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

*Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting Held in Room 16,  
City Hall, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, December 3, 1902.*

Present—Seth Low, Mayor; Edward M. Grout, Comptroller; Elgin R. L. Gould, Chamberlain; Charles V. Fornes, President, Board of Aldermen, and Herbert Parsons, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The following communication was received from the Department of Docks and Ferries, submitting for approval plans showing new lines of Pier, new 10, North river:

NEW YORK, November 25, 1902.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Esq., Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Sir—I beg to submit herewith plans showing new lines of Pier, new 10, North river; also a technical description of the lines as changed, and beg to state that the same have this day been approved by the Commissioner of Docks, and are hereby forwarded to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for their approval.

The approval of the change of lines by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund is rendered necessary, owing to the fact that the proposed lessee of this pier (the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey) desires a slight change made in the rearrangement of the slip room in order to avoid trouble with the owners of private property in Pier, old 11, immediately south of the proposed new pier. The technical description referred to is as follows:

The new location of Pier 10, North river, as changed from the location determined by the Board of Docks December 7, 1900, and adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund December 27, 1900, is such that the northerly line of the new pier will be parallel with and distant 142 feet southerly from the southerly line of Pier 11, as determined by the Board of Docks December 7, 1900, and adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund December 27, 1900. The new pier will be 80 feet wide and will extend from the bulkhead line established in 1871 to the pierhead line as modified by the Secretary of War in 1897, with a length of 759.91 feet on the northerly side and a length of 749.70 feet on the southerly side; all as shown on the map submitted herewith in duplicate.

This communication takes the place of the two previous communications from this Department under date of November 20 and November 25, 1902, which you will please return to this office.

The maps referred to in the above description were forwarded to you with a former communication are dated November 25, 1902, and should be considered in connection with this letter.

Yours respectfully,  
RUSSELL BLEECKER, Secretary.

I see no objection to the approval of the change in lines of this pier as requested.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer Department of Finance.  
November 28, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 819 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of the plans showing new lines of Pier 10, North river, as submitted by the Commissioner of Docks with communication dated November 25, 1902.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from David Seiniger, making application for a lease of a plot of ground at East Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, between Avenue A and the bulkhead, Borough of Manhattan:

No. 29 BROADWAY.  
NEW YORK, November 7, 1902.

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

DEAR SIR—I beg herewith to apply to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for a lease for a term of ten years and upwards on the plot situate at East Sixtieth and East Sixty-first streets, between Avenue A and the bulkhead, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The purposes for which I desire the same are the erecting and maintaining of permanent structures to be used in the coal business. My offer upon same is \$2,000 per year.

Hoping to hear from you at your earliest opportunity, I remain,

Very respectfully yours,  
DAVID SEINIGER.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following communication from the Department of Docks and Ferries:

NEW YORK, November 20, 1902.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Esq., Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Sir—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 18th instant, inclosing application of David Seiniger for lease of certain premises between East Sixtieth and East Sixty-first streets, East river, and the bulkhead.

Mr. Seiniger made a similar application to this Department under date of October 27, 1902, and he was notified that the land applied for was occupied by John Gallagher, J. L. Keating & Co., and the Department of Highways, under permits from this Department.

This is a very congested locality and is used principally for the loading of building material, and the Commissioner, under the circumstances, does not consider it advisable to lease it at the present time.

Yours respectfully,  
RUSSELL BLEECKER, Secretary.

Application denied.

The following communication was received from the Board of Education relative to the proposed lease of premises at the corner of Clinton and Carroll streets, Borough of Brooklyn (see pp. ): ):

December 2, 1902.

Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

DEAR SIR—I beg leave to advise you that at a meeting of the Board of Education, held on November 26, 1902, your communication of November 20, 1902, relative to the matter of the proposed lease of premises corner of Clinton and Carroll streets,

Borough of Brooklyn, and inclosing numerous protests from property owners in the neighborhood, was referred to the Committee on Buildings, with power.

In view of the numerous objections made by the property owners in the vicinity the committee at a meeting held on the 1st inst., unanimously decided to rescind its former action relative to recommending the leasing of these premises for school purposes.

In accordance with your request the papers relative to the matter are returned herewith.

Respectfully,  
A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Ordered filed.

The following report and resolution were received from the Board of Education relative to the renewal of five leases:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that leases of the following named premises used as annexes to public schools will expire on the dates specified, and the City Superintendent has certified in each case that the renewal is necessary to afford additional school accommodations in the various localities.

Your committee therefore recommends the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they are hereby requested to authorize the renewal of the leases of the following-named premises used for school purposes, as follows:

Premises.	Annual Rent.
No. 1187 Bedford avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Moller Bros. & Co., owners; annex to Commercial High School; term of lease 1 year, expires February 1, 1903.....	\$540 00
No. 186 Chrystie street, Borough of Manhattan, Mrs. Isador Straus, owner; annex to Public School 35; term of lease *1 year, expires January 18, 1903.....	360 00
No. 288 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, George G. Hallock, Jr.'s Sons, Agents; annex to Public School 147; term of lease *1 year, expires February 1, 1903.....	900 00
No. 162 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Emanuel Alexander, owner; annex to Public School 57; term of lease *1 year, expires February 1, 1903 (including water tax)....	2,000 00
First avenue or Lockwood street, south of Grand avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, Mary J. R. N. Strang, owner; annex to Public School 5; term of lease *1 year, expires February 1, 1903.....	450 00

\*With privilege of an additional year.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 26, 1902.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The renewals of the above leases may be properly approved upon the terms mentioned.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

November 29, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of renewals of leases to the City of the following described premises:

1. Premises at No. 1187 Bedford avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of one year from February 1, 1903, at an annual rental of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Messrs Moller Bros. & Co., lessors.

2. The parlor floor of premises No. 186 Chrystie street, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from January 18, 1903, with the privilege of a renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Mrs. Isidor Straus, lessor.

3. The store floor of premises No. 288 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from February 1, 1903, with the privilege of a renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of nine hundred dollars (\$900), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; A. E. Isaacs, lessor.

4. Premises No. 162 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from February 1, 1903, with the privilege of a renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) and water tax, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Emanuel Alexander, lessor.

5. Premises known as the Strang Building, situated on the west side of First avenue, or Lockwood street, about 200 feet south of Grand avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a term of one year from February 1, 1903, at an annual rental of four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450), otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Mary J. R. N. Strang, lessor.

—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rents fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interest of the City that such leases be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following report and resolutions were received from the Board of Education relative to lease of premises Nos. 244 and 246 East Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan (see pages 62-824).

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that it has had under consideration the matter of renewing the lease of the premises Nos. 244-246 East Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, at present occupied as an annex to the High School of Commerce. Affirmative action has already been taken on this matter (Journal, pages 134-135 and 855), but the owner refused to agree to the requirement that he paint and repair the outside of the building, which was insisted on by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, unless the renewal was made for a period of three years.

The City Superintendent states that the premises will be required for three years, and the following resolutions are therefore submitted for adoption:



Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Education on April 23, 1902 (see Journal, page 855), relative to amending the resolution adopted January 22, 1902, in regard to the renewal of lease of premises Nos. 244-246 East Fifty second street, Manhattan, be and it is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Education on January 22, 1902 (see Journal, pages 134-135), relative to the renewal of the lease of premises Nos. 244-246 East Fifty-second street, Manhattan, be and it is hereby amended by making the term of the lease for three years from April 5, 1902, instead of one year from April 5, 1902.

A true copy of report and resolutions adopted by the Board of Education on November 26, 1902.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

I would recommend that the request be granted, and that the resolution as adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on January 31, 1902 (Minutes, page 63), be amended by substituting the term of three years for one year, as recited in the resolution.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

December 1, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held January 31, 1902, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City from Jacob Fleischhauer of premises Nos. 244 and 246 East Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Board of Education for a term of one year from April 5, 1902, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting three years from April 5, 1902, as the term of the lease, in place of one year, as recited in the resolution.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented a resolution of the Board of Education requesting a lease of premises No. 624 Fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, at a rental of \$2,500 per annum. (See page 906.)

Laid over.

The following resolutions were received from the Board of Education rescinding resolutions heretofore adopted relative to certain leases:

Resolved, That the resolution found on pages 1649-1650 of the Journal of the Board of Education, relative to leasing the premises Nos. 2, 4 and 6 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, be and it is hereby rescinded, the owner having refused to execute the lease.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 26, 1902.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Resolved, That the resolution found on pages 1734-1735 of the Journal of the Board of Education, relative to leasing the premises Nos. 2106-2108 Fulton street, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, be and it is hereby rescinded, the owner having refused to execute the lease.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 26, 1902.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted on September 17, 1902 (see Journal, pages 1733-1735), requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the lease of the premises No. 284 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for one year, with the privilege of a renewal, at an annual rental of \$300, be and the same is hereby rescinded, for the reason that the building has been leased to another tenant.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 26, 1902.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Resolved, That the report and resolution adopted on October 15, 1902 (see Journal, page 2389), requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize a lease of the basement of the Seventh Presbyterian Church of Jesus Christ, northeast corner of Broome and Ridge streets, Borough of Manhattan, to relieve Public School 92, be and the same is hereby rescinded, for the reason that the owner restricted the use of the premises to kindergarten purposes.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 26, 1902.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolutions adopted by this Board authorizing leases of the following premises for the Board of Education be and the same are hereby rescinded:

At meeting held August 21, 1902—Premises consisting of the second, third and fourth floors of the Braveman Building, situated at the junction of Chatham square and East Broadway, and known as Nos. 2, 4 and 6 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

At meeting held October 22, 1902—The double store on the first floor of the four-story brick building Nos. 2106 and 2108 Fulton street, south side, between Rockaway and Hopkinson avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

At meeting held October 22, 1902—The first floor and portion of the cellar of premises No. 284 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

At meeting held November 5, 1902—The basement of the church on the northeast corner of Broome and Ridge streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of the building known as McCaddin Hall, Berry street, near South Third street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Board of Education (see pp. 581-907):

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

November 26, 1902.

SIR—At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, held June 25, 1902, a lease was authorized from Sts. Peter and Paul's Church of four rooms in the front part of the building known as McCaddin Hall, Berry street, near South Third street, Borough of Brooklyn; also one room in the basement and the use of the auditorium one morning each week, the premises to be used by the Board of Education as an annex to the Eastern District High School.

Rev. John L. Belford, on behalf of the church, objected to signing the lease until a clause should be added, as follows: "And taxes, if any, the property at the present time not being assessed."

Under date of October 31 I reported in regard to this clause, as follows:

"I see no reason why the request to insert a clause as above should be granted. The property is exempt from taxation on account of its use for educational purposes. The City only proposes to use a part of the building, and as long as the remainder is used by the church people for educational purposes the property will not be assessed. I would recommend that the application for the insertion of this clause be denied."

Since this time I have made a further investigation and find that this building at one time produced a revenue for the church, and was on the tax books at a valuation of \$50,000. Subsequently this revenue ceased and the only part of the building now taxed is the bowling alley, on which there is \$5,000.

In view of the circumstances and to avoid any misunderstanding with the Tax Assessors, I would recommend that the resolution, as adopted June 25, be amended

by inserting the words "the City to assume any taxes which may be imposed upon that part of the building used exclusively by the Board of Education under this lease."

