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AN APPROVED PAPER.

No. 652.

Whereas, Saturday, December 26, 1903, is a half holiday, immediately following Friday, December 25, 1903 (Christmas day); and

Whereas, Saturday, January 2, 1904, is also a half holiday, immediately following Friday, January 1, 1904 (New Year's day); and

Whereas, Many people are desirous of leaving town and do leave on the Thursday evening preceding the dates above given and remain away until the Monday morning following; therefore be it

Resolved, That the heads of the several departments of the Government of The City of New York be and they are hereby requested to close their offices on Saturday, December 26, 1903, and Saturday, January 2, 1904, and all other offices not by law required to be kept open for public business to be kept closed on the said days.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen December 1, 1903.

Approved by the Mayor December 9, 1903.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Held at Their Office, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, on Tuesday, December 15, 1903, at 11 a. m.

Present—Commissioners Ten Eyck (President), Ryan, Windolph, Curtis and Chief Engineer Smith.

Minutes of meetings of December 8 and 10, 1903, were read and approved.

The Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Audit reported the examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 15768 to 15799, inclusive, amounting to \$1,091.37.

Which were approved and certified to the Comptroller by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ten Eyck, Ryan, Windolph and Curtis—4.

The President verbally reported that on December 14, 1903, he received from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity form of proposal, contract, bond and specifications for constructing a highway or road near Titicus Reservoir, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, N. Y., and had transmitted same to the Corporation Counsel for his approval as to form.

The President further reported that, pursuant to the authorization of the Commissioners, he had engaged F. M. Gill to index the minutes for the year 1903, and the following resolution was thereupon offered:

Resolved, That the action of the President in engaging F. M. Gill to prepare the index to the minutes of the Aqueduct Commissioners for the year 1903, for the sum of \$150, be and hereby is approved and the expenditure authorized.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ten Eyck, Ryan, Windolph and Curtis—4.

Progress report of the Chief Engineer for the week ending December 10, 1903, was received and referred to the Construction Committee.

The following report to the Mayor for the week ending December 10, 1903, was received and the President directed to transmit same to the Mayor:

NEW YORK, December 14, 1903.

Hon. WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, President, Aqueduct Commission:

DEAR SIR—In regard to the work done on the New Croton Dam and Jerome Park Reservoir Divisions for the week ending Thursday, December 10, 1903, I would report as follows:

New Croton Dam Division.

At the dam the excavation of rock and hard-pan, 1,100 cubic yards, continued at the extension foundation site. One gang was at work laying masonry in extension bottom south of Station 3-1-50 and a total of 540 cubic yards were laid. On the main dam and spillway 375 cubic yards of masonry were laid.

On Old Aqueduct reconstruction work was in progress at Bailey's Brook Loop and at four stretches along the line.

Basin clearing work continued.

Work was in progress on Road Lines Nos. 6 and 18, and also at Bridge C.

The average force employed by the contractors, Messrs. Coleman, Breuchaud & Coleman, was 573 men, being 251 men less than the week previous. The work on this division has been interfered with by the cold weather.

Jerome Park Reservoir Division.

On the west side excavation progressed in Sections "B," "J" and "K," and Gate House No. 7. Masonry was laid in Aqueduct Division Wall, Face Wall and Shaft No. 21 Connection.

On the east side excavation was in progress in Sections "G," "H" and "L."

On Aqueduct North some excavation and laying concrete was done.

The average force employed was 703 men, being 91 men less than the week previous.

Respectfully,

J. WALDO SMITH, Chief Engineer.

Communication from the Mayor, dated December 12, 1903, acknowledging receipt of report for the week ending December 3, 1903, was received and ordered filed.

Communication from the Comptroller, dated December 11, 1903, inclosing an original agreement executed in triplicate, of the grant and agreement between the New York and Harlem Railroad Company and the New York and Putnam Railroad Company, and its lessee, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and The City of New York, dated October 16, 1903, was received and the original agreement ordered filed.

Communication from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated December 11, 1903, regarding proposed transfer of Carl W. Schmidtke to the position of Inspector of Pipes and Pipe Laying, and Report No. 854 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 11, 1903, recommending such transfer, were received and the following resolution offered:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Carl W. Schmidtke, Superintendent of Dam Construction at Jerome Park Reservoir, be transferred to the position of Inspector of Pipes and Pipe Laying, and the Secretary is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Municipal Civil Service Commission and request its authorization of said transfer.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ten Eyck, Ryan, Windolph and Curtis—4.

Report No. 850 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 10, 1903, submitting bill of Samuel Gilbert, dated December 7, 1903, for \$19 for transportation expenses in connection with the inspection of work at New Croton Dam and Katonah, was received and approved, and the Secretary directed to prepare the necessary voucher therefor.

Report No. 851 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 11, 1903, submitting copy of report from Professors J. J. Stevenson and J. F. Kemp, dated December 9, 1903, in regard to the improved condition of the exposed rock in the bottom of the excavation for the masonry extension at the south end of the New Croton Dam and stating that it was now safe to build upon it, was received, approved and ordered filed; and the President was directed to transmit a copy to the Mayor and to furnish copies to the public press.

Report No. 852 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 11, 1903, recommending that application be made to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for the classification of two General Inspectors in the exempt class, was received and the President directed to communicate with the Municipal Civil Service Commission accordingly.

Report No. 853 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 11, 1903, inclosing copy of letter from the Pneumatic Engineering Company, dated December 7, 1903, asking for an extension of the time within which to complete their contract for installing pumping plant at Shaft No. 25, New Croton Aqueduct, and recommending that an extension of sixty days from December 31, 1903, be granted, was received and referred to the Construction Committee.

Report No. 855 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 11, 1903, recommending that the work of repairing the invert of the Old Croton Aqueduct be prosecuted during the winter, and that the Commissioners authorize an expenditure of \$2,000 or any part thereof for the extra work due to laying concrete masonry during the winter months, was received.

The Comptroller, being now in attendance, consulted with the Commissioners and the Chief Engineer on the foregoing recommendation, and the following resolution was thereupon offered:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be and hereby is authorized to expend the sum of \$2,000, or any part thereof, for extra work due to the laying of concrete masonry during the winter months in the repairing of the invert of the Old Croton Aqueduct, in accordance with the recommendation of his report, No. 855, dated December 11, 1903.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, Commissioners Ten Eyck, Ryan, Windolph and Curtis—5.

Report No. 856 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 14, 1903, in relation to communication of H. M. Barrett, dated October 13, 1903, regarding removal of pipes of the Katonah Water Company to grade Road No. 27, was received and referred to the Construction Committee.

Report No. 857 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 14, 1903, regarding drainage and blow-off pipe line from Gate House No. 6, Jerome Park Reservoir, and stating that the modifications suggested by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, under date of December 1, 1903, have been embodied in the plans and specifications for said work, was received and approved and authority to print the plans granted to the Chief Engineer; and the President was directed to notify the President of the Borough of The Bronx of this action and transmit draft of the plans and specifications to the Corporation Counsel for his approval as to form.

Communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated December 14, 1903, returning and approving as to form advertisement for proposals for constructing an overflow and blow-off pipe line from Gate House No. 2, Jerome Park Reservoir, and for furnishing and erecting sluice gates at Muscot Dam Gate House, was received and ordered filed.

Resolution from the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor December 9, 1903, requesting that the City departments be closed on Saturday, December 26, 1903, and Saturday, January 2, 1904, was received and referred to the Secretary and the Chief Engineer, with directions to comply therewith, as far as practicable.

Report No. 858 of the Chief Engineer and the Secretary, dated December 15, 1903, regarding the proposal of the Library Bureau, dated December 4, 1903, for furnishing vertical file cabinets, etc., and indexing records in the office of the Engineer and the offices of the Commissioners, was received and approved and the following resolution offered:

Resolved, That the proposal of the Library Bureau, dated December 4, 1903, for furnishing necessary vertical file cabinets, index cabinets, cards, guides, folders and two copying machines, with material necessary to inaugurate the vertical filing system, indexed and filed numerically, for the sum of \$565, be and hereby is accepted and the expenditure authorized.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ten Eyck, Ryan, Windolph and Curtis—4.

The Commissioners then adjourned until Friday, December 18, 1903, at 11 a. m.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Held at Their Office, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, on Friday, December 18, 1903, at 2 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Ten Eyck (President), Ryan, Windolph, Curtis and Chief Engineer Smith.

Minutes of meeting of December 15, 1903, were read and approved.

The Construction Committee returned to the Commissioners Report No. 853 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 11, 1903, inclosing copy of letter from the Pneumatic Engineering Company, dated December 7, 1903, asking for an extension of the time within which to complete their contract for installing pumping plant at Shaft No. 25,

New Croton Aqueduct, with the recommendation that the report be approved and the accompanying preamble and resolution adopted.

The recommendation of the Committee was adopted and the following preamble and resolution offered:

Whereas, Application has been made by the Pneumatic Engineering Company for an extension of time of sixty days from December 31, 1903, in which to complete its contract for building a pumping plant in the engine room at Shaft No. 25 of the New Croton Aqueduct, and the Chief Engineer having recommended in Report No. 853 that the extension asked for be granted; therefore

Resolved, That an extension of time to March 1, 1904, be and it hereby is granted to the Pneumatic Engineering Company in which to complete its contract with this Commission for building a pumping plant in the engine room at Shaft No. 25 of the New Croton Aqueduct, providing its bondsmen shall, on or before December 31, 1903, enter into stipulations continuing their obligations for and during said extension of time.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ten Eyck, Ryan, Windolph and Curtis—4.

Communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated December 16, 1903, returning with his approval as to form contract, specifications, proposal and bond, in triplicate, for constructing a highway or road near the Titicus Reservoir, in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, N. Y., was received and referred to the Construction Committee.

Communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated December 17, 1903, returning papers transmitted to him in a communication of the Commissioners, dated August 12, 1903, requesting an opinion as to the building of stone wall boundary fences on the New Croton Division, was received and the communication ordered filed and the accompanying papers referred to the Chief Engineer for his information.

Communication from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated December 15, 1903, in relation to a promotion examination for Leon G. Ghetti, was received and referred to the Construction Committee.

Communication from Geo. Juengst & Sons, dated December 17, 1903, asking for an extension of the time within which to vacate Parcel No. 561, was received and referred to the Chief Engineer, and the Secretary was directed to notify Juengst & Sons of the action of the Commissioners.

Communication from Rev. Michael J. Duffy, Rector of St. Joseph's Church, Croton Falls, N. Y., dated December 17, 1903, submitting bill for \$106.78 for removing "unclaimed" bodies, headstones, etc., from St. Joseph's Cemetery, Croton Falls, was received and referred to the Chief Engineer.

Communication from Robert McCord, Esq., Peekskill, N. Y., dated December 17, 1903, withdrawing his communication of November 9, 1903, regarding certain highways in the Towns of Cortlandt and Yorktown, was received and ordered filed.

Report No. 859 of the Chief Engineer, dated December 18, 1903, recommending the employment of an expert telephone switchboard operator, and requesting the Commissioners to apply for an eligible list from which to appoint an operator at \$60 per month, was received and the Secretary directed to ask the Municipal Civil Service Commission to furnish such list.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, December 24, 1903.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner Greene:

Referred to the Chief Inspector—Communication from Philip V. Walsh, commanding Patrolman George Farrell for making an arrest; for report. Communication from Hon. John R. Voorhis, President Board of Elections, inclosing copy of resolution commending the Police Department for co-operation with the Board of Elections at the polls on Election Day; to promulgate by order. Notice from Civil Service Commission that the mental examination of certain Patrolmen has been set for the 29th inst. Application of Sergeant Patrick Cully, 20th Precinct, for retirement; not eligible for retirement on account of age.

Approved—Application of Captain William Hogan, 16th Precinct, to be excused for twelve hours from a. m., 26th inst. Application of Captain Albert Ruthenberg, 83d Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Robert L. Seleski, 64th Precinct, to his command, for duty in plain clothes.

Disapproved—Application of Captain John Daly, 14th Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Norman Fitzsimons, 31st Precinct, to his command, for duty in plain clothes.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel—Summons, Fourth District Court, case of M. Simon & Sons against Charles D. Blatchford, Property Clerk. Summons, Fourth District Court, case of William Schultz against Charles D. Blatchford, Property Clerk.

Referred to the Third Deputy Commissioner—Petition from James O'Brien and others that the license of William Gilhooley, as Engineer, be restored to him. Communication from Ellen K. Walsh, asking for an increase of pension. Petition for pension of Mary Moran, widow of John Moran, deceased Detective Sergeant. Petition for pension of Louisa Kelly, widow of Dennis W. Kelly, deceased Patrolman. Petition for pension of Sarah E. Westervelt, widow of Norman Westervelt, deceased Sergeant. Petition for pension of Hannah H. Cole, widow of Thomas Cole, deceased pensioner.

Ordered, That return to writ, case People ex rel. Joseph Zuhre, duly verified by the signatures of the Commissioner and Chief Clerk, be forwarded to the Corporation Counsel.

Granted—Request of William C. Hamilton that he be granted an examination by the Board of Surgeons, he being ill at present.

Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph—Communication from United District Messenger Company, asking permission to place a messenger call box in the 22d and 26th Precinct Station Houses; for report.

