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

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 City Record meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.
 PATRICK J. TRACY,
 Supervisor, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, March 6, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF the proposed amendment of the classification of positions in the Exempt Class, in the Department of Parks, by including therein the following title:

DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S SCHOOL FARMS.

A public hearing will be held on the proposed amendment, in accordance with Civil Service Rule III, at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Friday morning, March 9, 1906, at 10 o'clock.

F. A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 28, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of:

DRAUGHTSMAN'S HELPER, TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical 5
 Mathematics 2
 Experience 2
 Neatness 1
 The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper, and 70 on all.

The salary attached to this position is from \$900 and up.

The minimum age is 18.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK CITY, February 23, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for the following positions in the labor class will be received on and after March 5, 1906, viz.:

LABOR CLASS—PART 2.

CORE MAKER (Fire Department), MOLDER (Fire Department), CARRIAGE BODY MAKER (Fire Department), RUBBER-TIRE REPAIRER (Fire Department), PATTERN MAKER.

LABOR CLASS—PART 1.

STABLEMAN (Department of Street Cleaning).

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 23, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of:

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, APRIL 18 AND 19, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, April 11, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical 8
 Experience 2
 The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

SCHEME OF THE EXAMINATION.

First Day.

Data of each drawing and the scale to be used will be furnished to applicants on examination day.

Drawings required:

Hours, 10 to 12.40.

Questions 1 and 2—Accurate working drawing on white paper of one-half plan of a given building.

Question 3—Complete ink tracing of the same.

Hours, 1 to 3.

Questions 4 and 5—Accurate pencil drawing of parts marked on a given elevation of a building, the working plans also being furnished.

Hours, 3 to 5.

Question 6—Accurate working section in pencil on given drawings.

Hours, 10 to 11.30.

Question 7—Pencil drawing of a given ornamental detail.

Question 8—Also one-half of same ornament, full size, with sections of projections.

Hours, 11.30 to 1.

Question 9—Plan of a given post.

Question 10—One-half elevation of a given window frame.

Question 11—Section of same.

Question 12—Section of given wall-box on same, colored.

Second Day.

Hours, 10 to 11.30.

Question 13—Scale survey to be figured. Calculations for certain work on same survey.

Question 14—Question in mensuration. Question in arithmetic.

Candidates must furnish the following:

Drawing instruments, T-square, triangle, scale, etc.

Pencils.

Crayons or simple washes.

Inks.

Pens.

Drawing board, 30 inches by 42 inches.

Other materials will be furnished by the Commission.

There are vacancies in the Board of Education and in the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission.

The salary attached to the position is \$1,500 to \$1,800 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 23, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of:

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN (DESIGNER), WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, APRIL 25 AND 26, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, April 18, 1906, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical 8
 Experience 2
 The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper, and 70 on all.

SCHEME OF THE EXAMINATION.

First Day.

Data of each drawing and the scale to be used will be furnished to applicants on examination day.

Drawings Required.

Hours, 10 to 12.

Questions 1 and 2—Plan to be given to Draughtsman to develop into working drawing of a library. May be on tracing paper.

Hours, 12 to 12.40.

Question 3—Elevation of a given classic column and section of a part of same.

Hours, 1 to 6.

Questions 4, 5 and 6—Design of given main facade in colors on Whatman's paper.

Second Day.

Hours, 10 to 12.

Questions 7 and 8—Sketch design for decorative treatment of two sides of a given room. May be on tracing paper.

Question 9—Free hand pencil sketch, enlarged, of one of the ornaments used in same.

Hours, 12.20 to 6.

Questions 10, 11, 12 and 13—Perspective drawing of a given building. Rendering of same perspective on Whatman's paper or on mounted tracing paper in pen and ink.

Candidates must furnish the following:

Drawing instruments, T-square, triangle, scale, etc.

Pencils.

Crayons.

Inks.

Pens.

Color-box.

Brushes.

Glass saucers, etc.