The terms of the lease were approved upon the assumption that a portion of the building so leased was exempt from taxation. In this connection it may be well to call your attention to the fact that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have recently authorized leases of a number of church and other properties which, under the law, are exempt from taxation, the terms in each case being agreed upon with the understanding that no taxes would be imposed upon the premises so leased, by reason of the lease to the City.

In conversation with the Chief Deputy of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, I learned that a misunderstanding might arise unless the Tax Department were officially notified of such leases.

I would therefore recommend to you that the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund formally notify the Tax Department of the leases of exempt property authorized by the said Commissioners, a list of which is inclosed.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Leased from—

German Evangelical Mission Church, resolution Sinking Fund, November 5, 1902, Borough of Brooklyn, Ward No. 16, Block 29, Lots Nos. 1 and 36.

St. Peter's Dutch Reform Church, resolution Sinking Fund, November 5, 1902, Borough of Brooklyn, Ward No. 16, Block 21, Lot No. 20.

Sts. Peter and Paul's Church, resolution Sinking Fund June 25, 1902, Borough of Brooklyn, Ward No. 13, Block 45, Lots Nos. 35, 39 and 41.

Hebrew Educational Society of Brooklyn, resolution Sinking Fund, November 5, 1902, Borough of Brooklyn, Ward No. 26, Block 69, Lot No. 32.

St. Paul's Evangelical Church, resolution Sinking Fund, September 17, 1902, Borough of Brooklyn, Ward No. 17, Block 212, Lot No. 55.

Seventh Presbyterian Church of Jesus Christ, resolution Sinking Fund November 5, 1902, Borough of Manhattan, Section 1, Block 342, Lot No. 65.

Mott Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, resolution Sinking Fund, November 5, 1902, Borough of The Bronx, Section 9, Block 2348, Lot No. 36.

St. John's German Lutheran Church, resolution Sinking Fund, November 5, 1902, Borough of The Bronx, Section 11, Block 2925, Lots Nos. 70 and 71.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board, at meeting held June 25, 1902, authorizing a lease from the Sts. Peter and Paul's Church of the four rooms in the front part of the building known as McCaddin Hall, Berry street, near South Third street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Eastern District High School (two on the first floor, one on the second and one on the third); also one room in the basement and the use of the auditorium one morning each week, for a term of one year from the date of occupation, at an annual rental of two thousand dollars (\$2,000), payable quarterly, including light, heat and janitor's service, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the words "including light, heat and janitor's service" the words "the City to assume any taxes which may be imposed upon that part of the building used exclusively by the Board of Education under this lease."

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby requested to notify the Department of Taxes and Assessments of the leases of exempt property authorized by this Board for educational purposes, with a statement that in each case the rent was fixed in view of the exemption of the property from taxes.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby requested to notify the Department of Taxes and Assessments of the leases of exempt property authorized by this Board for educational purposes, with a statement that in each case the rent was fixed in view of the exemption of the property from taxes.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Real Estate Corporation of New York City relative to the lease of certain premises occupied by the Department of Bridges on the west side of the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx (see page 679):

NEW YORK, November 28, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of The City of New York, No. 280 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—This corporation is the lessor in a lease to The City of New York for certain premises occupied by the Department of Bridges in the Borough of The Bronx, which lease expired on July 28, 1902. On July 17, 1902, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution providing for the exercise by the City of its option for a renewal of said lease for two years, and subsequently thereto a representative of your office presented to us an agreement for extension of the lease, and we declined to execute the same because it contained the following language:

"With the privilege of a further renewal for a term of one or two years on the same terms."

—as the City is clearly not entitled to such a privilege by the terms of the lease which has expired.

The reason for our refusal was stated to your representative and we advised him that we would regard the City as holding over under the lease.

On October 28, 1902, we submitted to the Department of Bridges the usual bill for rent, specifying that the same was for premises to which the City was holding over. Not having received the usual check in payment of the rent we made inquiry to-day in your office, and we were advised that instructions had been given that the rent was not to be paid until the extension of the lease was executed.

The rent which the City pays under this lease is extremely low, and we regret the necessity of permitting the City to continue to occupy the premises at that rate for two years longer. As we are advised that the City cannot insist upon the privilege of renewal at the same rate, we naturally do not feel inclined to consent to this insertion. May we ask for a modification of the resolution and re-adoption by the Sinking Fund Commission as modified, so that the extension of the lease may be promptly executed and we may receive the rent to which we are entitled?

Yours respectfully,

REAL ESTATE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK CITY,  
D. B. HOLMES, Vice-President

I would recommend that the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund July 17, 1902 (Minutes, page 679), authorizing the above lease, be amended by omitting therefrom the renewal clause. The Commissioner of Bridges in his application did not request a renewal clause.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

December 1, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That that portion of the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held July 17, 1902 (paragraph 1), authorizing a lease from the Real Estate Corporation of The City of New York for the Department of Bridges, of Parcels A and B, on the west side of the Bronx river, for a term of two years from July 28, 1902, with the privilege of a renewal for one or two years on the same terms, be and the same is hereby amended by omitting therefrom the renewal clause.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Coroner of the Borough of Richmond relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 174 Bay street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond:

STAPLETON, N. Y., December 1, 1902.

To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully reply to the questions in your communication of October 23, as follows:



1. Elizabeth Schaefer.
  2. Two-story brick building, situated at No. 174 Bay street, Stapleton, 37½ feet front.
  3. One year, with privilege of renewal.
  4. The rental, \$30 per month, payable quarterly.
  5. No alterations or repairs required.
  6. Yes.
  7. Yes.
  8. For use as Coroner's office.
  9. Yes.
  10. Yes, by the appropriation made by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
- The premises described above are the most reasonable to be obtained by me for the use of a Coroner's office, as they are accessible by all trolleys and steam roads, and centrally located, and convenient for everybody in the borough. I have inquired at different places, and cannot find any place which is suitable for the same rates and with the same privileges as the described premises, for the same rent of floor space as per inclosed plan, and I therefore recommend that your Honorable Board of the Sinking Fund Commissioners take same.

Yours respectfully,

GEO. F. SCHAEFER, Coroner for the Borough of Richmond.

This lease may be properly renewed upon the terms mentioned. The City now secures more floor space than at the time when the original lease was made, viz., a witness room, 10 feet by 14 feet, and a jury room 10 feet by 14 feet, in the rear, in addition to the store, which was, as previously reported, 19 feet 4 inches by 27 feet 6 inches. The rental is the same.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

December 2, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby requested to notify the Coroner of the Borough of Richmond, the Honorable George F. Schaefer, and Elizabeth Schaefer, his wife, the owner of the building No. 174 Bay street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, occupied by the Coroner, that, while the proposed renewal of the lease is unobjectionable from every point of view, with the exception of the relationship of the landlord to the Coroner, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deem that an insupportable objection, and that the City can neither renew the lease nor consent to become a hold-over. The Coroner is therefore requested to find other quarters and have them approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund before the 1st of January.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the President of the Borough of Manhattan relative to the renewal of the lease of premises No. 186 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan:

November 28, 1902.

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, No. 280 Broadway, City:

GENTLEMEN—It is herewith requested that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the renewal of a lease of the premises No. 186 Mulberry street for one year; the present lease will expire December 31, 1902.

The following information is herewith submitted:

1. Owner's name, George Kracht; premises, No. 186 Mulberry street.
2. Store space on the north side of the building and half of the cellar.
3. Lease for one year.
4. Rental, \$30 per month, payable monthly.
5. All alterations put in by the party of the second part may be removed, except lath and plaster partitions.
6. Party of the first part to make whatever repairs are necessary in case of fire.
7. The owner of the property to pay the water rent.
8. The owner does not pay for light, heat and janitor service.
9. Premises necessary for use as tool-shop.
10. The premises are recommended as the most reasonable, and are about the only place that can be secured in this neighborhood.
11. The appropriation is sufficient to cover the cost of the rent.

Yours respectfully,

JACOB A. CANTOR, President.

The lease may be properly renewed upon the terms mentioned.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

December 2, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from George H. Kracht, Clemens J. Kracht and Regina C. Walgering, of premises No. 186 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan, comprising store space on the north side of the building and half of the cellar, for the use of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from January 1, 1903, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable monthly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn relative to a renewal of the lease of a plot of ground on Ovington avenue (Sixty-seventh street), between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn:

Hon. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary, Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City:

DEAR SIR—In further acknowledgment of your communication of the 18th instant in relation to a voucher filed in the Department of Finance in favor of George W. Hanley for rent of property on the south side of Sixty-seventh street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues, in this borough, occupied by the Bureau of Highways from August 1 to November 1, 1902, I am requested by the President of the Borough to ask the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners to renew the lease of the said property for a term of three years for the use of the said Bureau.

Very truly yours,

JUSTIN MCCARTHY, Jr., Secretary.

The City is now a hold-over tenant, lease having expired August 1, 1902. The original lease was authorized after a full discussion, and the necessity of the same was fully explained by the Deputy Commissioner of Highways. The rental was considered high, but no better terms could be secured. In view of these circumstances I am of the opinion that the renewal, as requested, may be authorized. Terms, \$650 per annum.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

December 2, 1902.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from George W. Hanley, of a plot of ground on the south side of Ovington avenue (Sixty-seventh street), between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn (Bureau of Highways), for a term of three years from August 1, 1902, at an annual rental of six hundred and fifty dollars (\$650), payable

quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following relative to the assignment of two parcels of land in the Borough of Richmond to the Park Department, and offered the following resolution:

October 11, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Under date of September 16, 1902, Hon. George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond, transmits to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund certain correspondence between himself and Commissioner Willcox, of the Department of Parks, in reference to the question of title to a certain triangular piece of land situated at Stapleton (Village of Edgewater), Borough of Richmond, at the intersection of Canal, Brook, Water and Wright streets, at the west end of Washington Park, and also to a strip of land in the centre of Canal street, between the tracks of the Midland Electric Railroad and just southwest of the preceding piece.

It would seem from this correspondence that Commissioner Willcox is desirous of assuming control of these parcels as part of the park system, and having them kept in proper condition in connection with Washington Park.

It would seem to be a question as to what authority the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may have over these parcels, and it seems to me that it would be well that the question of jurisdiction should be determined before any action is taken by that Board.

As far as I have been able to determine, by examination of deeds and maps on record in the office of the County Clerk of Richmond County (Borough of Richmond), the records of the Village of Edgewater and an examination and survey of the premises in question, their origin as public places and present status and condition is as follows, viz.:

Not only these parcels, but practically the whole of the Village of Edgewater (Stapleton) were included in the Vanderbilt and Gore farms. During the years 1833 and 1834 Minthorne Tompkins and William J. Staples obtained by purchase nearly all of the lands in the immediate vicinity of Washington Park, Canal street, etc., and on January 28, 1835, filed a map, a copy of a portion of which is herewith attached, marked "A."

This is, as far as known, the first map of this locality regularly filed. The centre of the creek appearing thereon was the original boundary line between the Gore, Vanderbilt, et al., farms.

The intention of the owners, Messrs. Tompkins and Staples, to abolish this creek in its original course, to substitute therefor a canal or drain, substantially as it is at the present time, and more in accordance with the lines of the streets as contemplated by them, is also shown on this map.