Referred to Inspector Repairs and Supplies—Report of Jeremiah I. Bacon, Auditor, on communication signed "M. B.," relative to chairs needed in the 32d Precinct; to return the requisition for approval and to order the chairs forthwith.

Special Patrolmen Appointed—G. J. Schoeffel, for Erie Railroad Company, Manhattan; Victor F. Hogan, for Loft, Manhattan; James Gilligan and Patrick T. Lennon, for Holmes Electric Protective Company, Manhattan; Thomas Egan, for J. P. Robinson, Manhattan.

Full Pay Granted—Patrolman Bernard H. Smythe, 32d Precinct, November 13 to December 4, 1903; Patrolman Leonard Crozier, 29th Precinct, November 25 to December 5, 1903; Patrolman Joseph Hayden, 31st Precinct, November 5 to 21 and November 23 to December 13, 1903; Patrolman John J. O'Hara, 73d Precinct, November 26 to December 15, 1903; also to be reimbursed for a pair of uniform trousers destroyed.

Ordered, That all bids received December 23, 1903, for the erection of a station house, prison and stable for the 68th Precinct, be forwarded to the Comptroller, with letter from the Police Commissioner.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted—Morris Richek, Grand Irving Palace, Manhattan, December 25, fee \$10; J. E. Newman, Grand Irving Palace, Manhattan, January 1, fee \$10; Philip Frankel, Imperial Lyceum, Manhattan, December 24, fee \$10; Louis Halpern, Liederkranz Hall, Brooklyn, December 26, fee \$10; William C. Searle, Prospect Hall, Brooklyn, December 24, 1903, fee \$10.

Granted (Additional)—Permission to Detective Sergeant John J. Fogarty, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to receive reward of \$200 from W. W. Harrison for the recovery of property; with usual deduction. Permission to Detective Sergeants James E. Downing and William J. Fogarty, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to receive reward of \$50 each from the Post Office Department for services rendered; with usual deduction. Permission to Patrolmen Charles J. Sheridan, 8th Precinct; Henry Storjohan, 21st Precinct; Roundsman John F. Dwyer and James W. Hallock, 42d Precinct, to receive medal and reward of \$25 each, and Patrolman Denis J. Riley, 1st Precinct, to receive a medal from the Life Saving Benevolent Association; without deduction. Permission to Patrolmen Michael J. Coyne, 13th Precinct; Joseph M. McNierny, 25th Precinct; Christopher C. O'Brien, 32d Precinct; Joseph C. Ocborn, 34th Precinct; Thomas F. Mead, 42d Precinct, and David J. Goss, 35th Precinct, and Roundsmen James F. Connors, Seventh Court; John F. Dwyer and James W. Hallock, 42d Precinct, to receive reward of \$100 each from the Trustees of the Riot Relief Fund; without deduction.

Chief Clerk to Answer—H. B. Ketchum, relative to petition of Eliza Mooney for pension. May Jimenez, asking that the complaint against her husband be reopened. John W. Plimblett, asking why he was not appointed as Special Patrolman for Lustbader & Glantz.

On File—Communication from Walter E. Parfitt, returning corrected proof of form of specifications for building new station house for 71st Precinct. Report of Captain William Hogan, 16th Precinct, relative to arrest of Ninie Fontaine for keeping a disorderly house at No. 86 West Third street. Communication from George S. Clarke, declining appointment as Deputy Clerk at \$1,000 per annum. Report of Surgeon C. E. Nammack of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman John J. Michaels, 11th Precinct. Report of Surgeon John H. Nesbitt of contagious disease in the family of Roundsman Bernard Kelleher, 22d Precinct. Report of Surgeon C. Phelps of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman William Hill, License Squad. Report of James Moore, Equipment Clerk, for the month of November, 1903. Communication from John L. O'Brien, Acting Corporation Counsel, returning manuscript copy of form of contract for photograph materials.

On File, Send Copy—Report of Third Deputy Commissioner Davis on communication from Mrs. J. S. Lowell, asking if a Matron was on duty when one Pauline Cooper was arrested and locked up in 19th Precinct Station House. Communication from Charity Organization Society relative to valuable work done by Patrolmen James W. Barry, Thomas F. Hayes, Alexander Patton, Frank A. Flynn, Casper Platte and James H. Brennen, who have been detailed to special duty for said society. Communication from Hon. John R. Voorhis, President Board of Elections, relative to removal of election material stored at Brooklyn Headquarters; copy to First Deputy Commissioner. Report of Captain John D. Herlihy, 29th Precinct, and Inspector Charles L. Albertson, relative to alleged gambling at No. 170 Madison avenue; copy to District Attorney. Report of Acting Captain John Gallagher, 30th Precinct, relative to holes in asphalt pavement in West Ninety-fourth street; copy to Comptroller. Report of Captain Martin Handy, 22d Precinct, relative to decision in the case of Oscar Hammerstein for violation of Theatrical Law; copy to District Attorney. Report of Captain James McGlynn, 31st Precinct, relative to alleged pool room at No. 275 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street; copy to District Attorney.

The Police Commissioner this day ordered the following advance to grades:

To Third Grade, November 1, 1903—David T. Turnstall, 27th Precinct; John J. McCabe, 51st Precinct; Jere F. Murphy, 24th Precinct; Charles W. Corke, 78th Precinct; James P. Boyle, 40th Precinct.

To Third Grade, December 20, 1903—Patrick Smith, 69th Precinct; William J. Roberts, 64th Precinct; Frederick Kuhne, Central Office Squad; Patrick Hynes, 62d Precinct; William A. Disher, 60th Precinct.

To Third Grade, November 11, 1903—Thomas Leahy, 35th Precinct.

To Fourth Grade—John L. Farley, 79th Precinct, September 21, 1903; Henry P. Clark, 15th Precinct, October 19, 1903; Valerian J. O'Farrell, 28th Precinct, October 19, 1903; James M. Jenkins, 22d Precinct, October 26, 1903; Leonard B. Quinn, 17th Precinct, October 26, 1903; William Berthoff, 45th Precinct, October 26, 1903; Henry Hagemeyer, 60th Precinct, November 30, 1903.

To Fifth Grade, November 13, 1903—Nathaniel Minion, 56th Precinct; Dennis J. O'Neill, 55th Precinct; James P. Flanagan, 21st Precinct; Francis S. Mallon, 29th Precinct; William T. Foerster, 60th Precinct; Lawrence A. Donohue, 43d Precinct; Frederick Engel, 64th Precinct; Martin J. Cavanagh, 34th Precinct; John Costin, 20th Precinct; Otto W. Reich, 77th Precinct; Patrick H. Reedy, 33d Precinct; Edw. C. C. Xenodochius, 19th Precinct; Luke S. Willigan, 58th Precinct; Frederick W. Wilkins, 25th Precinct; Francis J. Upton, 11th Precinct; William H. Shumway, 35th Precinct; Henry J. Thompson, 55th Precinct.

To Fifth Grade—James A. Connolly, 24th Precinct, September 9, 1903; Christopher T. Ryan, Jr., 44th Precinct, November 7, 1903; George Seelig, 54th Precinct, November 20, 1903; Henry P. Briggs, 52d Precinct, December 23, 1903.

Denied—George Lubbe, 80th Precinct; James H. Brennan, 9th Precinct; Sidney D. Gilligan, 39th Precinct; Nels P. Pehrsson, 32d Precinct.

Trial was had of charges against members of the Force and disposition recommended approved by the Commissioner as follows:

Before Second Deputy Commissioner Piper—Patrolman John J. Bryan, 2d Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day; Patrolman Henry McGaugh, 7th Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day; Patrolman Thomas J. Russell, 10th Precinct, neglect of duty, two days; Patrolman James J. O'Rourke, 10th Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day; Patrolman Charles A. Hultgren, 12th Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day.

Complaints Dismissed—Patrolman Patrick J. Rodgers, 24th Precinct, violation of rules; Patrolman John Mannix, 47th Precinct, neglect of duty.

The following transfers were ordered by the Commissioner to take effect at 8 a. m. December 25, 1903: Matron Isabella Haines, from 11th to 37th Precinct; Matron Annie Menzies, from 37th to 11th Precinct; Patrolman John A. Rathgeber, from Central Office to Brooklyn Headquarters and temporarily assigned to Telegraph Bureau; Patrolman Robert L. Seleske, from 64th to 83d Precinct, assigned in plain clothes.

Ordered, That the following bills be approved and referred to the Bookkeeper to be paid:

Account Contingent Expenses, etc., 1903.		
No. 3857.	Joseph Buchheit, uniform	\$17 35
No. 3858.	Gustav Burns, uniform	17 35
No. 3859.	James F. Connors, uniform, etc.	27 90
No. 3860.	J. B. Goldhammer, revolver	14 00
No. 3861.	George F. Herold, uniform	16 50
No. 3862.	Michael Regan, uniform	34 10
No. 3863.	Frederick Schlottman, uniform	6 50
No. 3864.	Joseph F. Toumey, uniform	18 65
No. 3865.	Rupert Folger, M. D., medical attendance	9 00
No. 3866.	Nathaniel N. Shire, expenses	299 35
No. 3867.	Richard McEvoy, ferriage	14 75
No. 3868.	Richard McEvoy, ferriage	10 50
No. 3869.	Richard McEvoy, ferriage	10 00
No. 3870.	Richard Walsh, auto hire	7 50
No. 3871.	Philip Carolan, expenses	11 45
No. 3872.	Patrick Casserly, expenses	3 15
No. 3873.	William Daly, expenses	3 25
No. 3874.	Kearn Daly, expenses	3 15
No. 3875.	Frederick Thomas, expenses	2 95
No. 3876.	John J. Corkhill, expenses	28 50
No. 3877.	John J. Corkhill, expenses	150 00
No. 3878.	Anthony M. Gilligan, expenses	15 27
No. 3879.	Thomas M. McLoughlin, expenses	2 90
No. 3880.	James McNevin, cleaning armory	64 00
No. 3881.	Bernard Wolff, Interpreter	10 00
No. 3882.	Postal Telegraph and Cable Company, telegrams	51
No. 3883.	Western Union Telegraph Company, telegram	1 74
No. 3884.	Western Union Telegraph Company, telegram	39
No. 3885.	Western Union Telegraph Company, telegram	8 72
No. 3886.	Nicholas Illich, expenses	48 58
No. 3887.	Andrew J. Delaney, expenses	20 80
No. 3888.	Andrew J. Kiernan, expenses	2 90
		\$881 71

Ordered, That the following bills be approved and referred to the Comptroller for payment:

Account Supplies for Police, 1902.		
No. 4359.	August Mueller, meals to prisoners	\$12 50
No. 4360.	William R. Frank, meals to prisoners	6 00
Total		\$18 50
Account Police Station Houses, Etc., 1903.		
No. 3815.	Martin Logan, station house repairs	\$496 00
Account Supplies for Police, 1903.		
No. 3816.	Moquin-Offerman-Heissenbuttel Coal Company, coal	\$27 95

No. 3817.	Peters & Heins, wagon repairs.....	4,058 50
No. 3818.	P. Howe's Sons, W. F. Howe, horseshoeing.....	47 70
No. 3819.	Thomas Campbell, horse shoeing.....	52 50
No. 3820.	Daniel Ward Estate, horse shoeing.....	17 50
No. 3821.	Edward J. McGahey, horse shoeing.....	41 00
No. 3822.	D. G. McNamara, horse shoeing.....	26 00
No. 3823.	Edward J. Parker, horse shoeing.....	16 00
No. 3824.	Anton Arnheiter, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3825.	Michael Burns, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3826.	A. Duryea, boarding horses.....	564 00
No. 3827.	W. & J. Slone, boarding horses.....	140 00
No. 3828.	James Stanley, boarding horses.....	30 00
No. 3829.	Charles F. Stonebridge, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3830.	American Ice Company, ice.....	23 75
No. 3831.	American Ice Company, ice.....	2 10
No. 3832.	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, telephone services.....	326 40
No. 3833.	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, telephone services.....	189 10
No. 3834.	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, telephone services.....	36 50
No. 3835.	E. Kimball, carting pumps.....	200 00
No. 3836.	Mrs. Kate Travers, laundry work.....	1 50
No. 3837.	Mrs. Kate Travers, meals to lost children.....	5 70
No. 3838.	Mrs. Kate Travers, meals to prisoners.....	43 50
No. 3839.	John D. Stover, meals to prisoners.....	20 20
No. 3840.	Mrs. Emma Yockel, meals to prisoners.....	25 40
No. 3841.	Martin B. Brown Company, printing contracts.....	180 62
No. 3842.	Martin B. Brown Company, printing contracts.....	193 95
No. 3843.	Martin B. Brown Company, blanks.....	8 80
No. 3844.	Martin B. Brown Company, scrap books.....	9 50
No. 3845.	Martin B. Brown Company, blanks.....	8 50
No. 3846.	Martin B. Brown Company, books.....	62 40
No. 3847.	P. W. Valley, re-covering lounge.....	23 50
No. 3848.	Anthony & Scovill Company, photo supplies.....	86 56
No. 3849.	Remington Typewriter Company, repairing typewriter.....	13 50

Total.....\$6,662 63

Account Supplies for Police, 1903.