One board, at least 30 inches by 42 inches, with a mounted sheet of Whatman's "Double Elephant" paper.

One board, at least 18 inches by 24 inches.

Other materials will be supplied by the Commission.

There are vacancies in the Board of Education and in the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission.

The salary attached to the position is \$2,000 to \$2,600 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 20, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of:

JUNIOR ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN (MEN AND WOMEN), WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, March 7, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special 6
 Experience 3
 Arithmetic 1
 Seventy is the percentage required on all.

At present there are vacancies in the Queens Borough Library. The salary attached to the position is \$300 per annum.

The minimum age is 18.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.

At a meeting of the Civil Service Commission, City of New York, held on February 28, 1906, it was

Resolved, That the provisions of Civil Service Rule VII, paragraph 12, providing that "no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed therein, or who has withdrawn therefrom, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position," be and the same is hereby waived so far as they apply to the coming examination for Junior Assistant Librarian.

Attest:

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 20, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

ATTENDANT (FEMALE), FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, March 6, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special paper on duties 6
 Experience 3
 Arithmetic 1

The percentage required is 70 on all.

A physical examination preceding the mental will be required of all applicants.

Certification from the eligible list will be made to fill vacancies in the recreation piers, public baths, park cottages, public comfort stations, etc.

Proof of naturalization must accompany application; your own, parent's or husband's papers.

The salary attached to this position is \$2 to \$3 per diem.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 20, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of:

GARDENER, TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, March 13, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special 6
 Experience 4
 The percentage required on all, 70.

Vacancies will probably occur in the Department of Parks in the near future. The salary attached to this position is \$2 to \$3 per diem.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF all competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the City Record for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Post-office and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
 President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,
 ALFRED J. TALLEY,
 Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
 Secretary.
 12-24-03

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1906,

Borough of The Bronx.

The time stipulated for the completion of the above contract is within thirty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

MOSES HERRMAN,
President;
GEORGE M. WALGROVE,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated FEBRUARY 20, 1906.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1906,

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HORSES.

The time stipulated for the completion of the contract is fifteen days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR-PLY RUBBER HOSE.

The time stipulated for the completion of the contract is as required before April 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

MOSES HERRMAN,

President;

GEORGE M. WALGROVE,

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

New York, February 23, 1906.

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

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 office of the Department of Bridges, Room 1203, Park Row Building, at 2 p. m. on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER, WILLIAMSBURG (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE.

The lumber will be delivered as required, from time to time, during the year 1906, except that the lumber required under Item 7 and Items 31 to 50, inclusive, must be delivered by April 16, 1906.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated FEBRUARY 26, 1906.

f28,m12

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE 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

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE, YELLOW AND NORTH CAROLINA PINE, SPRUCE AND OAK LUMBER, SPRUCE POLES, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and full performance of the contract shall be until December 30, 1906.

The amount of security shall be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

Delivery shall be made from time to time as required at any of the bridges under the control of the Department of Bridges, over the Harlem river, and in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

The bidder must state a unit price for each item. The items will be footed up and the contract awarded to the bidder whose aggregate bid is the lowest.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Department of Bridges, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Manhattan.

Dated FEBRUARY 26, 1906.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,

Commissioner of Bridges.

f28,m12

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE 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

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOOL STEEL, PLATES AND SHAPES, ROUNDS AND FLATS, WROUGHT PIPE, BUCKLES AND BOLT ENDS, CHAINS, NAILS, SPIKES, SCREWS, BOLTS, RIVETS, WASHERS, RAILS, TOOLS, WINDOW GLASS, HARDWARE, SUPPLIES, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and full performance of the contract shall be until December 30, 1906.

The amount of security shall be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Delivery shall be made from time to time as required at any of the bridges under the control of the Department of Bridges, over the Harlem river and in the Borough of Manhattan.

The bidder must state a price per pound or a unit price, as indicated on the blank form of bid, for each item. The items will be footed up and the contract awarded to the bidder whose aggregate bid is the lowest.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Department of Bridges, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row Building.