The proposed streets are also shown, occupying practically the same positions as at the present time, and, in my opinion, the filing of the map constitutes a virtual dedication of the streets as laid out.

On January 22, 1841, Messrs. Tompkins and Staples made up another map, a tracing of which is on file in the County Clerk's office, Borough of Richmond. On this map the original creek does not appear, but the canal or drain as "contemplated" on the previous map is shown. In other respects the two maps are identical.

In 1852 and 1857 still other maps were filed by Tompkins and Staples, with only slight variations from the map of 1841, the differences not affecting the streets but lot divisions in the section now covered by Washington Park and street names.

I attach also a map marked "B" showing the present layout of the section, indicating the approximate locations of fire house, bell tower and cistern.

An examination of the records of the Village of Edgewater shows that on January 12, 1871, the Fire Police Company were granted permission by the Trustees of the Village of Edgewater to place a bell tower in Washington Park, east of Brook street.

In 1872 the Village Trustees apparently voted to build a cistern for fire purposes, and from such information as I can obtain, I believe that the Brook or Canal street cistern was built a few years later.

In 1876 the bell tower, upon the authority of the Board of Village Trustees, was removed from the park and placed over the cistern at Canal and Brook streets. From this it would appear that the property in question was considered and used as public property. The cistern and bell tower appear to-day in practically the positions assigned to them in 1872 and 1876 respectively.

About 1876 the open drain or canal in Canal street, as far as the cistern, was reduced in size and covered with plank and earth to the street surface, a connection from the cistern to the bay, through Washington Park, having previously been made, and still later another outlet, through Water street, has been constructed. These connections are shown on Map "B."

The fire house occupies its present site under two resolutions of the Village Trustees—the first passed about 1890, and the second about 1897.

Under the authority of the first resolution the Hook and Ladder Company, which had previously occupied quarters rented for them by the village authorities, at their own expense, built the present building and moved in May 1, 1890. South of the truck house is a yard about 20 feet square, inclosed by a picket fence.

The following resolution appears in the minutes of the Board of Supervisors of Richmond County, under date of September 25, 1896:

"Resolved, That Water street, from the Rapid Transit Railroad tracks to Wright street, Canal street from Bay street to Broad street, etc., be and the same hereby are designated and adopted as county roads, provided that the consents of the Trustees of the village in which said streets, roads and avenues are situated be obtained, as provided by chapter 555, Laws of 1890, and upon filing of such consents with this Board, the Engineer of County Roads be and he hereby is directed to mark on the map of county roads, etc.

"Resolved, That the Engineer of County Roads be and he hereby is authorized and directed to prepare the necessary surveys, etc.

"Consent given by resolution of Trustees of the Village of Edgewater, January 19, 1897."

A copy of this resolution is attached to the county road map, filed in the County Clerk's office at Richmond, and the map designates Canal street of the full width from Broad street to Bay street, and the triangular space at the head of Washington Park, as covered by this resolution.

The present condition of the land and structures is as follows: The strip of land in the middle of Canal street between the car tracks, from Broad street to the truck-house fence, over the drain or canal, is an uncultivated grass plot, but could be made attractive and beautiful under the care of the Park Department.

The fire house seems in good repair, well kept, in a good position for the needs of the district, and I see no reason why it should be disturbed.

It would be well to remove the bell tower as soon as possible, and I am informed that this will be done as soon as the electric fire-alarm system is installed.

The cistern, it seems to me, should be removed at once. For fire purposes it is not now of any use, interferes with the free course of the drain and sewer from the upper part of Canal street to the bay, and is a general receptacle for all refuse material, vegetable and animal, that may find its way into the drain from catch basins and culverts. Although the cistern has recently been covered with a heavy wooden covering containing a trap door, the stench arising from the interior of the cistern on raising the door is extremely offensive.

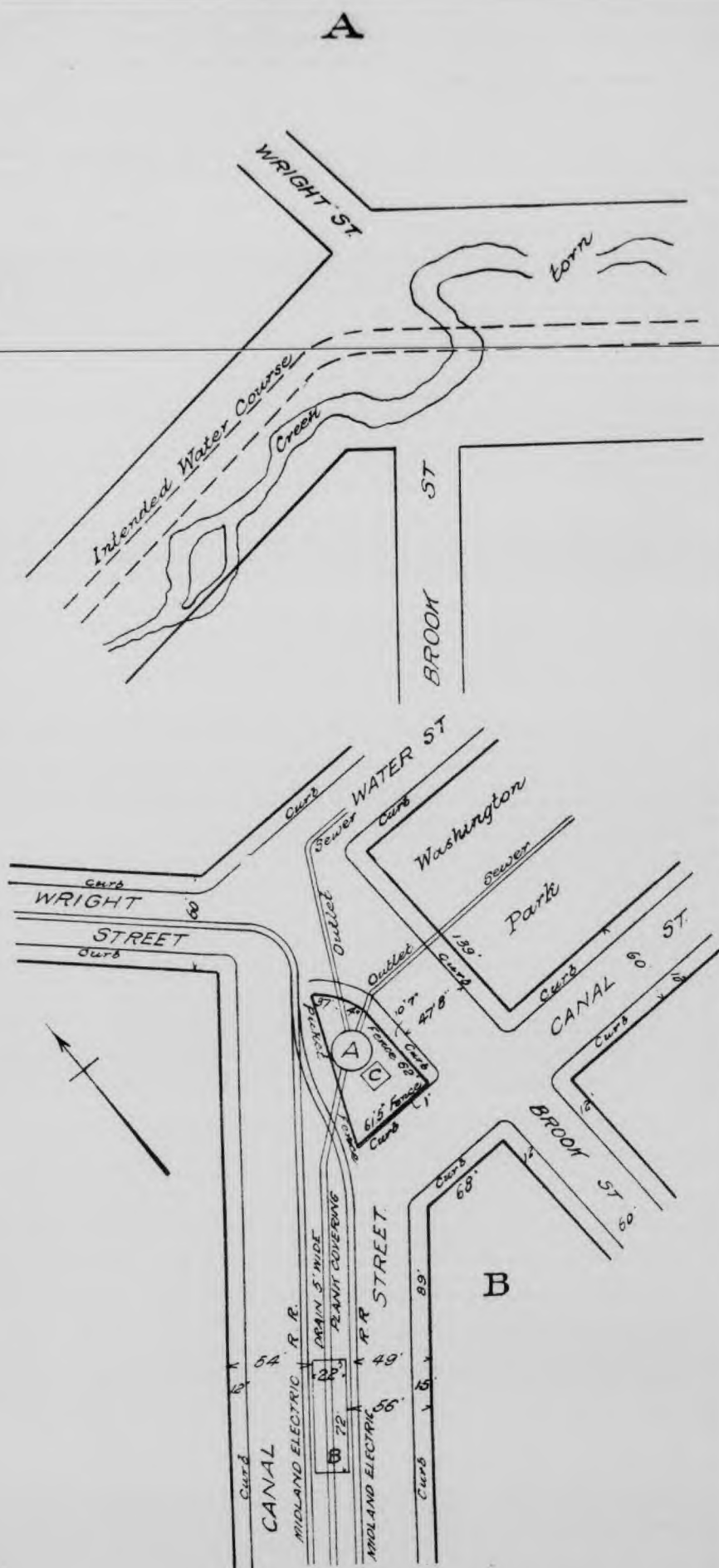
The Park Department has just placed a fence around the whole of this triangular space, repainted the bell tower, and is using an inclosed space in the lower part as a tool house, but with the bell tower and cistern entirely removed a much better appearance would be presented.

I would recommend that the matter be referred to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion as to what department would properly have jurisdiction over these parcels, and whether any action may properly be taken by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the matter, and that a copy of this report be sent to the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Park Department for their information.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.





- A = Cistern  
 Top Cover Diam = 25'  
 Outside Brick Wall = 23'  
 Inside " " = 20'  
 Depth " " = 13' } about
- B = House of Enterprise H & L Co No. 1
- C = Bell Tower

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
 NEW YORK, November 25, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—I am in receipt of your letter of the 13th ultimo, inclosing a communication from the Hon. George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, dated September 16, 1902, together with certain correspondence which has passed between his Department and the Park Department relating to the jurisdiction of two certain pieces of land in the late Village of Stapleton, now a part of the Borough of Richmond, and asking me to advise you what jurisdiction the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have, if any, and what steps should be taken to place the Park Department in control of the land in question, provided the same can be done.

You state the President requests the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to inform him as to the City's title to the said land, with a view to placing the Park Department in control of the triangular piece immediately to the west of Washington Park, and the strip of land in the middle of Canal street, extending from the triangular piece above referred to to Broad street.

You also state that your Engineer has investigated the subject, and has made a report to you, from which it appears that all the land in question was, prior to consolidation, a county road.

The only question involved seems to be one of convenience in administration. From the report of the Engineer, and from investigation, it appears that the two pieces of land above referred to are now practically used for park purposes, and

that no change in the character of their use will be made if they are placed under control of the Park Department.

I am of the opinion that the interests of the public in this case will be properly protected if the control of these two parcels of land is assigned by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to the Park Department.

Respectfully yours,

G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

In view of the above opinion I would recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund assign to the Park Department the following premises, situated at Stapleton (Village of Edgewater), Borough of Richmond:

1st. A triangular plot of land situate at the intersection of Canal, Brook Water and Wright streets, at the west end of Washington Park.

2d. A strip of land in the centre of Canal street, between the tracks of the Midland Electric Railroad, and extending from the aforesaid piece in a southwesterly direction to Broad street.

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance

November 28, 1902.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Park Department the following premises situated at Stapleton (Village of Edgewater), Borough of Richmond:

1. A triangular plot of land, situate at the intersection of Canal, Brook, Water and Wright streets, at the west end of Washington Park.

2. A strip of land in the centre of Canal street between the tracks of the Midland Electric Railroad, and extending from the aforesaid piece in a southwesterly direction to Broad street.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented a report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance relative to an application of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for a lease of premises No. 521 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was laid over.

The following communication was received from the President of the Borough of Richmond, relative to a lease of premises on Gray street, Stapleton, Staten Island:

NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., November 25, 1902.

To the Sinking Fund Commission, No. 280 Broadway, New York:

DEAR SIRS—I hereby recommend to you the leasing from Mr. Frederick Blauth, whose address is No. 39 Gordon street, Stapleton, this borough, of the following premises at a rental of \$50 per year:

Starting from a point 318.3 feet northerly, along the easterly side line of Gray street, from the northeasterly corner of Gray street and Hudson street:

1. Thence northerly along the easterly side line of Gray street for 56.35 feet.
2. Thence deflecting to the right 89 degrees 31 minutes 30 seconds, running easterly for 119.6 feet.
3. Thence deflecting to the right 90 degrees, running in southerly direction for 91.2 feet.

4. Thence deflecting to the right 106 degrees 40 minutes, running in westerly direction for 127.8 feet to the point and place of beginning.

Since the City, through my Bureau of Highways, has been using this property from May 1, 1902, I would therefore request that, pursuant to the provisions of section 217 of the Charter, this lease be dated from May 1, 1902.