No. 3855.	Bernstein & Lasker, boarding horses.....	\$90 00
No. 3856.	Wenzel & Friederich, boarding horses.....	180 00
No. 3857.	P. Kennedy & Son, boarding horses.....	90 00
No. 3858.	John Reilly, boarding horses.....	90 00
No. 3859.	George W. Smith, boarding horses.....	158 40
No. 3860.	George Tidcombe, boarding horses.....	90 00
No. 3861.	Francis Trudden, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3862.	James A. Varian, boarding horses.....	310 00
No. 3863.	H. Burke & Sons, horse shoeing.....	52 50
No. 3864.	John Cargill, horse shoeing.....	30 00
No. 3865.	James B. Donohue, horse shoeing.....	28 00
No. 3866.	John M. Egan, horse shoeing.....	27 00
No. 3867.	Frank Faeth, horse shoeing.....	23 75
No. 3868.	Frank Faeth, horse shoeing.....	23 75
No. 3869.	Frank Faeth, horse shoeing.....	23 75
No. 3870.	Thomas Fox, horseshoeing.....	6 00
No. 3871.	Thomas Fox, horseshoeing.....	67 50
No. 3872.	Thomas Fox, horseshoeing.....	46 00
No. 3873.	Thomas J. Gallon, horseshoeing.....	51 00
No. 3874.	George Gore, horseshoeing.....	39 50
No. 3875.	Donald Gow, horseshoeing.....	21 00
No. 3876.	Michael Gowen, horseshoeing.....	7 00
No. 3877.	William R. Morgan, horseshoeing.....	27 00
No. 3878.	Slavin & Brooks, horseshoeing.....	13 00
No. 3879.	Slavin & Brooks, horseshoeing.....	9 00
No. 3880.	Frederick W. Ashe, D. V. S., veterinary services.....	23 50
No. 3881.	American Ice Company, ice.....	1 52
No. 3882.	August Mueller, meals to prisoners.....	12 50
No. 3883.	Charlotte Scheeler, meals to prisoners.....	8 25

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Account Supplies for Police, 1903.

No. 3889.	Moquin-Offerman-Heissenbittel Coal Company, coal.....	\$128 57
No. 3890.	John H. Meyer, coal.....	103 30
No. 3891.	John H. Meyer, coal.....	105 00
No. 3892.	John H. Meyer, coal.....	105 00
No. 3893.	Martin B. Brown Company, printing.....	57 50
No. 3894.	M. F. Marlborough, wagon repairs.....	20 00
No. 3895.	Peters & Heins, storm apron.....	5 00
No. 3896.	Vacuum Oil Company, oil.....	32 53
No. 3897.	Ahrens Brothers, boarding horses.....	120 00
No. 3898.	F. W. Daub, agent, boarding horses.....	120 00
No. 3899.	Riverside Stable Company, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3900.	Henry C. Ross, boarding horses.....	90 00
No. 3901.	Sherman Square Stables, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3902.	Sherman Square Stables, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 3903.	Owen J. Clinton, horseshoeing.....	71 50
No. 3904.	Allen R. Davis, horseshoeing.....	5 00
No. 3905.	Allen R. Davis, horseshoeing.....	5 00
No. 3906.	Allen R. Davis, horseshoeing.....	15 00
No. 3907.	Allen R. Davis, horseshoeing.....	10 00
No. 3908.	Allen R. Davis, horseshoeing.....	10 00
No. 3909.	Rody Dunn, horseshoeing.....	63 13
No. 3910.	Michael J. Gowen, horseshoeing.....	20 50
No. 3911.	Daniel Healy, horseshoeing.....	12 00
No. 3912.	L. V. Plageman, V. S., veterinary services.....	12 00
No. 3913.	James Rapelyea, veterinary services.....	14 00
No. 3914.	Eli Strauss, veterinary services.....	2 00
No. 3915.	Eli Strauss, veterinary services.....	6 00
No. 3916.	Eli Strauss, veterinary services.....	4 00
No. 3917.	Eli Strauss, veterinary services.....	9 00
No. 3918.	M. R. Brennan, linemen's expenses.....	79 59
No. 3919.	New York Telephone Company, telephone services.....	438 06
No. 3920.	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, telephone services.....	40 25
No. 3921.	The New York Edison Company, electric current.....	27 30
No. 3922.	William R. Frank, meals to prisoners.....	8 00
No. 3923.	Mrs. H. M. Stone, meals to prisoners.....	3 25
No. 3924.	Horace Ingersoll, forage.....	1,226 16

\$3,148 64

Account Station House Rents, 1903.

James Burrell, rent 72d Precinct.....	\$80 00
Katherine Bauer, rent 69th Precinct stable.....	150 00
Mary E. Hines, rent 79th Precinct.....	250 00
Henry J. Glasser, rent 77th Precinct stable.....	90 00

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending December 12, 1903.

BAROMETER.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
DECEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 6.....	30.004	29.962	29.994	29.987	30.024	29.956
Monday, 7.....	29.982	29.862	29.862	29.902	29.988	29.812
Tuesday, 8.....	29.950	29.940	29.934	29.941	29.984	29.876
Wednesday, 9.....	29.810	29.518	29.100	29.476	29.910	29.070
Thursday, 10.....	29.338	29.452	29.514	29.435	29.550	29.100
Friday, 11.....	29.846	29.910	30.088	29.948	30.130	29.650
Saturday, 12.....	30.286	30.220	30.100	30.202	30.310	29.988

Mean for the week.....29.846 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., Dec. 12th.....30.310 "
Minimum " at 10 P. M., Dec. 9th.....29.070 "
Range ".....1.240 "

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
DECEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 6.....	27	26	32	31	31.6	29.6	37
Monday, 7.....	30	29	39	34	35.3	32.3	41
Tuesday, 8.....	33	31	41	36	37.6	34.3	41
Wednesday, 9.....	30	34	40	38	42	39.3	42
Thursday, 10.....	37	35	39	36	37.3	34.0	39
Friday, 11.....	38	37	34	31	30.6	29.3	35
Saturday, 12.....	28	26	39	34	36.3	33.0	41

Mean for the week.....Dry Bulb.....35.4 degrees.....Wet Bulb.....32.9 degrees.
Maximum " at 12 P. M., 12th.....44 " at 7 P. M., 9th.....42 "
Minimum " at 7 A. M., 6th.....27 " at 7 A. M., 6th.....26 "
Range ".....17 ".....16 "

WIND.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.					
DECEMBER.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	9 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.	
Sunday.	6..	WNW	WNW	W	74	56	58	188	¼	½	¼	1¾	8.30 P. M.	
Monday.	7..	WSW	SW	SW	56	68	67	191	0	1¼	¾	3	3 P. M.	
Tuesday.	8..	WNW	NNW	NE	42	22	9	73	0	0	0	¼	0.10 P. M.	
Wednesday.	9	NE	NE	NNW	30	80	113	223	¼	1¼	0	5½	5.50 P. M.	
Thursday.	10	WSW	W	WSW	107	95	54	256	1¼	¾	0	4	2.15 A. M.	
Friday.	11..	WNW	WNW	WSW	44	48	64	156	0	0	¼	1¾	6.30 P. M.	
Saturday.	12..	W	S	SSW	48	25	57	130	0	0	0	2¼	10.10 P. M.	

Distance traveled during the week.....1217 miles.
Maximum force.....5 1/2 pounds.

HYGROMETER.

DATE. DECEMBER.	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, 0. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 6	.129	.129	.162	.140	88	51	89	99	0	0	0					
Monday, 7	.149	.131	.157	.145	89	54	71	71	3 Cir.	0	0					
Tuesday, 8	.151	147	.173	.157	80	56	72	69	3 Cir.	0	0					
Wed'sday, 9	.170	.203	.214	.205	80	82	91	84	10	10	2.30 P. M.	10 P. M.	7.30	.77		
Thursday, 10	.178	.131	.149	.152	50	54	70	68	10	0	0					
Friday, 11	.136	.139	.167	.147	88	71	100	86	0	0	0					
Saturday, 12	.117	.131	.199	.149	77	54	74	68	0	6 Cu	8 Cu					

Total amount of water for the week......77 inch.
Duration for the week.....7 h. 30 m.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, Nov. 6.....	Clear, cold.....	Cool, Pleasant.
Monday, " 7.....	Cool, pleasant, hazy.....	Mild, pleasant.
Tuesday, " 8.....	Cool, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.
Wednesday, " 9.....	Raw, hazy.....	Raw, overcast.
Thursday, " 10.....	Cool, pleasant.....	Cool, pleasant.
Friday, " 11.....	Cool, pleasant.....	Cool, pleasant, hazy.
Saturday, " 12.....	Cool, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Operations for the Week Ending December 12, 1903.

Plans filed for new buildings, 8; estimated cost.....	\$1,003,000 00
Plans filed for alterations, 21; estimated cost.....	\$412,250 00
Buildings reported as unsafe.....	48
Buildings reported for additional means of escape.....	6
Other violations of law reported.....	142
Unsafe building notices issued.....	112
Fire escape notices issued.....	15
Violation notices issued.....	225
Fire escape cases forwarded for prosecution.....	6
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	70
Iron and steel inspections made.....	6,215
Complaints lodged with the Bureau.....	4

HENRY S. THOMPSON,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM H. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

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 December 26, 1903:

Plans filed for new buildings, 2; estimated cost.....	\$34,000 00
Plans filed for alterations, 5; estimated cost.....	\$3,350 00
Unsafe cases filed.....	3
Violation cases filed.....	9
Unsafe notices issued.....	5
Violation notices issued.....	14
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	13
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected.....	201

P. J. REVILLE,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN H. HANAN, Chief Clerk.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466, Laws of 1901, section 383, I transmit the following report of the transactions of this office for the week ending December 23, 1903, exclusive of Bureau of Buildings:

Permits Issued.

Sewer connections and repairs.....	10
Water connections and repairs.....	20
Laying gas mains and repairs.....	17
Placing building material on public highway.....	4
Removing building on public highway.....	2
Crossing sidewalk with team.....	9
Miscellaneous permits.....	18

Total..... 73

Number of permits renewed, 11.

Money Received for Permits.

Sewer connections.....	\$108 40
Restoring and repaving streets.....	223 00

Total deposited with the City Chamberlain..... \$331 40

Laboring Force Employed During the Week Ending December 26, 1903.
Bureau of Highways—Foremen, 52; Assistant Foremen, 11; teams, 69; carts, 20; Inspectors, 8; Mechanics, 55; Laborers, 527. Total, 742.
Bureau of Sewers—Foremen, 10; Assistant Foremen, 7; carts, 13; Inspectors, 1; Mechanics, 8; Laborers, 105. Total, 144.

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

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

December 30—Resigned: Samuel M. Levy, No. 118 Rivington street, New York, Inspector of Tenements; salary, \$1,200 per annum. This resignation to take effect at the close of the day December 31, 1903.

Resigned: Albert Kamholtz, No. 889 Tinton avenue, The Bronx, Inspector of Tenements; salary, \$1,200 per annum. This resignation to take effect at the close of the day December 31, 1903.

The following Inspectors of Tenements salary increased from \$1,200 to \$1,350 per annum, to take effect December 30, 1903:

Lawrence Leib, No. 1824 Washington avenue, city.

John W. Earl, No. 314 West Fourteenth street, city.

John R. Sliney, No. 310 East Thirty-third street, city.

Francis T. Cahill, No. 367 East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, city.

George W. Rice, No. 37 West Thirty-third street, city.

Thomas M. Hewitt, No. 1302 Second avenue, city.

David M. Jones, No. 117 West Seventy-first street, city.

W. G. Bell, No. 809 St. Nicholas avenue, city.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

December 29—Subject to the approval of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, the Commissioner has transferred John Hauck from the position of Laborer to that of Watchman, with compensation at the rate of 25 cents per hour while employed.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

December 29—Salaries fixed from and including December 29, 1903:

Charles J. Hannelly, Clerk, at \$2,000 per annum.

Andrew J. Corbett, Clerk, at \$1,500 per annum.

Estelle V. Daly, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$90 per month.

Appointed December 28, 1903—James J. Clark, No. 231 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Housesmith.

Designated Painter's Stripper—Patrick H. Keenan, Carriage Painter.

Pay fixed from and including December 30, 1903:

Owen Leonard, Foreman, \$125 per month.

H. F. Jorgensen, Foreman, \$125 per month.

Leonard McClaurey, Steam Engineer, \$4 per day.

Hugh M. Reilly, Park Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

Lawrence McGowan, Driver, \$2.50 per day.

John Doran, Park Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

John Gallagher, Laborer, \$2.25 per day.

John Ryan, Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

Edw. W. McCormack, Laborer, \$2.75 per day.

Gustav Koch, Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

John J. Foy, Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

Cornelius Desmond, Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

M. J. Brophy, Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

David Sheehan, Laborer, \$2.25 per day.

Samuel Jacobs, Laborer, \$2.25 per day.
Alex. Samuels, Laborer, \$2.50 per day.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

December 30—John D. Crowe, of No. 25 West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Manhattan, Bridge Tender, has been removed from the service.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

December 31—Promoted.