Dated FEBRUARY 26, 1906.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,

Commissioner of Bridges.

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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.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOOLS, GARDEN IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days.

The amount of security shall be fifty per centum of the amount of the bid or estimate. Bidders may bid on one or all of the items called for in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per dozen or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

All goods must be delivered as directed. The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received at points of delivery.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed by the Commissioner or by the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner and at the office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,

Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1906.

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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, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1906,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PACKING, RUBBER GASKETS, RUBBER VALVES, LAMP AND ASBESTOS WICK.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until December 31, 1906.

The amount of security shall be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NORTH RIVER BRICK, AMERICAN PORTLAND CEMENT, FIRE BRICK AND FIRE CLAY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) calendar days.

The amount of security shall be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

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

The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump sum for all the articles, materials or supplies specified and contained in the annexed specifications and schedule.

All goods must be delivered as directed. The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received at points of delivery.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed by the Commissioner, or by the Deputy Commissioner of the Borough of Brooklyn.

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 Rooms 25 and 28, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,

Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 26, 1906.

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

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 certain uplands and lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between West Fifteenth and West Eighteenth streets, and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and on the North river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A 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, 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 30th day

of March, 1906, 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 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, March 7, 1906.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
m8,19

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bainbridge avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York. In re application for damage to Lot No. 53, in Block No. 3299, by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing of Williamsbridge road, within the block bounded by Bainbridge avenue, Mosholu parkway, Briggs avenue and Two Hundred and First street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 13th day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that 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 the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 28, 1906.

WALTER MULLER,
STEPHEN FOSHAY,
HENRY ILLWITZER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by Avenue A and First avenue, Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and in the block bounded by First and Second avenues, Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected for bridge purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of March, 1906, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the following-described property, situated in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.:

Parcel 1.

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Fifty-ninth street with the easterly line of First avenue; running thence easterly along the northerly line of Fifty-ninth street 200 feet; thence northerly and parallel to First avenue 200.84 feet to the southerly line of Sixtieth street; thence westerly and along the southerly line of Sixtieth street 200 feet to First avenue, and thence southerly along the easterly line of First avenue 200.83 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Parcel 2.

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Fifty-ninth street with the westerly line of First avenue; running thence westerly along the northerly line of Fifty-ninth street 650.16 feet to Second avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Second avenue 200.84 feet to the southerly line of Sixtieth street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Sixtieth street 650.16 feet to the westerly line of First avenue, and thence southerly along said westerly line of First avenue 200.84 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, February 19, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.

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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 and premises required for the opening and extending of RACHEL LANE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Goerck street to Mangin street, in the Thirteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 26th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Grand street with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Goerck street; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Rachel lane and Broome street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Mangin street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of Grand street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Grand street to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown on our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 28, 1906.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX,

Chairman;

JAMES F. McGOWAN,

LOUIS N. WHEALTON,

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 HIGH BRIDGE PARK, north of Washington Bridge, as laid out on the map of the City on March 25, 1904, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate 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 26th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1906.

Third—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 28, 1906.

WILLIAM O'B. WALKER,

Chairman;

WILLIAM J. CARROLL,

MARTIN WALLACE,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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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 NO. 11, 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 half part of all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said borough and city, between the easterly side of Pier, old No. 10, and the westerly side of Pier, old No. 11, not now owned by The City of New York for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A 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, 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 12th day of March, 1906, 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 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, February 27, 1906.

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, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to the Hudson river, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of March, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street with the pierhead line of the Hudson river; running thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to its intersection with the westerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said westerly line of Broadway to its intersection with the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence westerly along said northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the pierhead line of the Hudson river; thence northerly along said pierhead line of the Hudson river to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of April, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 6, 1906.