In this connection permit me to say that about May 1, 1902, the paving of Bay street, in this borough, was commenced. As you can imagine, considerable stone and macadam were taken up from this street, and as there was no property in the vicinity that was then leased by the City upon which this stone and macadam might be placed it was necessary to make an arrangement for such purpose with some property owner in the immediate neighborhood of the work to be done. My Superintendent of Highways, Mr. H. E. Buel, thereupon made an arrangement with Mr. Frederick Blauth at the rate of \$50 per year. It was Mr. Buel's intention that formal application be made to your Commission for a lease, but owing to the press of official business he inadvertently omitted to bring this matter to my attention until to-day, so that I might make the proper request upon the Sinking Fund Commission for a lease. The stone and macadam have been since May 1, 1902, and are still on Mr. Blauth's property, and he has received no compensation from the City for the storage of this stone and macadam on his property. I consider the property to be leased suitable for the purpose indicated, as well as necessary.

Pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Sinking Fund Commission, under date of October 22, 1902, I beg to inform you that the full name of the owner is Frederick Blauth, he himself being the owner of this property. A full description of the property is given above; lease to be from May 1, 1902, to December 31, 1903, and does not include the privilege of renewal; the rent, \$50 per annum, to be paid semi-annually; the necessity for the lease is to have a place for the storage of the stone and macadam. The premises recommended are the most reasonable that can be secured in the neighborhood for the purpose desired.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

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

December 2, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond, in a communication bearing date November 25, 1902, requests the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for a lease of the following described premises situated at Stapleton, Staten Island:

"Starting from a point 318.3 feet northerly along the easterly side line of Gray street from the northeasterly corner of Gray street and Hudson street; thence northerly along the easterly side line of Gray street for 56.35 feet; thence deflecting to the right 89 degrees 31 minutes 30 seconds, running easterly for 119.6 feet; thence deflecting to the right 90 degrees, running in southerly direction for 91.2 feet; thence deflecting to the right 106 degrees 40 minutes, running in westerly direction for 127.8 feet to the point and place of beginning.

—for the use of the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Richmond, as a place for the storage of stone and macadam, for a term of one year and eight months from May 1, 1902, to December 31, 1903, at the rate of \$50 per annum, payable semi-annually; owner, Frederick Blauth, No. 39 Gordon street, Stapleton, Staten Island.

Having caused these premises to be examined, I find them to consist of vacant lots, of an assessed valuation of about \$600, which also is probably the present full market value of the same.

The Bureau of Highways took possession previous to May 1, 1902, with the consent of the owner, and has used the same for the storage of stone and macadam, etc., up to this date, without a lease. The reasons for not having heretofore applied for a lease and the necessity for such a storage yard in this locality are fully stated in the communication from the President of the Borough.

I am of the opinion that the terms of the proposed lease are reasonable and just, and that the same may properly receive the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from Frederick Blauth, of the following described premises situated at Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for the use of the President of the Bor-



ough of Richmond (Bureau of Highways), starting from a point 318.3 feet northerly, along the easterly side line of Gray street, from the northeasterly corner of Gray street and Hudson street; thence northerly along the easterly side line of Gray street for 56.35 feet; thence deflecting to the right 89 degrees 31 minutes 30 seconds, running easterly for 119.6 feet; thence deflecting to the right 90 degrees, running in southerly direction for 91.2 feet; thence deflecting to the right 106 degrees 40 minutes, running in westerly direction for 127.8 feet to the point and place of beginning, for a term of one year and eight months from May 1, 1902, at an annual rental of fifty dollars (\$50), payable semi-annually; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That a hearing be given in relation to the matters affecting the fish market on the water front near Fulton Market, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, December 17, 1902, and that the Secretary be and is hereby requested to give notification of this hearing to Mr. Abel Crook, attorney for the Fulton Market Fishmongers' Association; Messrs. Simmons & Harris, attorneys for the Independent Wholesale Fish Dealers' Association, and to Mr. Frank Harvey Field, attorney for the Wholesale Fish Exchange; and

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Docks be and is hereby requested to communicate with the same gentlemen and ask them to call at his Department to examine the plans to be proposed by him, so that when the hearing is had before this Board they may be acquainted with the situation.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Adjourned to meet at 2.30 p. m., on Wednesday, December 17, 1902.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD, HELD IN No. 320 BROADWAY, ON THURSDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER, 1902.

There were present—Alexander E. Orr (President), presiding; John H. Starin, Vice-President; Mayor Seth Low, Comptroller Edward M. Grout and Commissioners Woodbury Langdon, Charles Stewart Smith, Morris K. Jesup and John Claflin.

Edward M. Shepard and Albert B. Boardman, Counsel, William Barclay Parsons Chief Engineer, and George S. Rice, Deputy Chief Engineer, also were present. The minutes of the preceding meeting, that of November 13, 1902, were read, and it was moved that they be approved.

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

Nays—None.

Carried.

J. Edward Swanstrom, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, appeared before the Board and presented the following resolutions:

At a meeting of the merchants and property owners of Fulton street, between the Borough Hall and Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, held at the office of the Borough President, Friday, November 7, 1902, to consider how best to reduce the loss and inconvenience arising from the construction of the rapid transit subway through that thoroughfare, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners be respectfully requested to give instructions to their contractors that the work on that section of the subway in Fulton street, between the Borough Hall and Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, shall proceed steadily both day and night.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that the work on said subway between the limits stated should be done in three or more sections, each section to be completed, if possible, before work on another is begun.

Resolved, That in view of the peculiar relation to the whole of Brooklyn of this portion of Fulton street the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners be respectfully requested to take such further and special measures as their judgment may approve to minimize both the time of construction of this portion of the subway and the necessary loss and inconvenience certain to arise therefrom, not only to the business men along said thoroughfare, but to the whole Brooklyn public.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby requested to present these resolutions personally to the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, and to take such steps as to him may seem wise and proper to carry into effect the intent of these resolutions.

The Chief Engineer pointed out the provisions in the contract bearing upon this matter, and President Orr assured President Swanstrom that the greatest pains would be taken to reduce to a minimum the inconveniences of the construction in Fulton street.

President Orr asked the Chief Engineer about the work in Elm street, and he reported that the street would be ready for paving by the time the President of the Borough had awarded the paving contracts.

Letter of President Orr to the Chief Engineer of the Post Office Building and the reply of the Acting Secretary of the Treasury were read as follows and referred to the Chief Engineer:

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,  
No. 102 PRODUCE EXCHANGE,  
NEW YORK, October 27, 1902.

ALFRED BROOKS FRY, Esq., Chief Engineer and Superintendent, United States Buildings,  
New York:

DEAR SIR—Inasmuch as the United States authorities have shown this Commission every consideration and courtesy in facilitating rapid transit construction on the north side of the Postoffice, I am exceedingly anxious that in constructing the subway on the east side (Park row side) we should give the United States authorities as little inconvenience as possible.

The inclosed plan shows the proposed construction in that vicinity, which explains itself. On the plan will be found the "deed line," which is the limit of the United States property, dividing it from the street. Inside the street lines are portions of the vaults of the Postoffice, which project certain distances into the street, and which will of necessity be interfered with to a moderate degree in construction of the subway. Any suggestion that you may wish to make to the Commission or its Chief Engineer in connection with the proposed construction, which will tend to modify any possible inconvenience, is cordially invited by

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) A. E. ORR, President.

November 19, 1902.

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

SIR—This Department is in receipt of a letter, dated the 17th instant, from the Chief Engineer and Superintendent of Repairs, United States Public Buildings, New York

City, inclosing a communication addressed to him by you under date of October 27, 1902, with accompanying blue-print, from which it appears that the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners desire permission to take down Park row vault retaining wall of the United States Courthouse and Post Office Building in your city, and to replace the same, without expense to the United States, with a substantial wall of diminished thickness.

Based upon the statements contained in your communications and in conformity with the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and Superintendent of Repairs, you are advised that this Department will interpose no objection to the action above indicated, provided the work is done in accordance with blue-print above referred to, and to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer and Superintendent of Repairs, United States Public Buildings, in your City, subject to the following conditions, viz.:

The beams over this portion of the basement are to be carefully shored up, from the cellar level, and after shoring is in place a strong plank partition is to be erected within the shoring line.

This partition is to be tightly constructed to keep out the weather and prevent drafts, and is to be covered on the outside with sheet asbestos in a manner satisfactory to the Chief Engineer and Superintendent of Repairs, United States Public Buildings.

The partition is to have no doors or other openings, and the mechanics employed on the work must remain outside the partition, the inner line of which is to set not more than four (4) feet inside the present wall line.

Before commencing the work under this permission, you will please signify in writing your acceptance of the foregoing conditions.

Respectfully,

(Signed) H. A. TAYLOR, Acting Secretary.

The Mayor presented the following letter from the Register:

November 17, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—By resolution of the Sinking Fund Commission of the date of November 12, 1902, it was determined that the third and fourth floors of the Morton Building, Nos. 110-116 Nassau street, be leased for temporary quarters for the Register's Office pending the completion of the new Hall of Records.

I am advised by a communication of the Corporation Counsel of this date that, inasmuch as the Register is personally liable for the care and safekeeping of all papers, documents and other property in his custody, and is compelled to give a bond as security for the performance of his duties, it is altogether reasonable and proper and is sanctioned by law, that he should retain entire control of transferring the documents from the present Hall of Records to the Morton Building.

I have caused an examination to be made as to the estimated cost of removal and find that the entire work of removal and the supervision necessary to safeguard the numerous books, documents, papers, etc., during the course of such removal, as well as to protect and arrange the same in the new temporary quarters, will be about \$4,700, estimated as follows:

For trucks, labor, apparatus, boxes, carpenter work, contingencies,	
etc. ....	\$3,500 00
For temporary special custodians, etc. ....	1,200 00

Many of the bookcases, racks, desks, etc., are extremely old, and liable to be partially destroyed in moving, which will probably necessitate extensive repairs and carpenter work, which cannot be accurately estimated.

The regular force of custodians have to be employed in their ordinary work, including attendance at the various courts, and a special force is necessary to watch and guard the various books and documents as they are transmitted from one building to another and to take charge of them as they are located in the new quarters.

The greatest caution is needed to avoid the loss or injury of the books and papers. They have to be handled and guarded with care, for the loss of even one may lead to incalculable injury to the public.

I therefore respectfully request that provision be made to supply the necessary funds as above specified.

Respectfully,

(Signed) JOHN H. J. RONNER, Register.

He stated that inasmuch as the expense of moving and caring for the records was caused by the rapid transit work, he thought the expense should be borne by the rapid transit account.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, It is necessary to remove the public records so that the old Hall of Records can be removed and the subway thereunder constructed,

Resolved, That the necessary expense of the removal of the public records and the care of the same until the new Hall of Records is ready to receive them, be and the same is hereby made an administrative expense of this Board, to be paid as provided in section 10 of the Rapid Transit Act;

Resolved further, That the sum of \$4,700, or so much thereof as may be necessary be appropriated for this purpose.

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

Nays—None.

Carried.

The Mayor brought up the matter of the rescinding of the resolution of the 10th July, as to station at One Hundred and Fourth street and Eighth avenue. He presented a letter from Samuel Green, No. 37 Maiden lane, dated 14th November, 1902, in which he stated that since the passage of the resolution of 10th July, 1902, he had made an investment in real estate in the neighborhood on the strength of official statements that a station would be there, and asked that a station be placed there. The Mayor asked the Counsel if the Board had power to reconsider its action of the last meeting in rescinding the resolution of the 10th July, 1902, locating a station at One Hundred and Fourth street and Eighth avenue. The Counsel stated that the Board had complete control over the matter of stations.