To be Deputy Chiefs of Department, with salary of \$4,200 per annum; to take effect from December 31, 1903, at 8 a. m.:
Chief of Battalion Thomas R. Langford.
Chief of Battalion Frank J. Duffy.

To be Chiefs of Battalion, with salary of \$3,300 per annum; to take effect from December 31, 1903, at 8 a. m.:
Foreman Patrick F. Lucas; Foreman Edward S. Root; Foreman Thomas R. Dougherty; Foreman John P. Howe; Foreman Bernard A. Matschke; Foreman Peter Sloan.

To be Foremen, with salary of \$2,160 per annum, and assigned to companies set opposite their names; to take effect from December 31, 1903, at 8 a. m.:
Assistant Foreman John H. Travers, Hook and Ladder Company 69.
Assistant Foreman John H. Kelly, Engine Company 110.

Assistant Foreman John J. Shannon, Engine Company 156.
Assistant Foreman William J. McCarthy, Engine Company 12.

Assistant Foreman Timothy J. McAuliffe, Engine Company 31.

Assistant Foreman William R. Corcoran, Hook and Ladder Company 18.

To be Assistant Foremen, with salary of \$1,800 per annum, and assigned to companies set opposite their names; to take effect from December 31, 1903, at 8 a. m.:
Engineer of Steamer John McLoughlin, No. 3, Engine Company 6.

Engineer of Steamer Francis Brennan, Engine Company 5.

Engineer of Steamer Thomas F. Burke, Engine Company 10.

Engineer of Steamer Alex. W. Melvin, Engine Company 16.

Engineer of Steamer Charles S. Demarest, Engine Company 18.

Fireman first grade James H. Breen, Engine Company 54.

To be Engineers of Steamer, with salary of \$1,600 per annum, and assigned to companies set opposite their names; to take effect from December 31, 1903, at 8 a. m.:
Fireman first grade Louis Dietz, Engine Company 13.

Fireman first grade James H. Owens, Engine Company 13.

Fireman first grade John J. Clancy, Engine Company 3.

Fireman first grade Peter J. Hill, Engine Company 27.

Fireman first grade William J. Wilmot, Engine Company 15.

Fireman first grade Thomas J. Kenny, Engine Company 19.

Fireman first grade Walter Jones, No. 1, Engine Company 13.

Fireman first grade Thomas J. McDermott, Engine Company 15.

Fireman James J. McCarthy, Engine Company 72.

Fireman first grade Matthew S. Tierney, Engine Company 12.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone 1929 Cortlandt.
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor.
JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

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

Chief of Bureau.

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

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

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

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.

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

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

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

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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

Telephone 5365 Cortlandt.
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First Deputy City Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Telephone 39 Cortlandt.
CHARLES V. FORNES, President.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

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

HUBERT L. SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

OLIVER E. STANTON, Secretary to Comptroller.

Main Division.

H. J. STORRS, Chief Clerk, Room 11.

Bookkeeping and Awards Division.

JOSEPH HAAG, Chief Bookkeeper, Room 8.

Stock and Bond Division.

JAMES J. SULLIVAN, Chief Stock and Bond Clerk, Room 30.

Bureau of Audit—Main Division.

WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Chief Auditor of Accounts, Room 27.

Law and Adjustment Division.

JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts, Room 183.

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ROBERT B. MCINTYRE, Examiner in Charge, Room 173.

Charitable Institutions Division.

DANIEL C. POTTER, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions, Room 40.

Bureau of the City Paymaster.

No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street.

JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

Bureau of Engineering.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway.

EUGENE E. MCLEAN, Chief Engineer, Room 55.

Real Estate Bureau.

MORTIMER J. BROWN, Appraiser of Real Estate, Room 150.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

Borough of Manhattan—Stewart Building, Room O.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Third and Tremont avenues.

JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of Brooklyn—Municipal Building, Rooms 2-8.

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EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

JOHN B. ADGER MULLALLY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of The Bronx—Municipal Building, Rooms 1-3.

JAMES J. DONOVAN, Jr., Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Brooklyn—Municipal Building.

SAMUEL M. GARRISON, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Queens—Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

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Borough of Richmond—Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, Room 130.

WILLIAM T. GOUNDIE, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

JAMES H. BALDWIN, Deputy Collector of City Revenue.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Deputy Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau of Municipal Accounts and Statistics.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway.

JOHN R. SPARROW, Supervising Accountant and Statistician, Room 173.

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PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

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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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GEORGE E. BLACKWELL, Assistant, in charge of Queens branch office.

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Assistant, in charge of Bronx branch office.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Assistant, in charge of Richmond branch office.

ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Tenement House Bureau and Building Bureau.

No. 61 Irving place, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to noon.

Bureau for Collection Arrears of Personal Taxes.

No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building). Office hours for the public, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant, in charge.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Telephone 4315 Franklin.

JOHN C. HERTLE, WILLIAM HARMON BLACK, Commissioners.

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Office of Secretary, Room No. 12, Stewart Building.

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Telephone, Finance Department, 2070 Franklin.

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

Court opens at 10 A. M.

Justices—First Division—ELIZABETH B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM H. OLMSTEAD, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.

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

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

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, ROBERT J. WILKIN, 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.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan, EDMUND C. LEE.

Second Division—Clinton street and Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice; JOHN P. SINNOTT, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

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

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

PHILLIP BLOCK, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

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

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

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

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

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.

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

First District—No. 318 Adams street.

Second District—Court and Butler streets.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.

Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.

Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).

Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

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

First District—Long Island City.

Second District—Flushing.

Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island, and the Oyster Islands. New Courthouse, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens daily at 10 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, Courtroom, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Courtroom, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

George F. Roesch, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirtieth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street. Courtroom, No. 154 Clinton street.
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Courtroom, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings to return causes called 9.30 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.
HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

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

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. Courtroom, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.

Eleventh District—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river; north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Courtroom, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9.45 A. M.
FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Courtroom, No. 2630 Broadway.
ALFRED P. W. SEAMON, Justice. FREDERICK E. WOOD, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to 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 SONDERS, Justice. COURTROOM, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

Calendar called at 10 A. M.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Courthouse, Nos. 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 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Courtroom, No. 14 Howard avenue.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

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

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Courtroom, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN Justice. GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.

Courthouse, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 A. M.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1904.

Borough of the Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF RUBBISH.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is five years.

The amount of security required is five thousand dollars.

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

The contractor shall have the right to appropriate the valuable portions of the rubbish.

Each bid must state the price which the bidder will pay to The City of New York per annum during the period of the contract, and this price may be uniform for the whole period or at different rates for each year.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on a solvent banking corporation of The City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York for five per centum of the amount for which the work bid for is proposed in any one year to be performed.

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to select from the bids that bid the acceptance of which will, in his judgment, best secure the efficient performance of the work, or he may reject any or all of the bids.

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

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated December 23, 1903. d26,j12

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Contract for Coal.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 300 TONS WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL OF THE SIZE KNOWN AS "STOVE COAL."

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before May 1, 1904.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications per ton, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated December 23, 1903. d26,j12

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

Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. d24,j8

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO FURNISH AND INSTALL A POLE LINE, ARC LAMPS, WIRES, ETC., FROM THE INCINERATOR AT WEST FORTY-SEVENTH STREET DUMP TO STABLE "B" OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one calendar month.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars.

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

The bidder will state the price for the whole work contained in the specifications, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. d24,j8

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 BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE SEVERAL OFFICES AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN 5,200 TONS BEST WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, 2,240 POUNDS TO A TON.

390 gross tons broken coal.
4,570 gross tons egg coal.
140 gross tons stove coal.
100 gross tons nut coal.

The time for the delivery of supplies and performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is \$12,000.

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

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

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.
Dated December 29, 1904. d30,j13

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be until July 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH BEEF FOR THE CENTRAL PARK MENAGERIE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be until March 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners.

Dated December 24, 1903. d26,j7

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"New York Tribune," "New York World."

Evening—"Evening Sun," "Commercial Advertiser."

Weekly—"Freeman's Journal," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"New York Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by Board of City Record, June 30, 1901.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

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

CHAS. D. BLATCHFORD,
Property Clerk.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, No. 16 Smith street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquor, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

EDWARD E. DOONAN,
Deputy Property Clerk.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
"North Side News," "Bronx Borough Record," "Westchester Globe."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
"Staten Islander," "Staten Island World," "Staten Island News and Independent," "Staten Island Gazette."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Newtown Register," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News," "Long Island Farmer."

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

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

Amended designation by Board of City Record July 31, 1903, and August 10, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

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 office of the Department of Bridges, Room No. 1203, Park Row Building, at 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1904.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ETC., UNDER THE MANHATTAN APPROACH OF THE WILLIAMS BURGH (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

The work must be begun within five (5) days and entirely completed within twenty-five (25) consecutive working days after the contractor receives notice from the Commissioner to begin work.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated December 22, 1903. d24,j7

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR UNLOADING, HAULING, STORING AND TRIMMING THE COAL REQUIRED FOR VARIOUS PUMPING STATIONS, AS FOLLOWS:

Section I.—For New Utrecht, New Lots and Spring Creek Pumping Stations, anthracite broken coal; for Mount Prospect Pumping Station, anthracite egg coal.

Section II.—For Shetucket, Oconee, Baisleys, Jameco and Springfield Pumping Stations, semi-bituminous coal.

Section III.—For Forest Stream, Clear Stream, Watts Pond, Smiths Pond, Agawam, Merrick, Matowa, Wantagh and Massapequa Pumping Stations, semi-bituminous coal.

Sealed bids or estimates for one, two or all sections of the above work will be received.

The full period of the contract will be until December 31, 1904.

The amount of the security required will be, for Section I., four thousand dollars (\$4,000); for Section II., two thousand dollars (\$2,000); for Section III., three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SULPHATE OF ALUMINA AND SODA ASH.

The full period of the contract will be until December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required will be two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row and at the office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.

Dated December 30, 1903. d31,j13

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 3. SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 106, ON MOTT AND ELIZABETH STREETS, ABOUT 100 FEET NORTH OF SPRING STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be to March 15, 1904, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is \$12,000.

No. 4. FORMING CLASS ROOMS ON FIRST AND FIFTH STORIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 168, ON ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREETS, BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND AVENUES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,200.

No. 5. FURNISHING GLASS TO THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is \$1,800.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 6. SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 26, ON SOUTH SIDE OF RICHMOND TURNPIKE, BETWEEN WILD AND PROSPECT AVENUES, LINOLEUMVILLE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be to March 4, 1904, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is \$5,000.

No. 7. INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 26, ON SOUTH SIDE OF RICHMOND TURNPIKE, BETWEEN WILD AND PROSPECT AVENUES, LINOLEUMVILLE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,000.

No. 8. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 26, ON SOUTH SIDE OF RICHMOND TURNPIKE, BETWEEN WILD AND PROSPECT AVENUES, LINOLEUMVILLE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is \$5,000.

On Contracts Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch office, Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated December 30, 1903. d30,j11

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. SANITARY WORK AND GAS FITTING AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 47, SOUTHWEST SIDE OF PACIFIC STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AVENUE AND NEVINS STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is \$5,000.

No. 2. FURNITURE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 119, ON AVENUE K AND EAST THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Item 1, \$900.
Item 2, \$200.
Item 3, \$1,200.
Item 4, \$600.

On Contract No. 1 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 price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up and the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be used and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Super-

intendent, 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 December 30, 1903. d30,j11

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DIRECT TO EACH SCHOOL, BOOKS, APPARATUS, PLASTER CASTS, CHEMICALS, LANTERN SLIDES, PHOTOGRAPHS, PICTURES, FRAMES AND LIBRARY AND OFFICE FURNITURE, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904.

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

Bidders must enter their prices under the separate headings, and in estimating the amount of their bid upon which security will be required, said security must be based on the highest price quoted on each item.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose goods are the same or equal to the samples furnished for inspection or referred to by catalogue number. The said reference is made only as a means of briefly describing the articles called for.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 30, 1903. d30,j11

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Acting Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND OPERATING STAGES OR OTHER CONVEYANCES TO CONVEY PUPILS TO THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904.

The amount of the security required is:

Borough of The Bronx.

1 stage, Public School No. 7, \$400.
3 stages, Public School No. 7, \$1,200.
2 stages, Public School No. 14, \$800.
1 stage, Public School No. 14, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 14, \$400.
2 stages, Public School No. 16, \$800.
1 stage, Public School No. 17, \$400.
2 stages, Public School No. 24, \$800.

Borough of Queens.

1 stage, Public School No. 11, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 25 and 20, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 26 and 20, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 31, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 32, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 33 and 34, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 37, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 38 and 37, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 39, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 44, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 44, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 45, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 63 and 49, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 70 and 14, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 79, \$400.

Borough of Richmond.

1 stage, Public School No. 3, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 6 and 3, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 7 and 8, \$400.
1 stage, Public School No. 8, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 11 and 14, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 22 and 20, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 27 and 20, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 28 and 12, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 29 and 20, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 30 and 19, \$400.
1 stage, Public Schools Nos. 31 and 3, \$400.

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, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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 Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

PATRICK JONES, Acting Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 22, 1903. d22,j4

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION (CONTRACT NO. 1) AND PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE (CONTRACT NO. 1) OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 63, ON THIRD AND FOURTH STREETS, ABOUT 213 FEET EAST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 390 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Item 1, \$200,000.
Item 2, \$800.