W. A. GRAMER, Chairman;
WILLIAM H. QUINN,
JOHN J. MACKIN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the southeasterly corner of AVENUE A AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of George C. Norton, Richard O'Keefe and Matthew F. Ennis, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 16th day of February, 1906, was filed in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York on the 2d day of March, 1906, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Notice is further given that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in the First Judicial District, at Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 2, 1906.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
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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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Teller avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our supplemental and amended report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 3d day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and

hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street and the center line of the block between Macomb's road and Inwood avenue; running thence northeasterly along said center line of the block to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Macomb's road; thence easterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the northeasterly line of Macomb's road with the center line of the block between Jerome avenue and Inwood avenue; thence northeasterly along said center line of block to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly and southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southeasterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southwesterly and northwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our supplemental and amended report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of April, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 28, 1905.

WILLIAM TAIT,
JOHN O'CONNELL, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT.—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening AVENUE E (or DITMAS AVENUE), from Coney Island avenue to West street, omitting the land lying within the lines of said street occupied by the tracks of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad Company, also omitting the entire intersection of Avenue E with Gravesend avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, March 8, 1906.

CROMWELL G. MACY, JR.,
NORMAN S. DIKE,
JULIUS SIEGELMAN, Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain rights, interests and easements of, in and to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of Lawrence avenue, three hundred feet east of Third street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for the Police Department.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application, at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 20th day of March, 1906, at the calling of the calendar on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in certain property situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Lawrence avenue, distant three hundred (300) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Third street with the southerly side of Lawrence avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Third street one hundred (100) feet; thence easterly and parallel with Lawrence avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly and again parallel with Third street one hundred (100) feet to the southerly side of Lawrence avenue; thence westerly along the southerly side of Lawrence avenue one hundred (100) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, March 6, 1906.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening DUMONT AVENUE, from East Ninety-eighth street to New Lots avenue, in the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-

ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, March 7, 1906.

PETER F. LYNAN,
GEO. S. BILLINGS,
JOHN H. DOUGLASS, Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETY-FIRST STREET, from First avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of First avenue and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Ninety-first street; running thence easterly and parallel with Ninety-first street to the center line of Third avenue; running thence northerly along the center line of Third avenue to its intersection with the prolongation of the center line of the block between Ninety-first street and Ninetieth street; running thence easterly and along the center line of the blocks between Ninety-first street and Ninetieth street to the westerly side of Fifth avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Fifth avenue to the center line of the blocks between Ninety-first street and Ninety-second street; running thence westerly and along the center line of the block between Ninety-first street and Ninety-second street to the center line of Third avenue; running thence southerly and along the center line of Third avenue to the center line of the block between Ninety-first street and Ninety-second street; running thence westerly and along the center line of the blocks between Ninety-first street and Ninety-second street to the easterly side of First avenue; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1906, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, March 5, 1906.

HORATIO C. KING,
Chairman;
FRANK A. SLOCUM,
A. C. DEGRAU, Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETEENTH AVENUE, from West street to Sixtieth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Sixtieth street, where the same is intersected by the center line of the block between Nineteenth avenue and Twentieth avenue; running thence northeasterly and along the center line of the blocks between Nineteenth and Twentieth avenues to the westerly side of West street; running thence northerly and along the westerly side of West street to its intersection with the southerly side of Forty-seventh street; running thence northwesterly and along the southerly side of Forty-seventh street to the center line of the block between Nineteenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue; running thence southwesterly and along the center line of the blocks between Nineteenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue to the northerly side of Sixtieth street; running thence southeasterly and along the northerly side of Sixtieth street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, March 5, 1906.

Chairman;
WILLIAM H. WHITE,
EDWARD J. BYRNE, Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southeasterly side of NOLL STREET, distant two hundred (200) feet west of Central avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, March 3, 1906, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 92, Franklin Trust Company Building, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office, on the 16th day of March, 1906, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 3, 1906.

FRANK OBERNIER,
FRANCIS M. SAAUZE, Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BEVERLY ROAD, between East Thirty-first street and Holy Cross Cemetery, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, March 3, 1906.

EDWARD C. DOWLING,
BENJ. LARZELERE,
DANIEL G. CAMPION, Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LOCKWOOD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Paynter avenue to Grand avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the

above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 28, 1906.