The Mayor moved the following resolution, which the Comptroller seconded:

Resolved, That this Board give a public hearing on the subject of the location of the station at One Hundred and Fourth street and Eighth avenue, that the writer of the above letter be notified, and a notice thereof be published in the "City Record."

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

Nays—None.

Carried.

Commissioner Claflin suggested an examination into the recent real estate transfers in the neighborhood in question.

The Comptroller moved the following resolution, which was seconded by Commissioner Claflin:

Resolved, That the Counsel of the Board be authorized and directed to cause to be made a search of the transfers of real estate in the neighborhood of the station in question for the period beginning 10th July, 1902, and ending 13th November, 1902.

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

Nays—None.

Carried.

In connection with the resolution moved by him, the Comptroller stated that he did not intend by moving the resolution to concede that the mere buying or selling of property on the basis of the action of any public body established any equity against a subsequent change of such action.

Counsel reported that the Metropolitan Street Railway Company had objected to the use of the word "unreasonable" in the form of agreement approved by the Board on the 13th instant.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the form of agreement approved by this Board on the 13th November, 1902, and authorized to be made with the Metropolitan Street Railway Company and the Interurban Street Railway Company be and the same hereby is



amended by inserting instead of the word "unreasonable" the words "unreasonable, unnecessary or preventable."

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

Nays—None.  
Carried.

The following letter was read:

November 15, 1902.

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

DEAR MR. ORR—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of November 14. The paragraph in my letter of the 11th inst., reading:

"In my judgment the stations should be so decorated and finished as to leave blank places on the walls to be subsequently covered with advertisements, under the approval of the Commission as to the design."

—was not intended to infer that we desire the tiling left off. We do not wish to have the tile-panels, such as the designs call for, but a smooth tile wall. I did not intend to convey that we wanted what your letter states, that is, alternate panels of tiled and untiled spaces. If you have seen the designs of the stations, they call for white tiling, broken by panels framed in colored ornamental tiles.

I have seen Mr. Parsons, and I think the matter can be arranged to our satisfaction.

To-day the people furnishing the green tiles, about which I spoke to you, write to us that they cannot deliver them for six to eight weeks to come for the Fifty-ninth street station alone. Mr. Parsons, for this reason, has very wisely eliminated them from any future contracts. Believe me,

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) AUGUST BELMONT, President.

The Comptroller asked about the proposed report of the Chief Engineer as to extra work. The Chief Engineer reported progress.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, The Board did, on the 24th day of October, 1901, at the request of John B. McDonald, the contractor, adopt certain resolutions modifying the routes and general plan contained in the contract for construction and operation, entered into by The City of New York and the said contractor on or about the 21st day of February, 1900, in order to provide for a route and a general plan in addition to the said routes and general plan in said contract contained; and

Whereas, The said contractor is willing that the cost of constructing that portion of the Rapid Transit Railroad upon the said additional routes from the point of its commencement under Lenox avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-second street to a point under Lenox avenue at its intersection with the centre line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, shall be deemed a part of the cost of constructing said Rapid Transit Railroad, and shall be ascertained and determined and paid to the said contractor in the manner provided in the contract for construction and operation of said Rapid Transit Railroad, in addition to the amounts in said contract agreed to be paid unto said contractor, and such additional amounts so paid shall be included in the total cost of the construction of the said Railroad in determining the amount of rental to be paid under said contract in like manner as if said additional route had been originally authorized therein; and that the cost of constructing that portion of the said Railroad upon the said additional routes from a point under Lenox avenue at its intersection with the centre line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the northerly end of such extension route at a point under Lenox avenue at or near its intersection with the street known as Exterior street shall be deemed to be part of the terminals provided for in the said contract for construction and operation, and that the exact cost thereof, together with 10 per cent, thereon in addition thereto, shall be allowed and paid the contractor as in said contract for construction and operation provided and charged against said contractor as a payment on account of the total sum of one million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$1,750,000), the maximum amount allowed in said contract for terminals;

Resolved, That the officers of this Board be and they hereby are, in the name and under the seal of the Board, authorized to execute with the contractor a contract modifying the contract for construction and operation in this respect, substantially as follows:

Agreement, made this day of November, in the year 1902, between The City of New York, hereinafter called the City, acting by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, hereinafter called the Board, party of the first part, and John B. McDonald, of the City of New York, hereinafter called the Contractor, party of the second part, witnesseth:

Whereas, Heretofore and on or about the 21st day of February, 1900, the City, acting by the Board, entered into a contract with the Contractor for the construction and operation of a Rapid Transit Railroad in the City of New York and otherwise as therein mentioned, the said contract being hereinafter styled the Contract for Construction and Operation; and

Whereas, The Contractor has deposited with the Comptroller of the City certain security for the performance of the said Contract for Construction and Operation on his part and has given certain bonds as further security for such performance, and upon such bonds there are sureties, as follows: Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; American Surety Company of New York, National Surety Company, and Perry Belmont; and

Whereas, By written instruments, bearing date the 10th day of July, 1902, the Contractor, with the written consent of the Board, concurred in by six members thereof, duly assigned the right or obligation to maintain and operate the said Rapid Transit Railroad for the term of years specified in the said contract and all rights included in the leasing provisions of the said contract, together with the obligation to provide equipment for the said railroad, unto Interborough Rapid Transit Company, which company also guaranteed the performance by the Contractor of the provisions of his said contract not so assigned to it; and

Whereas, It is in said Contract for Construction and Operation provided that the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners shall have the right for any section of the railroad to require additional work to be done or additional materials to be furnished, or both, within the general purview of a rapid transit railroad as therein described, the reasonable value of which should be additionally paid to the Contractor; and

Whereas, The Contractor desires, and the Board approves, a modification of the Routes and General Plan for the Rapid Transit Railroad referred to in the said Contract for Construction and Operation, as set forth in certain resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 24th day of October, 1901, and the 20th day of November, 1902, copies of which are hereto annexed, in order to provide for Routes and a General Plan in addition to the said Routes and General Plan, as in said resolutions and herein described; and

Whereas, On or about the 28th day of April, 1902, the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York did by a majority vote of all its members approve such modification of the Routes and General Plan as aforesaid, as set forth in said resolution of October 24, 1901, and did consent to the construction of a railway or railways in accordance therewith, and on the same day the Mayor of The City of New York did approve the said resolution and did consent to the modification as aforesaid; and

Whereas, The Board has obtained the approval of the owners of a majority in value of the property along the streets and portions of the streets as are included in the routes by this agreement proposed to be added as aforesaid to such modification, and the consent of the said owners to the construction and operation of the railway therein provided for;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises, and subject to the consents hereinafter provided, it is agreed that the said Contract for Construction and Operation and the Routes and General Plan therein contained be and the same are hereby modified by adding to the said Routes and General Plan the words following, to wit:

"And also extending from a point under Lenox avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-second street, northerly under Lenox avenue to a point at or near its intersection with the street known as 'Exterior street,' including connections by necessary and suitable switches and tracks, or otherwise, with abutting properties used as terminal or storage grounds.

"The general plan of construction of the route hereby added shall be by tunnel in the same manner as provided in the Routes and General Plan for the Construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the portion of Lenox avenue between One Hundred and Tenth street and One Hundred and Forty-second street. There shall be at least two parallel tracks, with the right at any time to add a third track in the discretion of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.

"A station and station approaches may also be built at the intersection of one of the streets intersecting Lenox avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and Exterior streets, as the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners may decide.

"In all other respects the provisions of the said General Plan of Construction, adopted January 14 and February 4, 1897, shall be applicable to the portion of the route hereby substituted."

And it is hereby agreed that the reasonable value of constructing that portion of the Rapid Transit Railroad upon the said additional route, from the point of commencement thereof under Lenox avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-second street, to a point under Lenox avenue at its intersection with the centre line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, shall be deemed a part of the cost of constructing said Rapid Transit Railroad, and shall be ascertained and determined and paid to the Contractor in the manner provided in the contract for the construction and operation of said Rapid Transit Railroad, and in addition to the amounts in said contract agreed to be paid unto said Contractor, and such additional amounts so paid shall be included in the total cost of the construction of the said railroad in determining the amount of rental to be paid under said contract, in like manner as if said additional route had been originally authorized therein; and

Whereas, It is in said contract for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad further provided that the Contractor shall locate and furnish terminal grounds subject to the approval of said Board, having a mileage of not less than five miles and capable of storing the equipment to be furnished under said contract, for which he is to be paid, as specified therein, amounts not exceeding in all the sum of one million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$1,750,000).

It is hereby agreed that the Contractor shall construct as a part of such terminals that portion of the Rapid Transit Railroad upon the said additional route from a point under Lenox avenue at its intersection with the centre line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the northerly termination thereof at a point under Lenox avenue at or near its intersection with the street known as "Exterior street," and that the exact cost thereof, together with ten per cent, (10%) thereon in addition thereto, shall be allowed and paid the Contractor, as in said contract provided, and charged against said Contractor as a payment on account of the total sum of one million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$1,750,000), allowed in said contract for terminals as aforesaid.

Provided, however, and it is expressly agreed, that this agreement shall take effect if and when and only when the following consents shall have been duly had, to wit:

The consents as subjoined of Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, American Surety Company of New York, National Surety Company, and Perry Belmont, and Interborough Rapid Transit Company.

In witness whereof, This contract has been executed for The City of New York by its Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, under and by a resolution duly adopted by said Board, concurred in by more than six of its members, and the seal of the said Board has been hereto affixed and these presents signed by the President and Secretary of the said Board, and the Contractor has hereto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written.

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

Nays—None.  
Carried.

Counsel reported that the suit of Charles T. Barney had been carried to the Supreme Court of the United States upon the question of jurisdiction, and that argument might be had thereon in Washington during the present winter.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, The route of the Rapid Transit Railroad, as laid out and approved on the 17th day of January, 1897, provides that the road shall pass under private property at the corner of Eighth street and Fourth avenue; and

Whereas, Proceedings for the condemnation of the easement in certain property at the corner of Eighth street and Fourth avenue have been instituted and are now pending before William Rumsey, Harold Swain and John W. Jacobus, Commissioners; and

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, on the 14th day of October, 1902, passed a resolution widening Fourth avenue at or near Eighth street; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel, acting for the City of New York, has entered into a stipulation with John Wanamaker and other property owners on Fourth avenue, near Eighth street, for the immediate possession of the property; and

Whereas, It is desirable that the buildings within the line of the Rapid Transit Railroad be demolished at once; and

Whereas, The Engineer of this Board has stated that it is necessary, in the interest not only of rapid transit construction, but of public convenience and safety, that the buildings not only within the lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad, but certain portions of other buildings adjoining and connected with the buildings there within, and within the lines of the proposed widened avenue, authorized by the above resolution of the Board of Aldermen, should be torn down without any delay; and

Whereas, It may be possible to procure the tearing down of such buildings by a contractor at no expense to the City, but with a profit to the City;

Resolved, That this Board does authorize the Chief Engineer to require the Contractor to take down and cart away the buildings within the lines of the Rapid Transit Railroad, and so far as may be necessary any buildings connected therewith and within the lines of the widened street, on such terms as may be satisfactory, the proceeds of the sale of such material to be turned over to the City.