No. 2. FOR THE ERECTION OF OUTSIDE IRON STAIRS ON PUBLIC SCHOOL 37, NO. 113 EAST EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 100 working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,300.

On Contract No. 2 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On Contract No. 1 the bidders must state the price of each or any article 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 and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

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

Dated December 22, 1903. d21,j4

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 29, 1903.

CIRCULAR NO. 9.
THE REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE manufacture, storage, sale and use of explosive and combustible substances, prepared by the Municipal Explosives Commission, as authorized by an "Ordinance to regulate the sale, use and transportation of explosives in The City of New York," adopted by the Board of Aldermen May 13, 1902, and approved by the Mayor May 19, 1902, which regulations have been separately and as a whole officially approved by the Mayor, and an official copy of which is this day filed in the Bureau of Combustibles, are now hereby promulgated for the information and guidance of whom they may concern, and will be enforced from this date by the Inspector of Combustibles at the head of the Bureau of Combustibles of the Fire Department.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.

WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary. d31,j12

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS, TOOLS, ETC., DURING THE YEAR 1904, NECESSARY TO CLEAN ALL THE GLASS IN ALL THE WINDOWS AND DOORS OF VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS, COURTS AND OFFICES UNDER THE CARE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be by 31st of December, 1904.

The amount of security required is \$2,000. The bidder will state the price for each item contained in the specifications. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN, Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, January 2, 1904. d31,j12

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOR THE USE OF THE VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS, COURTS, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, WITH SEVEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (7,200) GROSS TONS (2,240 POUNDS TO A TON) OF BEST WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by the 31st of December, 1904.

The amount of security required is \$10,000. The bidder will state the price for each item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, No. 21 Park row, Borough of

and thirty-six feet north of Twelfth street; both sides of Eleventh and Twelfth streets, extending about four hundred and twenty-five feet east of Vernon avenue; both sides of Division street, extending about one hundred and eight feet west of Vernon avenue; east side of Vernon avenue, from Nott avenue to Thirteenth street; south side of Thirteenth street, extending about one

hundred and forty-six feet east of Hamilton street.

The Board of Assessors has levied and assessed the foregoing assessments in twenty equal annual installments:

The "First Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and hereafter for twenty years an amount equal to one of the aforesaid annual installments with interest shall be assessed upon the lots or parcels of land benefited by said improvements. These assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 29, 1903, and entered on December 29, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Unless the amount of the first installment in each case shall be paid within sixty days after said date of entry, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon as provided in Section 1019 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 owner of any parcel of land assessed for any of the foregoing assessments may, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 365, Laws of 1889, as amended by Chapter 452, Laws of 1890, Chapter 520, Laws of 1895, and Chapter 736, Laws of 1896, at any time after the first installment becomes due and payable, pay all the installments not levied of said assessments, and the same will thereupon be cancelled.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 27, 1904, will be exempt from interest, above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 29, 1903.
J2-15.

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.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING, from Amsterdam avenue to Eleventh avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Amsterdam to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWELFTH WARD, (MARBLE HILL).

TERRACE VIEW AVENUE (SOUTH)—SEWER, from Kingsbridge avenue to and through Jansen avenue to summit south of Wicker place. Area of assessment:

Both sides of Terrace View avenue south from Kingsbridge avenue to the westerly side of Jansen avenue; both sides of Jansen avenue extending about four hundred feet north of Terrace View avenue south; west side of Jacobus place, from Terrace View avenue south to Van Corlear place.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 31, 1903, and entered on December 31, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 February 29, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1903.
J2-15.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.
SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—REGULATING, GRADING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the southerly line of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem railroad, and from the northerly line of the New York and Harlem railroad to Hunt's Point road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Southern Boulevard, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Hunt's Point road, and to the extensions of the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND

PLACING FENCES, from Webster avenue to Kingsbridge road. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, from Webster avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 31, 1903, and entered on December 31, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, 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 February 29, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1903.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 9, 11 AND 12.

VANDERBILT AVENUE EAST—OPENING, from the Twenty-third Ward line to Third and Pelham avenues. Confirmed December 9, 1903, entered December 31, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly side of Washington avenue with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street running thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and its prolongation westwardly to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of that part of the easterly side of Brook avenue, extending northwardly from Park avenue east (Vanderbilt avenue East); thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and easterly side of Brook avenue to the northwesterly side of the New York and Harlem railroad; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street with the easterly side of Webster avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Webster avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Pelham avenue, and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Washington avenue; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Washington avenue to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, the point or place of beginning. The above assessment was entered on the date hereinafter 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 February 29, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1903.
J2-15.

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 13, (MARBLE HILL).

BROADWAY—SEWERS, between Terrace View avenue (South) and Spuyten Duyvil creek; TERRACE VIEW AVENUE (North)—SEWER, between Broadway and summit elevation 46.50 with branches in KINGSBRIDGE and JANSEN avenues and Wicker place. Area of Assessment:

Both sides of Broadway from Terrace View avenue south to Spuyten Duyvil creek; both sides of Terrace View avenue north from Broadway to its junction with Terrace View avenue south;

both sides of Jansen place from Terrace View avenue north to a point distant about 400 feet south of Wicker place; both sides of Kingsbridge avenue from Terrace View avenue north to Wicker place; both sides of Wicker place from Jansen place to Kingsbridge road; west side of Van Corlear place extending about 275 feet south of Wicker place.

KINGSBRIDGE ROAD—SEWERS (BROADWAY), between Harlem river and Terrace View avenue (south); TERRACE VIEW AVENUE (south), between Kingsbridge road (Broadway) and Kingsbridge avenue; and KINGSBRIDGE AVENUE—SEWER, between Terrace View avenue (south) and Wicker place. Area of assessment:

Both sides of Broadway from Harlem river (Ship Canal) to Spuyten Duyvil creek; both sides of Kingsbridge avenue from Terrace View avenue south to Terrace View avenue north; both sides of Jansen avenue from Terrace View avenue south to Terrace View avenue north; both sides of Jacobus place from Terrace View avenue south to Van Corlear place; both sides of Van Corlear place from Kingsbridge avenue to Jacobus place, and from Jacobus place to Wicker place; both sides of Wicker place from Jansen avenue to Kingsbridge avenue, both sides of Terrace View avenue north from Broadway to its junction with Terrace View avenue south; both sides of Terrace View avenue south from Broadway to the west side of Jansen avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 31, 1903, and entered on December 31, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 February 29, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1903.
J2-15.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

GERMAN PLACE—PAVING, from Rae street to Brook avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of German place, from a point about 222 feet south of Rae street to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Beach avenue to Prospect avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Beach avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.

CLINTON AVENUE—PAVING, from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Crotona Park South. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Crotona Park South, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

BRISTOW STREET—PAVING, from Boston road to Freeman street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bristow street, from Boston road to Freeman street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from the Southern Boulevard to Boston Road. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from the Southern Boulevard to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

WEBSTER AVENUE—RECEIVING BASINS AND CONNECTIONS on northeast corner of St. Paul's place, southwest corner of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, northwest corner of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, northwest corner of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, northwest corner of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, southwest corner of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, northwest and southwest corners of Ford street southeast and southwest corners of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East side opposite East One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street. East side of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-first street to St. Paul's place; north side of St. Paul's place, from Brook avenue to Webster avenue; triangle bounded by One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Webster avenue and Burnside avenue; west side of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Valentine avenue to Webster avenue; south side of One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Webster avenue to Valentine avenue; north side of One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Tiebout avenue to Webster avenue; west side of Webster avenue, extending about 275 feet north of One Hundred and Eightieth street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Tiebout avenue to the intersection of Webster avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-second street; west side of Webster avenue, extending about 82 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Ford street, from Tiebout avenue to Webster avenue; both sides of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-second to One Hundred and Eighty-third street; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Tiebout avenue to Park avenue;

east side of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 31, 1903, and entered on December 31, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, 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 February 29, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1903.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

LONGWOOD AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Tiffany street to the Southern Boulevard. Area of assessment—Both sides of Longwood avenue, from Tiffany street to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.

BRYANT STREET—SEWER, between Home street and Freeman street. Area of assessment—Both sides of Bryant street, from Home street to Freeman street; both sides of Freeman street, from Vyse street to Bryant street, and east side of Vyse street, extending about 235 feet northeasterly from Freeman street, and west side of Bryant street, extending about 185 feet northeasterly from Freeman street.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

MAPES AVENUE—SEWER, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER, from Mapes avenue to the Southern Boulevard. Area of assessment—Both sides of Mapes avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Mapes avenue to the Southern Boulevard; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth streets, from Prospect avenue to Mapes avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street from the Southern Boulevard to Mapes avenue.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Boston road and Mohegan avenue; EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET—SEWER, between Boston road and Southern Boulevard; EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Boston road and Crotona Parkway; EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER, between Boston road and Honeywell avenue; VYSE STREET—SEWER, between East One Hundred and Eightieth and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets; DALY AVENUE—SEWER, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets; HONEYWELL AVENUE—SEWER, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and East One Hundred and Eighty-second streets. Area of assessment—Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Boston road to Mohegan avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eightieth, One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, from Boston road to Southern Boulevard; both sides of Bryant street, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Vyse street, from One Hundred and Eightieth to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Daly avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Honeywell avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Mohegan avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; east side of Mohegan avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Honeywell avenue to Mohegan avenue; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Honeywell avenue to Mohegan avenue.

FORDHAM ROAD—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Kingsbridge road to Harlem river. Area of assessment—Both sides of Fordham road, from Kingsbridge road to Harlem river, 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 on December 29, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 February 29, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1903.
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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 February 27, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 29, 1903.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH AND THIRTIETH WARDS, SECTION 3.

EIGHTH AND NINTH AVENUE—SEWER, from Fifty-fourth to Sixty-second street; FORT HAMILTON AVENUE—SEWER, from Fifty-fourth to Sixtieth streets; FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, from Seventh avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue. Area of assessment—west side of Fort Hamilton avenue, from Fifty-third street to Sixtieth street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-third street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Forty-fourth to Sixty-second street; both sides of Eighth avenue, from Forty-fourth to Sixty-second street; east side of Seventh avenue, from Fifty-third to Fifty-ninth street; both sides of Sixty-first street, from Ninth avenue to a point distant about 425 feet west of Eighth avenue; both sides of Sixtieth street, from Seventh to Ninth avenues; both sides of Fifty-ninth, Fifty-eighth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-fifth, Fifty-fourth and Fifty-third streets, from Seventh avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; both sides of Fifty-second, Forty-first, Fiftieth, Forty-ninth, Forty-eighth and Forty-seventh streets, from Seventh avenue to Tenth avenue; both sides of Forty-sixth, Forty-fifth and Forty-fourth streets, from Seventh to Ninth avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 29, 1903, and entered on December 29, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 February 27, 1904, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 29, 1903.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

EIGHTEENTH AND TWENTY-FIRST WARDS, SECTION 3.

TWENTY-THIRD STREET—SEWER, alteration and improvement, between new bulkhead line and First avenue, with overflow and new sewers in AVENUE A, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth streets. Confirmed December 29, 1903; entered December 29, 1903. Area of assessment: North side of Twenty-second street extending about 240 feet east of Avenue A; both sides of Twenty-third street, from Lexington avenue to the East river; north side of Twenty-third street, from Lexington avenue to Fourth avenue; both sides of Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets, from Second avenue to Madison avenue; both sides of Twenty-sixth street, from Second avenue to Sixth avenue; both sides of Twenty-seventh street, from Second avenue to a point distant about 240 feet west of Broadway; both sides of Twenty-eighth street, from Third avenue to a point distant about 150 feet west of Broadway; both sides of Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, from Fourth avenue to Broadway; both sides of Thirty-first street, from Madison avenue to Broadway; south side of Thirty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Madison avenue; south side of Thirty-second street, extending westerly from Fifth avenue about 475 feet; both sides of Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, from Park avenue to Fifth avenue; both sides of Thirty-eighth street extending about 40 feet east of Madison avenue; both sides of Avenue A, from Twenty-second to Twenty-fourth street; both sides of First avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street; east side of Second avenue, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; both sides of Second avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-seventh street; both sides of Third avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-seventh street; east side of Third avenue extending about 100 feet north of Twenty-seventh street, and west side of Third avenue, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-eighth street; both sides of Lexington avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth street; east side of Fourth avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-ninth street; west side of Fourth avenue, from a point about 80 feet south of Twenty-fourth street to Thirty-first street; west side of Fourth avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-seventh street; both sides of Madison avenue, from a point about 80 feet south of Twenty-fourth street to Thirty-eighth street; both sides of Fifth avenue, from Twenty-fifth to Thirty-second street; east side of Fifth

avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street, and from Thirty-seventh street about 105 feet northerly; west side of Fifth avenue, from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth street; both sides of Broadway, from Twenty-fifth street to Twenty-ninth street, and east side of Broadway, from Twenty-ninth to Thirty-first street.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 29, 1903, and entered on December 29, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above 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 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 February 27, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 29, 1903.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET—PAVING, from Amsterdam avenue to Eleventh avenue. Confirmed December 28, 1903; entered December 29, 1903. Area of assessment includes: Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Eleventh 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 December 28, 1903, and entered on December 29, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above 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 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 February 27, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 29, 1903.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

LATHROP STREET (THIRD AVENUE)—OPENING, from Newtown avenue to Broadway. Confirmed July 24, 1903; entered December 28, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, 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 southerly from the southerly line of Broadway with the middle line of the blocks between De Bevoise avenue and Lathrop street; running thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Newtown avenue; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Lathrop street and Rapelje avenue; thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Broadway; thence westerly along said 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, 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. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 26, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 28, 1903.
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Sale of lease of city property for the purpose of constructing and operating a double track street surface railway in connection with the line of the New York and Long Island Traction Company.