WILLIAM GIBSON,
DAVID H. HETHERINGTON,
LUKE A. KEENAN,
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 to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SILLIMAN PLACE, between Second Avenue and Third Avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, February 27, 1906.

MORTIMER S. BROWN,
ANDREW MACRERY,
THOMAS D. HOSSEY,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from Third Avenue to the Shore Road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of March, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Third Avenue, where the same is intersected by a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of Ninety-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; running thence westerly and parallel with Ninety-sixth street to the easterly side of Marine Avenue; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of Marine Avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel with the northerly side of Ninety-sixth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; running thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Third Avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Third Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, March 5, 1906.

WM. W. WINGATE,
Chairman;
GEO. W. APPLEGATE,
GROSVENOR H. BACKUS,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title for the purpose of opening DECATUR STREET, between Hamburg Avenue and Borough Line, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to

all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Hamburg Avenue where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block, between Decatur street and Cooper street; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Decatur street and Cooper street to the line dividing the boroughs of Queens and Kings; running thence northerly and along the line dividing the boroughs of Kings and Queens to the centre line of the blocks between Decatur street and Schaeffer street; running thence southwesterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Decatur street and Schaeffer street to the northerly side of Hamburg Avenue; running thence easterly along the northerly side of Hamburg Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1906, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, March 5, 1906.

EDWARD H. M. ROEHR,
Chairman;
GEORGE F. CUFF,
J. D. REMSEN,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BROOK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hatfield place to Charles Avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 26th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Hatfield place with the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Lots Nos. 61, 62, 63, 64 and 65 abutting on the easterly side of Brook Avenue; running thence northerly along said prolongation and easterly line of the aforesaid lots to its intersection with the northerly line of Lot No. 61; thence still northerly and parallel with Brook Avenue and said line prolonged northwardly to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Charles Avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Lots Nos. 46, 47, 48, 66, 67, 68, 69 and 70 abutting on the westerly side of Brook Avenue; thence southerly along said prolongation and westerly line of aforesaid lots and said line prolonged southwardly to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Hatfield place; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 23, 1906.

DAVID B. VAN NAME,
Chairman;
WM. J. WELSH,
WM. A. GALLOWAY,
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 to MONROSE AVENUE, from Union Avenue to Broadway, in the Sixteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT William J. Carr and Joseph H. Gleisch were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 13th day of June, 1905, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of June, 1905, and John Finley, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 6th day of July, 1905, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 19th day of July, 1905, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section No. 8, Block No. 2465, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of March, 1906, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 15, 1906.

WILLIAM J. CARR,
JOHN FINLEY,
JOSEPH H. GLEISCH,
Commissioners.

JAS. F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to FORTY-FIRST STREET, from New Utrecht Avenue to the old City line, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 13th day of June, 1905, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of June, 1905, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section No. 3, Blocks Nos. 920, 923, Section No. 17, Blocks Nos. 5586, 5590, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises, and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 14, 1906.

PHILIP L. FARRELL,
CHAS. H. MOSES,
EUGENE V. BREWSTER,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to AVENUE V, between Ocean Avenue and Ocean Parkway and between Stillwell Avenue and Eighty-sixth street, omitting therefrom that portion of Avenue V lying between the westerly boundary of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad and the westerly side of East Sixteenth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 13th day of June, 1905, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of

the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of June, 1905, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 21, Blocks Nos. 7133, 7158, 7134, 7135, 7136, 7159; Section No. 22, Blocks Nos. 7343, 7344, 7345, 7346, 7347, 7348, 7349, 7350, 7351, 7352, 7371, 7372, 7373, 7374, 7375, 7376, 7377, 7378, 7379, 7380; Section No. 21, Blocks Nos. 7113, 7114, 7115, 7116, 7137, 7138, 7139, 7140 and 7341, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit and of performing trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of March, 1906, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 14, 1906.

GEO. ABBOTT,
BERTRAM MANNE,
JOHN B. BYRNE, Jr.,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.