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

Nays—None.  
Carried.

Mayor and Comptroller not voting.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That this Board hereby makes the following appointments, accepts the following resignation and approves the following discharge on the staff of the Chief Engineer:

#### Appointments.

Stafford H. Ritchie, Axeman, \$720, to take effect November 17.  
George S. Dillon, Axeman, \$720, to take effect November 18.  
Wm. A. Hoffe, Axeman, \$720, to take effect November 18.  
Durrell Lord, Inspector of Masonry, \$4 per day, to take effect November 15.

#### Resignation.

Justin Burns, Assistant Engineer, to take effect October 16.

#### Discharged.

Elmer S. Van Aken, Inspector of Masonry, to take effect November 17.  
Ayes—The President, Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Smith, Jesup and Claflin.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Reports as follows of the Chief Engineer and Deputy Chief Engineer were read:

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,  
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, November 20, 1902.

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

DEAR SIR—I hand you herewith report made to me by the Deputy Chief Engineer in relation to an extension of the west side line as requested by you.

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



THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,  
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, November 20, 1902.

WM. BARCLAY PARSONS, Esq., Chief Engineer, Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with your request, I respectfully submit the following report, relating to requests from Contractor John B. McDonald for a third track from the north portal of the rapid transit tunnel, near Dyckman street, on the west branch of the rapid transit railroad, and also for an extension of the west side line from near Kingsbridge station to a proposed terminus at about Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street on Broadway.

Consultations have been had with the Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and also with the engineering department of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company to see if there would be interference by these additions to the rapid transit lines with the present or proposed schemes of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for changes of track in the immediate vicinity of the proposed extension, and find that there is no conflict in any way.

The route as proposed is along Broadway and contemplates the extension of the elevated structure. If a third track were added to the present contract by the plans already approved the additional extra cost would amount to \$185,000. If the viaduct, which would necessarily be a third track structure, were to be extended from Kingsbridge to Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street on Broadway the cost would be an additional amount of \$475,000, being 4,700 linear feet of structure, and including two stations.

I consider that these additions as requested by Mr. McDonald are essential to the proper and satisfactory operation of the railroad, particularly as it enables the public to have better access to Van Courtlandt Park and its immediate neighborhood. Should it be deemed proper to continue the structure to the City Line, an additional amount of \$600,000 would be required, making a total cost of the proposed extension, with the third track added, of \$1,260,000.

Respectfully yours,  
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Deputy Chief Engineer.

The Secretary was instructed to forward copies of the papers to each member of the Board for further consideration.

The Secretary reported the receipt from the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen of the following certified copy of resolution of that body as to the One Hundred and Forty-ninth street change of route:

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York did on or about the 21st day of February, 1900, enter into a contract with John B. McDonald for the construction and operation of a rapid transit railroad in The City of New York, the routes and general plan of which were adopted by the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners by its resolution adopted on the 14th day of January and the 4th day of February, 1897, and later approved by the municipal authorities of The City of New York and by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the First Judicial Department; and

Whereas, The said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners has for The City of New York entered into a further contract with the said John B. McDonald, the said contract bearing date the 21st day of July, 1902, and has thereupon transmitted to this Board a copy of said agreement of 21st July, 1902, and the modifications of the route and general plan of the Rapid Transit Railroad as therein set forth, which agreement of July 21, 1902, and the modification of the route and general plan of the Rapid Transit Railroad as therein set forth were received by this Board on the 7th day of October, 1902, and this Board having, by resolution duly adopted, fixed a day not less than one week nor more than ten days after the receipt of such plans and conclusions for the consideration thereof, and having duly considered the same,

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York hereby does, by a majority vote of all its members, approve said agreement of July 21, 1902, and the plans and conclusions therein contained, and does consent to the construction of the railway or railways, in accordance with the modification of the route and general plan as set forth in the said agreement of July 21, 1902, and that The City of New York does hereby approve said agreement and all such plans and conclusions and consents to such modification.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 11, 1902, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor November 17, 1902.

(Signed) P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The Secretary presented modified form of certificate of extension of time to the New York and Jersey Railroad Company to obtain consents in connection with its franchise, as follows:

(Certificate October 9, 1902.)

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York did by certificate bearing date the 10th day of July, 1902, authorize the New York and Jersey Railroad Company, a railroad corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, to construct and operate a certain tunnel railroad in The City of New York; and

Whereas, The said certificate duly executed by the Board was, on or about the 14th day of July, 1902, delivered by the Board to the President of the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company, which company on the same day duly accepted the franchise and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof, by an instrument in writing; and

Whereas, By the terms and conditions and requirements of the said certificate it was provided that if the Board should so determine, the franchise thereby granted should become void unless the said Company should, within three calendar months after the delivery to the Board of the acceptance of the said certificate by the said company, obtain or receive the consent and approval of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, being the local authority having control of the portions of the streets and highways upon or under which it was proposed to construct said railroad, together with the approval of the Mayor of the City, and also the consents of the Department of Docks and Ferries and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the said City, if and so far, if at all, as such consents or either of them, might be necessary to the construction, maintenance and operation of the said railroad or any part thereof under docks or other property belonging to The City of New York; and

Whereas, In said certificate it was further provided that if the Board should so determine, the franchise thereby granted should become void unless the said company should within one year after the time of the acceptance of the certificate by the said company, obtain the consents of the owners of one-half in value of the property bounded on each portion of the streets under or through which the railroad or any part of the route thereof should run, to the construction and operation of the railroad or, in case the consent of such property owners could not be obtained, then the determination of Commissioners, to be appointed pursuant to law by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Department, that such portion of the railroad ought to be constructed and operated; the said determination of such Commissioners when affirmed by the said Appellate Division to be taken in lieu of such consent of property owners; and

Whereas, Three calendar months have elapsed since the date of the delivery of the said certificate, and the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company have not obtained the consents of the Board of Aldermen; the approval of the Mayor of the City; the consent of the Department of Docks and Ferries, or the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City; and

Whereas, Reasonable cause has been shown by the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company to the said Board why such consents have not been obtained within the three calendar months; therefore, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York does hereby

Certify, That the time of the New York and Jersey Railroad Company to obtain or receive the various consents and approvals required by the certificate or franchise of this Board to said railroad company, dated July 10, 1902, be, and the same hereby is extended for three months.

In witness whereof this certificate has been prepared by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York by and upon a concurrent vote of at least six of the members of the said Board, and is now attested by the

seal and by the signature of its President, who is its presiding officer, and by the signature of its Secretary, this 12th day of November, 1902.

Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the City of New York, by  
[SEAL.]

(Signed.) A. E. ORR, President.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

Acknowledgment:

[SEAL.]

(Signed) SEYMOUR K. FULLER, Notary Public.

The President reported that the Committee of the Board had made the offer to the tenants at Forty-second street and Broadway, northeast corner, as authorized by the Board, and reply of Slosson & Wheelock, one of the tenants rejecting the offer, was read.

The Secretary reported that the communication authorized by the Board had been transmitted to the Board of Aldermen with the amended certificate to the Pennsylvania, New York and Long Island Railroad Company, and that it had been referred to the Railroad Committee of that body which would hold a public hearing on the 26th instant.

The Secretary reported that one of the original four certificates from the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners to the Pennsylvania, New York and Long Island Railroad Company, dated October 9, 1902, was filed in the office of the Secretary of State at Albany, on the 17th day of November, 1902, and a duly certified copy thereof in the offices of the Clerks of the Counties of New York, Richmond, Queens and Kings on the 18th day of November, 1902.

The Board then adjourned.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

### LOCAL BOARD—BAY RIDGE DISTRICT.

Meeting in Borough Hall, at 3 p. m., Wednesday, September 3, 1902.

The roll was called, and the following members answered to their names:

William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works (presiding); Fifty-first Aldermanic District, Alderman Malone.

The Commissioner submitted the following:

No. 114.

Petition to alter the map of The City of New York by adding to the park lands of the City as an addition to Sunset Park, the property bounded by Forty-third street and Forty-fourth street and Third and Fifth avenues.

Following communication from the Park Commissioner approving of this addition:

Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens,  
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park,  
August 28, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I expect to be absent from the City on September 3, and, therefore, will be unable to attend the meeting of the Local Improvement Committee with reference to the acquirement of the additional land for Sunset Park, but, as you are already aware, I most heartily approve of and commend this to your favorable consideration.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) RICHARD YOUNG, Commissioner.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, August 28, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I return you herewith a petition signed by Cornelius Foley and others for an addition to Sunset Park, between Fifth and Seventh avenues and Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, the assessed valuation of which is \$38,350.

I herewith send a tracing which shows the location.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to change the map of The City of New York by adding to the park lands of the City, as a necessary addition to Sunset Park, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the property described as follows:

All lands lying between the northerly line of Forty-third street and a line drawn parallel with the easterly line of Fifth avenue, to the intersection of that line with the northerly side of Forty-fourth street, thence continuing along said northerly side of Forty-fourth street easterly to the intersection thereof with the westerly side of Seventh avenue, thence northerly along the westerly line of Seventh avenue to the northerly line of Forty-third street, thence westerly along the said northerly line of Forty-third street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 115.

Petition to rescind proceedings for opening Sixty-sixth street from the Shore road to Twenty-second avenue. Laid over until next meeting to investigate the question of street lines.

No. 116.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, July 17, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith map showing proposed change of grade of Third avenue, between Sixtieth street and Senator street. I had supposed this change of grade had been made during the winter before the contract for grading this street was made, but I find that it was not.

The change should go through, and it is not very radical, so I am having the work proceed in accordance with the proposed change. I would advise, however, that the change be made as quickly as possible.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines to initiate proceedings to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Third avenue, between Sixtieth street and Senator street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, as described in the accompanying map.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.



Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 117.

Petition for grading and paving with macadam pavement Sixty-seventh street, from Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifteenth avenue. Laid over for amended petition covering the whole length of the street.

No. 62.

Following report from the Superintendent of Sewers:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Bureau of Sewers, Office of Superintendent,  
Room 46, Municipal Department Building,  
July 18, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I herewith return a communication addressed to you by the Secretary of the President of the Borough, under date of July 2, 1902, you having referred the same to me for a report upon the necessary sewers to precede the paving with asphalt of Fiftieth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.

The Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, reports to me as follows:

"I beg to advise that the estimate of cost for the construction of a sewer in Fiftieth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues, is \$3,665, and the assessed valuation of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$34,630.

The items of work necessary to be performed are:

- 100 feet 15-inch pipe sewer,
- 1,400 feet 12-inch pipe sewer,
- 16 manholes and appurtenances.

In regard to outlet sewers, I beg to state that such will be necessary in Eighth avenue, between Fiftieth street and Fifty-third street, and in Seventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Sixty-second streets, the estimate of cost being \$26,100, and the assessed valuation of the real estate within the probable area of assessment \$794,640.

The items of work necessary to be performed are:

- 215 feet 42-inch brick sewer,
- 1,840 feet 36-inch brick sewer,
- 1,320 feet 30-inch brick sewer,
- 25 manholes,
- 30 receiving basins and appurtenances.

I withhold estimate for an outlet in Eighth avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, as report for same was included in my report of June 25, 1902, entitled "Sewer in Fifty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues."