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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1904.

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, a lease of the right or privilege of occupying certain parcels of land belonging to The City of New York and located in the County of Nassau and in the County of Queens, for the purpose of constructing and operating a double track street surface railway in connection with the line of the New York and Long Island Traction Company, operating under franchise heretofore granted by the Board of Supervisors of Nassau County, and as may be hereafter granted in the application now pending before the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, by The City of New York to lands and premises in the Borough of Queens and which are herein described as parcel No. 2, the said premises to be leased being described as follows:

BOROUGH OF QUEENS AND COUNTY OF QUEENS.

Parcel 2—Forest Stream Branch Conduit.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in The City of New York, Borough of Queens and County of Queens, State of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone monument which said monument marks the intersection of the northerly line of the main conduit of the Brooklyn City Water Works and the easterly line of Forest Stream branch conduit, running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of said branch conduit sixty-one and eight tenths (61 8/10) feet; running thence westerly sixty-one and three tenths (61 3/10) feet parallel with the northerly line of said main conduit to the westerly line of said branch conduit; running thence southerly along the westerly line of said branch conduit sixty-one and eight tenths (61 8/10) feet to a stone monument; running thence easterly along the northerly line of said main conduit sixty-one and three tenths (61 3/10) feet to the place of beginning; being a strip of land fifty (50) feet in width crossing said Forest Stream branch conduit, and extending from the land of the New York and Long Island Traction Company, formerly owned by V. Mount, on the east to other land of said New York and Long Island Traction Company, formerly owned by H. Nostrand on the west, and containing seventy-one thousandths (70/1000) of an acre, more or less.

TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD, COUNTY OF NASSAU.

Parcel No. 3—Clear Stream Branch Conduit.

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the northerly line of the main conduit of the Brooklyn City Water Works intersects the easterly line of the Clear Stream branch conduit, said point being eighty-seven and five tenths (87 5/10) feet westerly from a stone monument located in the center of Clear Stream; running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of said branch conduit fifty-nine (59) feet; running thence westerly on a line parallel with and fifty (50) feet distant from the northerly line of said main conduit fifty-six and five tenths (56 5/10) feet to the westerly line of said branch conduit; running thence southerly along the westerly line of said branch conduit fifty-nine (59) feet to the northerly line of said main conduit; running thence easterly along the northerly line of said main conduit sixty (60) feet to the place of beginning.

Being a strip of land fifty (50) feet in width crossing said Clear Stream branch conduit, and adjoining the northerly line of said main conduit, and containing sixty-seven one-thousandths (67/1000) of an acre, more or less.

Parcel No. 4—At Valley Stream.

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Valley Stream in the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the easterly property line of the Brooklyn City Water Works intersects the northerly line of Milton avenue, as shown on a map entitled "Property of the Royal Land Co. of New York, situate at Valley Stream, Long Island," said point being also two hundred five and nine tenths (205 9/10) feet southerly and measured along the easterly property line, from a stone monument; thence running southerly along the easterly property line fifty-one and five tenths (51 5/10) feet; thence running westerly seven hundred and one and two tenths (701 2/10) feet to a stone monument, said monument being located on the westerly property line of the Brooklyn City Water Works at its intersection with the southerly line of Madison avenue, as shown on the aforesaid map; thence running northerly fifty-one and six tenths (51 6/10) feet along the westerly property line; thence running easterly seven hundred and twenty-six (726) feet to property of the Royal Land Company, and place of beginning, being a strip of land fifty (50) feet in width, extending from the easterly end of Milton avenue to the westerly end of Madison avenue and containing eight hundred and nine one-thousandths (809/1000) acres, more or less.

Parcels Nos. 5 and 6.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Horton avenue, said point being sixty and nine tenths (60 9/10) feet northerly and measured along the easterly side of Horton avenue from a stone monument, which said monument marks the intersection of the northerly property line

of the main conduit of the Brooklyn City Water Works and the easterly line of Horton avenue; thence running northerly along the easterly side of Horton avenue fifty and four tenths (50 4/10) feet; thence running easterly on a line parallel with and one hundred and ten (110) feet distant from the northerly line of said main conduit nine hundred seventeen and four tenths (917 4/10) feet to the property of George A. Stanley, Trustee, formerly Samuel Lawrence; thence running southerly sixty-one and seven tenths (61 7/10) feet to a point seventy-four and one-tenth (74 1/10) feet northeasterly from a stone monument and measured along the easterly line of property of the Brooklyn City Water Works; thence running westerly on a line parallel with and sixty (60) feet distant from the northerly line of said main conduit to the easterly side of Horton avenue and the place of beginning. Being a strip of land fifty (50) feet in width, the southerly line of which strip is parallel with and sixty (60) feet distant from the northerly line of said main conduit and extending from the property of George A. Stanley, Trustee, formerly Samuel Lawrence on the east, westerly to Horton avenue, and containing one and twenty-six one-thousandths (1 26/1,000) acres, more or less.

Parcel No. 7—Crossing the Main Conduit at Lynbrook.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being at Lynbrook, in the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of land of George Lewis Wright and the northerly line of the main conduit of the Brooklyn City Water Works, said point being located south seventy-three degrees and twenty-four minutes East (73 deg. 24 min. E.) one hundred and twenty-seven and two tenths (127 2/10) feet from a stone monument in the northerly line of said main conduit, which said monument marks the westerly end of a curve in said northerly line of said conduit; running thence easterly along the northerly line of said main conduit one hundred and sixty-one (161) feet; running thence south sixty-one degrees, thirty-two minutes East (61 deg. 32 min. E.) two hundred thirty-two and three tenths (232 3/10) feet to the southerly line of said main conduit; running thence westerly along the southerly line of said main conduit one hundred nineteen and five tenths (119 5/10) feet; thence running north sixty-one degrees, thirty-two minutes West (61 deg. 32 min. W.) two hundred seventy-seven and one-tenth (277 1/10) feet to the northerly line of said main conduit and place of beginning. Being a strip of land fifty (50) feet in width, and extending across said main conduit from land of Queens County Water Company on the east to other land of said Queens County Water Company on the west and containing two hundred ninety-two one-thousandths (292 1/1,000) of an acre, more or less.

The term of the lease to be for the term of ten years from the date of sale, with the privilege of a renewal term thereof for the further term of ten years, at an increased rental of ten per cent. on the amount bid for the lease of the said premises.

The minimum or upset price at which the lease for the premises above mentioned and described to be sold is appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) annual rental therefor for a term of ten years from the date of sale, and if renewed for an additional term of ten years at an advance of ten per cent. on the amount bid for the first term.

The sale of the lease of the said premises is made on the following

Terms and Conditions:

The lease for the said premises will contain the following provisions, and the sale of the lease is made subject to and in accordance therewith:

First—All plans for the construction of the railway across city property hereby leased, shall be approved by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, before such construction is commenced.

Second—The city reserves the right of way through or across any of the parcels leased for the purposes of inspection, maintenance and repair as well as to lay any additional pipes or conduits that may be required, with the stipulation that during the progress of any work to be undertaken by the city under the tracks, the New York and Long Island Traction Company must and shall support and take care of their tracks at their own risk and expense while the work to be done by the City is in progress of construction.

Third—The grade of the railway shall be changed and such bridges or trestle work shall be built by and at the expense of the Traction Company across Parcel 4 at Valley Stream, as may be required, if the City should hereafter locate Filter Beds on its adjoining property. The maintenance of the bridges, trestles, and embankments shall be at the expense of the lessee.

Fourth—The lease to confer no right as to Parcel 2, which is within the limits of The City of New York, until a further franchise is granted by the city for the construction and operation of a street surface railway over the route for which an application is now pending in the Board of Aldermen, and no abatement of any part of the rental bid will be made by reason of the non-use of such parcel.

The annual rental of the said premises to be payable annually in advance during the term of the lease.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the Auctioneer's fees of twenty-five dollars at the time and place of sale, and also to pay the full amount of his bid or one year's rent of the premises in advance, and the amount so paid for one year's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution.

The lease for the premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale, and the term thereof to commence from the day of such sale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the corporation, and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon any lease or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation as provided by law.

No alteration shall be made in the premises, except with the consent of the Comptroller and the Department of Water Supply, and all alterations which may be so permitted, are to be made at the expense of the lessee.

The lessee shall be required to make all repairs necessary to keep the premises in good tenable condition during his occupancy, and all taxes imposed or levied on the same during the term of the lease or renewal thereof.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid if deemed to be for the best interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under and pursuant to a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held December 9, 1903.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, Department of Finance,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 21, 1903.

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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

EAST SEVENTH STREET—OPENING. From Church lane to Caton avenue. Confirmed November 14, 1903; entered December 14, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Caton avenue and distant 124.75 feet, more or less, westerly of the westerly line of East Seventh street; running thence southerly and parallel with East Seventh street to the northerly side of Church lane; running thence easterly along the northerly side of Church lane to a point distant 139.9 feet, more or less, easterly of the easterly side of East Seventh street; thence northerly and parallel with East Seventh street to the southerly side of Caton avenue; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Caton 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, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 17, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 19, 1903. d21,j5

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-THIRD WARD, SECTION 6.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—FENCING. south side, between Lewis and Stuyvesant avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Lexington avenue, between Lewis and Stuyvesant avenues, on Block 1025, Lots Nos. 12, 14 and 29.

ATLANTIC AVENUE—FENCING. north side, between Schenectady and Utica avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Atlantic avenue, between Schenectady and Utica avenues, on Block 1707, Lot No. 88.

CLIFTON PLACE—FENCING. north side, between Bedford and Nostrand avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Clifton place, between Bedford and Nostrand avenues, on Block 1788, Lot No. 93.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

PROSPECT PLACE, FENCING. south side, between Franklin and Bedford avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Prospect place, between Franklin and Bedford avenues, on Block 1231, Lots Nos. 32, 33 and 34.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

FULTON STREET—FENCING. north side, and TRUXTON STREET, south side, between Eastern parkway and Sackman street; EASTERN AVENUE—FENCING, east side, between Fulton street and Truxton street. Area of assessment: Corner of Eastern parkway and Fulton street, on Block 1545, Lot No. 1.

JEFFERSON AVENUE—FENCING. north side, between Howard and Saratoga avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Jefferson avenue, between Howard and Saratoga avenues, on Block 1486, Lots Nos. 32 and 43.

HOWARD AVENUE—FENCING. east side, between McDougal and Fulton streets; McDougal STREET—FENCING, south side, between Howard and Saratoga avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Howard avenue, from Fulton to McDougal street, and south side of McDougal street, between Howard and Saratoga avenues, on Block 1531, Lots Nos. 1 and 71.

JEFFERSON AVENUE—FENCING. south side, between Ralph and Patchen avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Jefferson avenue, between Ralph and Patchen avenues, on Block 1658, Lots Nos. 40 and 45.

HERKIMER STREET—FENCING. south side, between Eastern parkway and Sherlock place. Area of assessment: South side of Herkimer street, between Eastern parkway and Sherlock place, on Block 1571, Lots Nos. 19 and 20.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. west side, between Jamaica avenue and Etna street. Area of assessment: West side of Crescent street, between Jamaica avenue and Etna street, on Block 536, Lots Nos. 16, 17 and 105.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Jamaica avenue and Etna street. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Jamaica avenue and Etna street, on Block 537, Lots Nos. 10 to 20, inclusive.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Etna street and Ridgewood avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Etna street and Ridgewood avenue, on Block 534, Lots Nos. 5 and 6.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. west side, between Ridgewood avenue and Fulton street. Area of assessment: West side of Crescent street, from Ridgewood avenue to Fulton street, Block 567.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Ridgewood avenue and Fulton street. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Ridgewood avenue and Fulton street, on Block 568, Lot No. 1.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Atlantic avenue and Glen street. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Atlantic avenue and Glen street, on Block 608, Lot No. 53.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Glen and Weldon streets. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Glen and Weldon streets, on Block 609, Lots Nos. 29 to 32, inclusive.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. west side, between Glen and Weldon streets. Area of assessment: West side of Crescent street, between Glen and Weldon streets, on Block 604, Lot No. 36.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. west side, between Weldon and Magenta streets. Area of assessment: West side of Crescent street, between Weldon and Magenta streets, on Block 605, Lots Nos. 18, 19 and 20.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Hill street and Liberty avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Hill street and Liberty avenue, on Block 612, Lots Nos. 33 and 34.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. west side, between Etna street and Ridgewood avenue. Area of assessment: West side of Crescent street, between Etna street and Ridgewood avenue, on Block 553, Lots Nos. 6 to 13, inclusive, and 23.

CRESCENT STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. east side, between Weldon and Magenta streets. Area of assessment: East side of Crescent street, between Weldon and Magenta streets, on Block 610, Lots Nos. 29 and 30.

BARBEE STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS. northeast side, between Sunnyside and Jamaica avenues; **SUNNYSIDE AVENUE—LAYING SIDEWALKS.** southeast side, between Barbey and Warwick streets; **JAMAICA AVENUE—LAYING SIDEWALKS.** northwest side, between Barbey and Warwick streets. Area of assessment: Northeast side of Barbey street, from Jamaica avenue to Sunnyside avenue, on Block 253, Lots Nos. 37, 39, 48, 49 and 50.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

MADISON STREET—FENCING. northwest side, between Central and Hamburg avenues. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Madison street, between Central and Hamburg avenues, on Block No. 52, Lots Nos. 45 and 47.

THIRTIETH WARD.

FOURTH AVENUE—LAYING SIDEWALKS. west side, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, on Block 938, Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 7.

That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 17, 1903, and entered on December 18, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 16, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 18, 1903. d19,j4

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.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING. from Amsterdam avenue to Audubon avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Audubon avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING. with asphalt block, from Eleventh avenue to Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Eleventh avenue to Broadway, 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 December 17, 1903, and entered on December 18, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 February 16, 1904, will be exempt from interest,

as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 18, 1903. d19,j4

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on Friday, January 8, 1904, at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York which it has by virtue of a lease from William V. B. Bennett, Supervisor of the Town of Gravesend, to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is dated December 24, 1896, and recorded in the Kings County Register's Office on December 29, 1896, in Section 21, Liber 3 of Conveyances, page 249, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as and by the number 93 upon the assessment roll for the opening of Neptune avenue, between West Sixth street and Ocean parkway, in the late Town of Gravesend, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which was sold to the Town of Gravesend at a sale for unpaid assessments held on the 24th day of December, 1896, for the sum of \$6.66, and which said lot is therefore leased to the City of Brooklyn for 100 years.

The minimum or upset price at which the interest of the City in and to the said premises to be sold is appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the sum of ten dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$10.37); the purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fees and one hundred dollars (\$100) for the expenses of examination, advertising, etc. The sale of said premises is to be made on the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) for expenses of examination, advertising, conveyance, etc. The quit-claim deed for the above-described premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved. Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held November 18, 1903.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1903. d2,j8

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 26, 1903.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, on 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)	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	10,000
Over 2 years	5,000

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE REMOVAL OF NIGHT SOIL, OFFAL AND DEAD ANIMALS FROM THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is during the year 1904, with optional renewals for four years.

The amount of security required is fifteen hundred dollars (\$15,000). Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,

FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated December 31, 1903. d31,j14

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health at the above office until 10 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ICE AS REQUIRED TO THE WILLARD PARKER AND RECEPTION HOSPITALS, AT THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; THE RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL, AT NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX; THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, AT KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENNIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AND THE LABORATORIES AND OFFICE BUILDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT IN THE DIFFERENT BOROUGH, NEW YORK CITY, DURING THE YEAR 1904.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, 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 line and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class and lines as shown in the schedules.

The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received at the respective places of delivery. Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed at the respective places set forth in the specifications.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Board of Health, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,

FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated December 31, 1903. d31,j14

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A COAL STORAGE HOUSE AT KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENNIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is ninety consecutive working days.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,

FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated December 16, 1903. d16,j30

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7304, No. 1. Paving with granite block pavement East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from St. Ann's avenue to Prospect avenue.

List 7456, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and placing fences in Woodlawn road, from Jerome avenue to Bronx Park, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 7511, No. 3. Sewer in Broadway, west side, between Nagle avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and in One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Broadway and Fort Washington avenue.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

List 7509, No. 4. Constructing culverts, receiving basins and dish gutters at the intersection of Glen avenue and Castleton avenue, and along Glen avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from St. Ann's avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Woodlawn road, from Jerome avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 3. West side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Nagle avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Glen avenue, Brighton avenue, Webster avenue, Trumbull place, Stanley avenue, Castleton avenue, Woodstock avenue, Frelinghuysen road, Barrett Boulevard; west side of Irving parkway, and east side of Haven splanade, on Block 12, Lot No. 1; Block 13, Lot No. 1; Block 2, Lot No. 1; Block 5, Lot No. 1; Block 14, Lot No. 1; Block 8, Lots Nos. 17, 18, 20, 22, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 39, 40, 41, 43, 44, 45, 53; Block 7, Lots Nos. 1, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 23, 25, 12, 28, 29, 31, 36, 37, 39; Block 1, Lot No. 1; Block 6, Lot No. 26.

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 January 28, 1904, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BENJAMIN A. HALL,

HENRY B. KETCHAM,

ENOCH VRELAND,

Board of Assessors.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 28, 1903. d26,j7

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 7674, No. 1. Laying cement sidewalks on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Atkins and Montauk avenues.

List 7675, No. 2. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Berriman street and Atkins avenue.

List 7676, No. 3. Laying cement sidewalks on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Berriman street and Atkins avenue.

List 7677, No. 4. Laying cement sidewalks on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Elton and Linwood streets.

List 7678, No. 5. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Essex street and Shepherd avenue.

List 7679, No. 6. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Fountain avenue and Crystal street.

List 7680, No. 7. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Grant avenue and Enfield street (Eldert's lane).

List 7681, No. 8. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Hemlock street and Railroad avenue.

List 7682, No. 9. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Logan street and Fountain avenue.

List 7683, No. 10. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Lincoln and Sheridan avenues.

List 7684, No. 11. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Linwood and Essex streets.

List 7685, No. 12. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Milford and Logan streets.

List 7686, No. 13. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Powell and Junius streets.

List 7687, No. 14. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Railroad and Lincoln avenues.

List 7688, No. 15. Laying cement sidewalk on the south side of Glenmore avenue, between Sheridan and Grant avenues.

List 7689, No. 16. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Snediker avenue and Hinsdale street.

List 7690, No. 17. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Stone avenue and Christopher street.

List 7691, No. 18. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Vermont and Wyona streets.

List 7692, No. 19. Laying cement sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Van Sinderen and Snediker avenues.

List 7693, No. 20. Laying cement sidewalk on the west side of Vermont street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues.

List 7694, No. 21. Laying cement sidewalk on the east side of Vermont street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues.

List 7695, No. 22. Laying cement sidewalk on the east side of Vermont street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.

List 7696, No. 23. Laying cement sidewalk on the east side of Vermont street, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues.

List 7697, No. 24. Laying cement sidewalk on the west side of Vermont street, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues.

List 7698, No. 25. Laying cement sidewalk on the east side of Vermont street, between Jamaica avenue and Fulton street.

List 7699, No. 26. Laying cement sidewalk on the east side of Vermont street, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues.

List 7700, No. 27. Laying cement sidewalk on the west side of Vermont street, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues.

List 7701, No. 28. Laying cement sidewalk on the east side of Vermont street, between Pitkin and Belmont avenues.

List 7702, No. 29. Laying cement sidewalk on the west side of Vermont street, between Pitkin and Belmont avenues.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7397, No. 30. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks and placing fences in Washington avenue, from Third avenue at One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham 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. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Atkins and Montauk avenues, on Block 629, Lots Nos. 17 and 24.

No. 2. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Berriman street and Atkins avenue, on Block 628, Lot No. 66.

No. 3. South side of Glenmore avenue, between Berriman street and Atkins avenue, on Block 631, Lots Nos. 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 65.

No. 4. South side of Glenmore avenue, between Elton and Linwood streets, on Block 400, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4.

No. 5. South side of Glenmore avenue, between Essex street and Shepherd avenue, on Block 405, Lot No. 1.

No. 6. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Fountain avenue and Crystal street, on Block 636, Lots Nos. 2 and 3.

No. 7. South side of Glenmore avenue, between Grant avenue and Enfield street (Eldert's lane), on Block 664, Lots Nos. 9 and 23.

No. 8. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Hemlock street and Railroad avenue, on Block 652, Lots Nos. 20 and 33.

No. 9. North side of Glenmore avenue, from Logan street to Fountain avenue.

No. 10. South side of Glenmore avenue, from Lincoln to Sheridan avenue.

No. 11. South side of Glenmore avenue, between Linwood and Essex streets, on Block 404, Lots Nos. 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8.

No. 12. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Milford and Logan streets, on Block 634, Lots Nos. 30, 31 and 32.

No. 13. South side of Glenmore avenue, between Powell and Junius streets, on Block 95, Lot No. 1.

No. 14. South side of Glenmore avenue, from Railroad avenue to Lincoln avenue.

No. 15. South side of Glenmore avenue, from Sheridan avenue to Grant avenue.

No. 16. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Snediker avenue and Hinsdale street, on Block 110, Lots Nos. 17, 18, 19 and 20.

No. 17. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Stone avenue and Christopher street, on Block 77, Lot No. 14.

No. 18. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Vermont and Wyona streets, on Block 337, Lot No. 41.

No. 19. North side of Glenmore avenue, between Van Sinderen and Snediker avenues, on Block 94, Lots Nos. 17 and 33 to 37, inclusive.

No. 20. West side of Vermont street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues, on Block 333, Lots Nos. 30 to 35, inclusive.

No. 21. East side of Vermont street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues, on Block 334, Lot No. 34.

No. 22. East side of Vermont street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, on Block 295, Lots Nos. 44, 56 and 75.

No. 23. East side of Vermont street, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, on Block 376, Lots Nos. 25 and 35 to 39, inclusive.

No. 24. West side of Vermont street, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, on Block 375, Lot No. 38.

No. 25. East side of Vermont street, between Jamaica avenue and Fulton street, on Block 292, Lots Nos. 56 and 57.

No. 26. East side of Vermont street, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, on Block 337, Lots Nos. 36 and 42.

No. 27. West side of Vermont street, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, on Block 336, Lots Nos. 6 and 50.

No. 28. East side of Vermont street, between Pitkin and Belmont avenues, on Block 379, Lots Nos. 26, 28 and 29.

No. 29. West side of Vermont street, between Pitkin and Belmont avenues, on Block 378, Lot No. 8.

No. 30. Both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham 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 January 21, 1904, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BENJAMIN E. HALL,
HENRY B. KETCHAM,
ENOCH VREELAND,
Board of Assessors.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
December 21, 1903. d21,j2

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, LEATHER, FINDINGS, OILS, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

THOS. W. HYNES, Commissioner.
Dated December 19, 1903. d22,j12

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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, JANUARY 12, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, TINWARE AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

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

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THOS. W. HYNES, Commissioner.
Dated December 19, 1903. d22,j12

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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, JANUARY 5, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, VEGETABLES, FORAGE, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

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

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Dated December 19, 1903. d22,j12

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THOS. W. HYNES, Commissioner.
Dated December 18, 1903. d19,j5

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.
Dated December 18, 1903. d19,j5

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

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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

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, VEGETABLES, FODDER, ICE, BUTTER, EGGS, YEAST, ETC.

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

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

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

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

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 26, 1903. d30,j11

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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

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH MILK.

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

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

Deliveries to be made at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan or at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 29, 1903. d29,j9

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan or at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 29, 1903. d29,j9

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HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 29, 1903. d29,j9

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FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH MILK.

the specifications and form of contract annexed to the contract.

Any bid which fails to name a price, both in writing and in figures, may be held to be informal and may be rejected, and in case of any discrepancy between the price written in the bid and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Aqueduct Commissioners, and in strict accordance with the specifications annexed to the contract. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed and furnished at the prices stated therefor, shall be due or payable for the entire work and materials.

No bid will be received or considered unless accompanied by either 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 ten per centum (10%) of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or proposals upon the blank form prepared by the Aqueduct Commissioners, 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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61
ELM STREET, NEW YORK, December 19, 1903.
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on December 1, 1903, and approved by the Mayor December 9, 1903, the offices of this Commission will be closed on Saturday, December 26, 1903, and Saturday, January 2, 1904.
S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.
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SUPREME COURT.**FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands and lands rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between Bloomfield and Little West Twelfth streets and between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues, 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 supplemental 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 14th day of January, 1904, 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 the provisions of Section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated, NEW YORK, December 31, 1903.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.
j2,13

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works of The City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain lots pieces or parcels of land in the Twelfth and Thirteenth Wards of The City of New York for the purpose of the construction of a draw-bridge and approaches thereto with the necessary abutments and arches over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city with the southerly end of Third avenue in the Twenty-third Ward of said city. (Chapter 413, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 660, Laws of 1897.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A supplemental 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 14th day of January, 1904, 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 the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated, NEW YORK, December 31, 1903.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.
j2,13

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly line of THIRD STREET, and the southerly line of FOURTH STREET, between First avenue and Avenue A, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE report of John J. Delaney, Bernard F. Martin and Peter J. Dooling, the Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 29th day of December, 1903, was filed in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 31st day of December, 1903, 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 said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of January, 1904, 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, December 31, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.
j2,13

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 lands and premises required for the construction of a BRIDGE OVER NEWTOWN CREEK, from Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens, to Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn (re lands situated in the Borough of Queens).