In regard to the legal opening of the streets, I beg to state that Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to old city line (just west of Eighth avenue), was confirmed August 25, 1895; deeds of cession are recorded in Liber 2130 of Conveyances, pages 391, 393, 395 and 398, August 8, 1892. From old city line to Eighth avenue, no record.

Seventh avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to old city line, deeds of cession recorded in Liber 2106 of Conveyances, pages 415 to 418, April 5, 1892. From old city line to New York Bay was confirmed March 31, 1891.

Eighth avenue, from Fiftieth street to Seventh avenue, the Board of Public Improvements passed resolution April 24, 1901, to have title vested May 24, 1901 (Board of Public Improvements proceedings for year 1901, page 869)."

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

In the matter of grading and paving Sixtieth street, between Sixth avenue and Eighth avenue, which passed the Local Board on June 19, 1902, affidavits were filed by two property owners showing that the street is legally open through public usage.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines to initiate proceedings to construct sewer in Fiftieth street, between Sixth avenue and Eighth avenue; also outlet sewers in Eighth avenue, between Fiftieth and Fifty-third streets, and in Seventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Sixty-second streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 118.

Petition for the construction of sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifth avenue, and Ninety-second street.

Following report from the Superintendent of Sewers:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Bureau of Sewers, Office of Superintendent,  
Room 46, Municipal Department Building,  
July 24, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I herewith return a communication, which you referred to me, the same being from the Secretary of the President of the Borough, addressed to the Bureau of Sewers, under date of June 16, 1902, relating to the construction of a sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifth avenue, and Ninety-second street.

I also return original petition which accompanies this communication.

The Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, reports to me as follows:

"This petition has been worded evidently in error, as Eighty-eighth street and Ninety-second street are practically parallel. I presume what is meant is for a sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifth avenue, and in Gelston avenue, between Eighty-eighth street and Ninety-second street, Gelston avenue being an outlet sewer street for Eighty-eighth street. I give, therefore, an estimate of cost for a sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifth avenue, which is \$2,500, and the assessed valuation of the real estate within the probable area of assessment, which is \$21,360.

The items of work necessary to be performed for the above are:

- 570 feet 12-inch pipe sewer,
- 6 manholes,
- 1 receiving basin and appurtenances.

The estimate of cost for the outlet sewer in Gelston avenue, between Eighty-eighth street and Ninety-second street, is \$4,240, and the assessed valuation of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$37,590.

The items of work necessary to be performed are:

- 560 feet 18-inch pipe sewer,
- 500 feet 15-inch pipe sewer,
- 11 manholes,
- 2 receiving basins and appurtenances.

Another outlet sewer is necessary, viz.:

The tunnel sewer in Ninety-second street, from New York Bay to Seventh avenue, etc., report for which has been made from this office, the matter now being before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for their consideration.

In regard to the legal opening of the streets, information of which is requested, I beg to state that Eighty-eighth street is legally open within these limits, opening proceedings having been confirmed on February 15, 1894.

Opening proceedings for Gelston avenue within these limits were also confirmed on February 19, 1894."

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest

so to do, hereby determines to initiate proceedings to construct sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifth avenue, and outlet sewer in Gelston avenue, between Eighty-eighth street and Ninety-second street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 119.

Petition for the construction of sewer in Sixty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

Following report from the Superintendent of Sewers:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Bureau of Sewers, Office of Superintendent,  
Room 46, Municipal Department Building,  
July 23, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I herewith return a communication, which you referred to me, the same being from the Secretary of the President of the Borough, addressed to the Bureau of Sewers, under date of July 15, 1902, relating to the construction of a sewer in Sixty-first street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue.

The Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, reports to me as follows:

"I beg to report that the estimated cost for above mentioned improvement is \$2,450, and the assessed valuation of land within the probable area of assessment is \$24,900.

The items of work necessary are:

- 50 feet 15-inch pipe sewer,
- 700 feet 12-inch pipe sewer,
- 8 manholes and appurtenances.

In regard to outlet sewers, information of which is requested, I beg to state that such will be necessary on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-first street and Sixty-fourth street, beyond which point outlet sewers are under construction.

The estimated cost for said outlet is \$4,600, and the assessed valuation of land within the probable area of assessment is \$71,549.

The items of work necessary are:

- 260 feet 24-inch pipe sewer,
- 260 feet 18-inch pipe sewer,
- 260 feet 15-inch pipe sewer,
- 7 manholes,
- 4 receiving basins and appurtenances.

In regard to streets which are legally open, information of which is requested, I beg to state that Sixty-first street, between Third avenue and Sixth avenue, was declared open by Common Council, City of Brooklyn, April 20, 1896. Proceedings to open this street from First avenue to Seventh avenue were before the Board of Public Improvements March 22, 1899, and that part between Third avenue and Sixth avenue was recommended to be excluded by Engineer Risse on account of the above declaration. ("City Record," page 2019, March 29, 1899.)

Fourth avenue is legally open and paved with macadam."

I also return original petition which accompanied above mentioned communication.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, July 25, 1902.

Mr. HENRY R. ASSERSON, Chief Engineer, Bureau of Sewers:

Dear Sir—In reply to yours of the 17th inst., asking if Sixty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and Fourth avenue, on east side, between Sixty-first and Sixty-fourth streets, are open streets or not, I would say that Fourth avenue is an open street, that there is no record that Sixty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues has ever been opened. There are, however, proceedings pending for opening Sixty-first street from Third to Sixth avenue, and from Seventh to Fort Hamilton avenue, draft damage map having been sent on April 30, 1902. This, as you will see, includes the portion inquired about in your letter.

Respectfully,

(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The Board of Estimate was requested to vest title in Sixty-first street, between Third avenue and Sixth avenue, on June 19, 1902.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines to initiate proceedings to construct sewer in Sixty-first street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, and outlet sewer on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-first street and Sixty-fourth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 120.

Petition for the construction of sewer in Third avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place.

Following report from the Superintendent of Sewers:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Bureau of Sewers, Office of Superintendent,  
July 17, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I herewith return a communication, which you referred to me, the same being from the Secretary of the President of the Borough, addressed to the Bureau of Sewers, under date of July 3, 1902, requesting information in relation to the construction of a sewer in Third avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place.

The Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, reports to me as follows:

I beg to report that the estimated cost for above mentioned improvement is \$1,300, and the assessed valuation of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$40,670.

The items of work necessary to be performed are:

- 300 feet 12-inch pipe sewer,
- 5 manholes and appurtenances.

In regard to outlet sewers, information of which is requested, I beg to report that all necessary were included in my report of June 18, 1902, entitled "Sewer in Ovington place, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue, etc."

In regard to the legal opening of the street, I beg to state that Third avenue is legally open, the same being occupied by an electric railway.

I also return original petition which accompanied above mentioned communication.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, July 9, 1902.

Mr. HENRY R. ASSERSON, Chief Engineer, Bureau of Sewers:

Dear Sir—In response to your inquiry of July 8, asking if Third avenue, between



Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place, is an open street or not, I would say that it is legally opened.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines to initiate proceedings to construct sewer in Third avenue between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 121.

Petition for the construction of sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue.

Following report from the Superintendent of Sewers:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Bureau of Sewers, Office of Superintendent,  
Room 46, Municipal Department Building,  
August 6, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I herewith return communication, which has been referred to me, the same being addressed to the Bureau of Sewers by the Secretary of the President of the Borough, asking information in relation to the construction of a sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

I also return the original petition which accompanied this communication. The Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, reports to me as follows:

"I beg to report that the estimated cost for the above mentioned improvement is \$2,400, and the assessed valuation of the real estate, within the probable area of assessment, is \$30,600. The items of work necessary to be performed are:

50 feet 15-inch pipe sewer.  
750 feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

8 manholes and appurtenances.

In regard to outlet sewers, information of which is requested, I beg to state that all such have been built.

In regard to legal opening of street, information of which is requested, I beg to state that the Commissioners for opening Seventy-seventh street, from Shore road to Seventh avenue, were appointed May 5, 1900 (see 'City Record,' page 6100, October 9, 1901)."

Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, August 7, 1902.

Mr. HENRY R. ASSERSON, Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn:

Dear Sir—In reply to yours of July 31 regarding the opening of Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, I would say that there is no record of this street ever having been opened. It is in use, however, and has water pipes in the street, and there are some houses along the line of the street. This block, however, is included in the opening proceedings of Seventy-seventh street, from Seventh avenue to Shore road, a draft damage map for which was furnished April 25, 1901.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby determines to initiate proceedings to construct sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 990 of the Greater New York Charter, to vest title in Seventy-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 5.

Petition for flagging sidewalks as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Flagging and Fencing Report No. 17.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
January 31, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with the accompanying complaint, and after an inspection of the premises, I would recommend that the sidewalk on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, in front of Lots Nos. 1 and 3, Block 655, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 1, be improved by laying thereon bluestone flagging, or cement walk, 5 feet in width. Estimated cost of flagging, \$288; of cement walk, \$192. Assessed value of lots, \$17,450.

Also, that the sidewalk on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, in front of Lot No. 31, Block 654, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 1, be improved by laying thereon bluestone flagging or cement walk 5 feet in width. Estimated cost of flagging, \$288; of cement walk, \$192. Assessed value of lot, \$6,200.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) N. P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer, Bureau of Highways.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Twenty-fifth street and Twenty-sixth street, known as Lots Nos. 1 and 3, Block 655, Eighth Ward map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest

so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Twenty-fifth street and Twenty-sixth street, known as Lot No. 31, Block 654, Eighth Ward map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 122.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 244.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, June 28, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with a complaint made at this office by John Gurland, of 1142 Fifth avenue, in reference to sidewalks that are out of repair on Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets. I have had an inspection made of the sidewalks referred to, and find that they are devoid of flagging. Would, therefore, recommend that the sidewalks be flagged with a single course of bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, or be paved with cement for equal distance.

Description of property as follows:

On the west side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second street and Fifty-third street, known as Lot No. 46, Block 807, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 4. Estimated cost of flagging, \$50. Estimated cost of cement walks, \$30. Assessed valuation, \$1,500.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The Board having decided that the Engineer should determine the kind of sidewalk to be laid, the following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second street and Fifty-third street, known as Lot No. 46, Block 807, Eighth Ward map, be flagged with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement walk five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 123.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 285.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 31, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with a complaint made by the Rev. M. J. Flynn in reference to the condition of sidewalk on Fourth avenue, between Seventy-third street and Seventy-fourth street. Have had an inspection made of the sidewalk referred to, and find that it is unflagged. Would, therefore, recommend that they be flagged with a single course of bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, or be paved with cement for an equal width.

Description of property as follows:

On the west side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-third street and Seventy-fourth street, known as Lots Nos. 70, 2, 3 and 4, Block 938, Thirtieth Ward map. Estimated cost of flagging, \$144, and of cement walk, \$87. Assessed valuation, \$2,250.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

Owner's name—John C. Parr.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-third street and Seventy-fourth street, known as Lots Nos. 70, 2, 3 and 4, Block 938, Thirtieth Ward map, be paved with a single course of cement walk five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 124.

Petition for flagging sidewalks as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 284.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 30, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with the accompanying petition from the office of the President of the Borough, for the flagging of sidewalks on Thirty-third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and on Fifth avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets. Have had an inspection made of the sidewalks, and find that they are unflagged, and would recommend that they be flagged with a single course of bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, or be paved with cement for equal width.