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and 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 respectively entitled to or 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 Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at their office in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The 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, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 2, 1904, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the said city, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our office, on the 15th day of Janu-

ary, 1904, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated NEW YORK, December 30, 1903.
JOHN E. VAN NOSTRAND,
WILLIAM HARRISON,
FREDERICK C. TROWBRIDGE,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. j2,13

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 the Approaches to the Madison Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 22d day of December, 1903, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 30th day of December, 1903, Victor J. Dowling, Leonidas Dennis and Cyrus L. Sulzberger were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order, and the statute in such case made and provided, the said Victor J. Dowling, Leonidas Dennis and Cyrus L. Sulzberger will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part II, thereof, at the County Court House, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 15th day of January, 1904, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated December 31, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, 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 DAHLGREEN PLACE, from Eighty-sixth street to the United States Government Reservation, in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 18, Blocks 6054, 6055, 6070, 6071, 6091, 6092, 6141, 6142, 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 26th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.
CROMWELL G. MACY,
R. S. CORTELYOU,
JAMES J. McINERNEY,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to KINGSTON AVENUE, between Winthrop street and Malbone street, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 5, Blocks 1325, 1326, 1332, 1333; Section No. 15, Blocks 4793, 4794, 4798, 4799, 4803, 4804, 4811, 4812, 4816, 4817, 4821, 4822, 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 28th day of January, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

THOMAS H. WAGSTAFF,
ALFRED T. HOBLEY,
E. V. PARDESSUS,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EAST FIFTH STREET, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Ditmas avenue, in the Twenty-ninth 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 23d day of March, 1903, 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 24th day of March, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 16, Blocks 5318, 5319, 5327, 5328, 5337, 5338, 5356, 5357, 5373, 5374, 5388, 5389, 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 28th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

GEO. W. PALMER,
THOMAS F. FARRELL,
GEORGE W. BALDON,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BAY THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Cropsey avenue, 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section No. 21, Block Nos. 6858, 6861, 6862, 6873, 6874, 6888, 6889, 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 27th day of January, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

LEWIS L. FAUCETT,
WALTER L. DURACK,
WILLIAM H. P. CONKLIN,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to RAILROAD AVENUE, from Atlantic avenue to Fairfield avenue, in the Twenty-sixth 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 13, Blocks 4167, 4172, 4168, 4169, 4170, 4171, 4180, 4200, 4201, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4236, 4237, 4253, 4254, 4269, 4270, 4284, 4285; Section No. 14, Blocks 4464, 4465, 4487, 4488, 4509, 4510, 4520, 4531, 4549, 4550, 4566, 4567, 4581, 4582, 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 27th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

FREDERICK P. BELLAMY,
RESE B. GWILLIM,
EUGENE B. HOWELL,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from the City line to the east side of Kowenhoven lane, 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 26th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 3, Blocks 826, 834; Section No. 17, Blocks 5672, 5673, 5674, 5675, 5676, 5679, 5680, 5681, 5682, 5683, 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 29th day of January, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

G. W. APPLELEGATE,
WM. I. HARDING,
WM. H. N. CADMUS,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to WEST THIRD STREET, between Sheepshead Bay road and Canal avenue, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 therein on the 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 21, Blocks 7253, 7254, 7257, 7274, 7275, 7280, 7281, 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 land 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 and 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 25th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

ALBERT A. WRAY,
W. WATSON,
PETER BOGERT,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d31,j24

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-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Riverside Drive Extension, 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 22d day of January, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1904, at 11 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 1st day of February, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Riverside Drive Extension; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence easterly along said line of West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hamilton place; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with the westerly line of St. Nicholas terrace; thence southerly along said line of St. Nicholas terrace to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 29, 1903.

SAMPSON H. WEINHANDLER,
Chairman;

MONTE HUTZLER,
SUMNER GERARD,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d31,j20

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 SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Arthur Avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of January, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1904, at 11 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 1st day of February, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly pierhead line of the East river with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Tiffany street; running thence northerly and northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northwesterly prolongation to an intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of that portion of Kelly street lying north of Dongan street; thence

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 HARRISON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the first drainage street lying northerly of Tremont Avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate 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 22d day of January, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of February, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Aqueduct Avenue and a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Tremont Avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly line of Aqueduct Avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Clinton place and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with the westerly line of Grand Avenue; thence southerly along said line of Grand Avenue and the westerly line of Tremont Avenue and its southerly prolongation to the point of intersection of the westerly line of Grand Avenue, lying south of Tremont Avenue, with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Tremont Avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of March, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 28, 1903.

JOHN J. BRADY,
Chairman;

JACQUES SPIEGEL,
HENRY A. COSTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d31,j20

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 SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Arthur Avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of January, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of February, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northwesterly line of Boston road with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southeasterly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence southwesterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of the northerly line of Crotona Park East; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and northerly line of Crotona Park East and a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Crotona Park North to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Arthur Avenue; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the southeasterly line of Arthur Avenue; thence still northwesterly along said line of Arthur Avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the south-

easterly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to the northwesterly line of Boston road; thence southwesterly along said line of Boston road 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 report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 28, 1903.

MARTIN H. MURPHY,
Chairman;

JOHN F. AHEARN,
JOHN J. BRADY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d31,j20

SUPREME COURT, APPELLATE DIVISION, CORNER TWENTY-FIFTH STREET AND MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Presiding Justice of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Department, at the Courthouse, Madison square, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1904.

until 12 o'clock at noon.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THE FIRST DEPARTMENT AND THE SUPREME COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT, BOOKS, STATIONERY AND OTHER ARTICLES REQUIRED FOR THE SAID APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THE FIRST DEPARTMENT AND THE SUPREME COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT, FOR THE YEAR 1904.

The time for the delivery of the books, stationery and other articles, as ordered by the Presiding Justice of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, is on or before December 31, 1904.

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

The bidder will state the price of each article specified in the specification or schedule contained in the said contract, the total sum to be paid for each separate class to be extended, so that the total amount paid under the contract can be ascertained, upon which total amount the award of the contract will be made. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids if, in the opinion of the Presiding Justice of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Department, the same shall be for the benefit of the City.

The delivery of the books, stationery and other articles will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed by the Presiding Justice of the Supreme Court in the First Department.

Blank forms of the contract and specifications herein contained may be obtained at the office of the Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, at the Courthouse, Madison square, City and County of New York.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the estimate is made, and his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Samples will be on exhibition at the office of the Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, at the Courthouse, Madison square, City and County of New York, until the bids are opened.

New York, December 30, 1903.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice, Appellate Division, First Department. d30,j14

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

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BARRETTO STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester Avenue to Edgewater road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of January, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1904, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 30th day of January, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly pierhead line of the East river with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Tiffany street; running thence northerly and northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northwesterly prolongation to an intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of that portion of Kelly street lying north of Dongan street; thence

northerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to an intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Westchester Avenue; thence northwesterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Barretto street; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Barretto street; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the northwesterly line of Westchester Avenue; thence northwesterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Westchester Avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Coster street; thence southerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly pierhead line of the East river; thence northwesterly along said northeasterly pierhead 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 report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 18, 1903.

W. W. NILES,
Chairman;

JOHN J. NEVILLE,
PIERRE G. CARROLL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. d30,j19

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate on the southerly side of NOLL STREET, between Evergreen Avenue and Central Avenue, in the Twenty-seventh Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897 and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

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, in the 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, December 29, 1903, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office in the 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 12th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, December 29, 1903.

MORTIMER S. BROWN,
EDWARD F. LINTON,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS, Clerk. d29,j9

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 M, from Ocean Avenue to Flatlands Avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of January, 1904, 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, December 24, 1903.

ISAAC FRANKLIN RUSSELL,
MICHAEL FURST,
JAMES H. MULLARKY,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. d24,j6

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the southerly line of PACIFIC STREET and the northerly line of DEAN STREET, between Third Avenue and Nevins street, in the Third Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Michael Furst, David S. Skinner and John J. Brennan, Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, have made and signed their final report herein and on December 22, 1903, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in Kings County, on January 5, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, December 22, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to amending its application heretofore made in the matter of acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WESTCHESTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx river to Main street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, by excluding from said proceeding certain property not required for said avenue, and also by including therein certain additional pieces of land.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Courthouse, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for an order amending the proceeding entitled "In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to Westchester avenue, from the Bronx river to Main street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," and the petitions and orders appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment therein, heretofore duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, in the Village of White Plains, on the 17th day of January, 1902, by excluding therefrom certain property not required for said avenue, and also by including therein certain additional pieces of land.

Parcel "X."

Being the portion of Westchester avenue to be omitted from the proceeding.

Beginning in the northern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired, at an angle point which is about 2,600 feet east of the Bronx river; 1st. Thence westerly on the westerly prolongation of Westchester avenue for 2,405.221 feet to the land required for the approach to the bridge over the Bronx river at Westchester avenue;

2d. Thence easterly along the northern line of land required for said approach and its easterly prolongation for 347.74 feet;

3d. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 9 minutes 11.8 seconds to the left for 705.51 feet to the southern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired;

4th. Thence easterly along said southern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired for 716.46 feet;

5th. Thence easterly for 559.07 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."

Being the portion to be included in the proceeding for acquiring title to Westchester avenue.

Parcel B is to take the place of Parcel X.

Beginning in the southern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired, at an angle point which is about 2,650 feet east of the Bronx river; 1st. Thence westerly on the westerly prolongation of that portion of the southern line of Westchester avenue which lies east of said point of beginning for 778.22 feet;

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 14 degrees 40 minutes 3.5 seconds to the right for 1,316.37 feet;

3d. Thence westerly for 184.62 feet to the southeastern corner of land required for the approach to the Westchester Avenue Bridge over the Bronx river;

4th. Thence northerly along the eastern line of said land required for the approach to the Westchester Avenue Bridge over the Bronx river for 18.20 feet to the southern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired;

5th. Thence easterly along said southern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired for 984.05 feet;

6th. Thence easterly deflecting 4 degrees 21 minutes 49.7 seconds to the right for 506.11 feet to the westerly prolongation of the northern line of that part of Westchester avenue which lies east of the point of beginning;

7th. Thence easterly along said westerly prolongation for 215.29 feet to the southern line of Westchester avenue as now being acquired;

8th. Thence easterly for 559.07 feet to the point of beginning.

These changes in Westchester avenue are shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan showing change of line in Westchester avenue, between the Bronx river and Clason's Point road, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901"; which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 29th day of July, 1903.

Dated New York, December 18, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
 No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.
 d18,j3

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Webster avenue and the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 25th day of May, 1903, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, on the 6th day of November, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Blocks Nos. 3360 and 3399, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Webster avenue and the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, to the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of November, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of January, 1904, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 10, 1903.

W. W. NILES,
W. ENDEMANN,
CHARLES LUTZ,
 Commissioners.
 d10,j5

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of October, 1903, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of November, 1903, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2142, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, to the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of November, 1903; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of January, 1904, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 10, 1903.

THOMAS P. WICKES,
CHARLES E. BENDEL, JR.,
JULIEN M. ISAACS,
 Commissioners.
 d10,j5

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to ENGERT AVENUE, between Graham avenue and Manhattan avenue, in the Seventeenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 9, Blocks 2698, 2699, 2701, 2713, 2714, 2715, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the land 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, 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 25th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

JOHN F. BLADEN,
WM. W. CARNER,
GRANVILLE W. HARMAN,
 Commissioners.
 d31,j24

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PINE STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of January, 1904, 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, December 31, 1903.

ABRAM C. DEGRAW,
EDWARD J. KENNEY, JR.,
JOSIAH B. BOONE,
 Commissioners.
 d31,j12

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to STARR STREET, from Knickerbocker avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, with the exception of that portion which lies within the limits of the property of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 11, Blocks 3187, 3188, 3189, 3198, 3199, 3200, 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 land 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 25th day of January, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

NORMAN S. DIKE,
HUGH MOORE,
L. LAFRANCE,
 Commissioners.
 d31,j24

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to CHRISTOPHER STREET, from East New York avenue to New Lots avenue, in the

Twenty-sixth 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section No. 12, Blocks 3675, 3676, 3692, 3693, 3709, 3710, 3726, 3727, 3743, 3744, 3760, 3761, 3777, 3778, 3794, 3795, 3811, 3812, 3828, 3829, 3845, 3846, 3855, 3856, 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, 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 29th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, December 28, 1903.

ISAAC F. RUSSELL,
WALDO R. BLACKWELL,
E. W. MORRISON,
 Commissioners.
 d31,j24

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Eleventh avenue and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, NEW YORK, December 23, 1903.

HOWARD HAS BROUCK,
AUGUST C. NANTZ,
REGINALD H. WILLIAMS,
 Commissioners.
 d23,j5

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, NEW YORK, December 23, 1903.

GEO. C. SCHNEIDER,
WILLIAM TAIT,
JOHN O'CONNELL,
 Commissioners.
 d23,j5

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, passed March 9, 1892, entitled "An act to provide for settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the avenue known as FORT WASHINGTON RIDGE ROAD, in The City of New York, and in relation to the improvement thereof."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to the provisions of section 10, chapter 114, of the Laws of 1892, that the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1901, and that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court

Bidders are requested to make their bids on 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 of Public Works, which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.