Description of property as follows:

On the north side of Thirty-third street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, and on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-second street and Thirty-third street, known as Lots Nos. 40, 42, 46, 52, 55, 63, 68 and 1, Block 681, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 1. Estimated cost of flagging, \$943, and of cement walk, \$566. Assessed valuation, \$15,650.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The Board having decided that the Engineer should determine the kind of sidewalk to be laid, the following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the north side of Thirty-third street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, and on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-second street and Thirty-third street, known as Lots Nos. 40, 42, 46, 52, 55, 63, 68 and 1, Block 681, Eighth Ward map, be flagged with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement walk five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.  
Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 125.

Petition for fencing vacant lots on the north side of Thirty-third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Thirty-second



and Thirty-third streets, and on the south side of Thirty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, known as Lots Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 24, 40, 42, 46, 63 and 68, Block 681, Eighth Ward map.

Laid over and referred to Commissioner Redfield for further investigation.

No. 126.

Petition for fencing vacant lots as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 256.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 8, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with the accompanying petition from the office of the President of the Borough, for the fencing of vacant lots on Fifth avenue, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street. Have had an inspection made of the vacant lot referred to, and find that there is at present a broken down fence there which admits of one falling through into the excavation. Would recommend that the lot referred to be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet in height to prevent any accident which might occur.

Description of property as follows:

On the west side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street, known as Lot No. 6, Block 705, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 2. Estimated cost of fencing, \$50. Assessed valuation, \$20,000.

Assessed owner of property—South Brooklyn Terminal Co.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lot lying on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street, known as Lot No. 6, Block 705, Eighth Ward map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 127.

Petition for fencing vacant lots as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 254.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 8, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with a petition from the office of the President of the Borough for the fencing of vacant lots on Fifth avenue, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street. Have had an inspection made of the vacant lots referred to, and find that they are unfenced and a nuisance, in that they, in their present unfenced condition, admit of one falling into the excavation. Would therefore recommend that the said vacant lots be inclosed with a close board fence six feet in height.

Description of property as follows:

On the east side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street; also on the north side of Thirty-ninth street, between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 1 and 6, Block 909, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 5. Estimated cost, \$150. Assessed valuation, \$3,000.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lots lying on the east side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street; also on the north side of Thirty-ninth street, between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 1 and 6, Block 909, Eighth Ward map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough, September 15, 1902.

No. 128.

Petition for fencing vacant lots on the south side of Twenty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets; also on the north side of Twenty-eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 5, 22, 60 and 67, Block 661, Eighth Ward map.

Laid over for investigation by the Supervisor of Complaints.

No. 129.

Petition for fencing vacant lots as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 268.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 22, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with the accompanying petition from the office of the President of the Borough, for the fencing of vacant lots on Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets. Have had an inspection made of the lots referred to, and find that they are dangerous, that pedestrians may fall into the excavation. Would recommend that they be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet in height to abate the existing dangerous conditions.

Description of property as follows:

On the west side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street, known as Lots Nos. 2 and 3, Block 920, Thirtieth Ward map. Estimated cost of fencing, \$73. Assessed valuation, \$21,000.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lots lying on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street, known as Lots Nos. 2 and 3, Block 920, Thirtieth Ward map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough September 15, 1902.

No. 130.

Petition for fencing vacant lots as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 269.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 22, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with the accompanying petition from the office of the President of the Borough for the fencing of vacant lots on the east side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street. Have had an inspection made of the vacant lots referred to and find that they are unfenced and in their present condition dangerous; that one is liable to fall into the excavation. Would therefore recommend that they be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet in height to abate the existing conditions.

Description of property as follows:

On the east side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street, known as Lots Nos. 3, 1 and 2, Block 909, Thirtieth Ward map.

Estimated cost of fencing, \$56. Assessed valuation, \$4,450.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lots lying on the east side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street, known as Lots Nos. 3, 1 and 2, Block 909, Thirtieth Ward map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough September 15, 1902.

No. 131.

Petition for fencing vacant lots as described in the following report of the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 252.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
July 7, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with the accompanying petition from the office of the President of the Borough for the fencing of vacant lots on Fortieth street, between Tenth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue. Have had an inspection made of the vacant lots referred to and find that they are unfenced and a nuisance, in that they are being used as a dumping ground for garbage and house refuse. Would therefore recommend that the said vacant lots be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet in height to abate the said nuisance.

Description of property as follows:

Also on the north side of Fortieth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Twelfth avenue, known as Lot No. 64, Block 140, Thirtieth Ward map. Estimated cost of fencing, \$10. Assessed valuation, \$200.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The matter of fencing vacant lots on the north side of Fortieth street, between Tenth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue, known as Lot No. 98, Block 141, Thirtieth Ward map, was laid over and referred to Alderman Malone for report.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lot lying on the north side of Fortieth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Twelfth avenue, known as Lot No. 64, Block 140, Thirtieth Ward map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough September 15, 1902.

No. 132.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 245.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
June 28, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In accordance with a letter from the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, in reference to lots that are unfenced on Fifty-third street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue. Have had an inspection made of the vacant lots referred to and find that they are being used as a dumping ground for garbage and house refuse. Would therefore recommend that the said vacant lots be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet in height to abate the existing nuisance.

Description of property as follows:

On the south side of Fifty-third street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 29 and 31, Block 815, Eighth Ward map, Section 3, Volume 4. Estimated cost of fencing, \$40. Assessed valuation, \$2,000.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lot lying on the north side of Fortieth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue, known as Lot No. 98, Block 141, Thirtieth Ward map, be filled in to the level of the adjoining street at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough September 15, 1902.

No. 133.

Following report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways:

Report No. 252.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,  
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,  
Municipal Building, July 3, 1902.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—In connection with a postal complaint received at this office from L. J. Taggart, No. 1065 Fortieth street, in reference to lot that is below grade and a nuisance. Have had an inspection made of the lot referred to and find that it is two (2) feet below grade and a nuisance, in that the water runs into the cellars of the adjoin-



ing property. Would therefore recommend that the said lot be filled to the level of the street.

Description of property as follows:

On the north side of Fortieth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue, known as Lot No. 98, Block 141, Thirtieth Ward map.

Estimated cost of filling, \$124. Assessed valuation, \$400.

Respectfully,

(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of September, 1902, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lots lying on the south side of Fifty-third street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 29 and 31, Block 815, Eighth Ward map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner Redfield and Alderman Malone.

Approved by the President of the Borough September 15, 1902.

#### No. 66.

Fencing vacant lot on the south side of Fifty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 20 and 24, Block 799, Eighth Ward map.

The owner of the property having notified the Board that he had had the lots fenced under his own direction, the matter was ordered on file.

#### No. 69.

Report from the Bureau of Highways recommending the fencing of the vacant lots on the north side of Forty-eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 48, 49, 52, 53 and 56 to 63, inclusive, Block 765, Eighth Ward map. Laid over and referred to Alderman Malone for report.

#### No. 78.

Report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways recommending the fencing of the vacant lots on the south side of Fiftyth street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue; on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Fiftyth street and Fifty-first street; also on the north side of Fifty-first street, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 12, 24, 37 and 41, Block 790, Eighth Ward map. Lost. Ordered on file.

#### No. 79.

Report from the Engineer of the Bureau of Highways recommending the grading of the vacant lots on the south side of Fiftyth street, between Third and Fourth avenues; on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Fiftyth street and Fifty-first street, and on the north side of Fifty-first street, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 24, 37 and 41, Block 790, Eighth Ward map. Lost. Ordered on file.

Adjournment.

JUSTIN McCARTHY, Jr., Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

### COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466, of the Laws of 1901, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the week ending November 26, 1902:

GEORGE LIVINGSTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

#### Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring and repaving pavement—general account....	\$1,274 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	30 50
For vault permits.....	7,402 49
For shed permits.....	25 00
For sewer connections.....	423 59
For bay window permits.....	468 50

Total ..... \$9,684 08

#### Permits Issued.

Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections.....	73
Permits to place building material on streets.....	68
Permits to construct street vaults.....	16
Permits to construct show windows.....	10
Permits to construct sheds.....	5
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	13
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections.....	247
Permits for railway construction and repairs.....	2
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	48
Permits for sewer connections.....	13
Permits for sewer repairs.....	14

Total..... 509

#### Obstructions Removed.

Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues..... 35

#### Repairs to Pavement.

Square yards of pavement repaired..... 2,232

#### Repairs to Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer built.....	639
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	13,718
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	33,077
Basins built.....	3
Basins cleaned.....	240
Basins examined.....	10

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$118,888 82

Statement of Laboring Force Employed During the Week Ending November 22, 1902.

	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Carts.	Bath Attendants.	Cleaners.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.	257	268	3	50	....	....
Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of.....	19	115	26	11	....	....

Roads, streets and avenues.....	1	10	2	1	....	....
Sewers, maintenance, cleaning, etc..	62	98	8	35	....	3
Cleaning public buildings, baths, etc.	94	44	....	20	31	233
Total .....	433	535	39	117	31	236

#### Changes in Working Force for Week Ending November 22, 1902.

1 Laborer removed, 4 Bath Attendants removed, 1 Cleaner removed, 6 Cartmen removed, 1 Teamster removed, 1 Elevator Attendant appointed, 1 Cartman appointed, 7 Cartmen reinstated, 1 Teamster reinstated.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

### COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the week ending December 3, 1902.

GEORGE LIVINGSTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

Approved:

JACOB A. CANTOR, President, Borough of Manhattan.

#### Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring and repaving pavement, general account.....	\$2,104 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	17 00
For vault permits.....	1,583 16
For shed permits.....	5 00
For sewer connections.....	268 52
For bay window permits.....	276 25
For special permit for street opening.....	89 00

Total ..... \$4,343 43

#### Permits Issued.

Permits to open streets to make sewer connections.....	59
Permits to place building material on streets.....	46
Permits to construct street vaults.....	4
Permits for show windows.....	7
Permits to construct sheds.....	1
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	6
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections.....	221
Permits for railway construction and repairs.....	1
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	46
Permits for sewer connections.....	13
Permits for sewer repairs.....	12

Total ..... 416

#### Obstructions Removed.

Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues..... 18

#### Repairs to Pavement.

Square yards of pavement repaired..... 2,798

#### Repairs to Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer built.....	266
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	13,548
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	7,692
Basins built.....	3
Basins cleaned.....	199
Basins examined.....	7

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$53,184 67

Statement of Laboring Force Employed During the Week Ending November 29, 1902.

	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Carts.	Bath Attendants.	Cleaners.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.	257	268	4	50	..	..
Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of.....	17	92	24	11	..	..
Roads, streets and avenues.....	2	29	5	1	..	..
Sewers, maintenance, cleaning, etc.	64	95	8	36	..	3
Cleaning public buildings, baths, etc.	94	43	..	21	31	232
Total .....	434	527	41	119	31	235

#### Changes in Working Force for Week Ending November 29, 1902.

1 Teamster removed, 1 Cartman removed, 1 Elevator Attendant removed, 4 Cartmen reinstated, 1 Cartman appointed, 1 Laborer, deceased; 1 Rammer, deceased.

## CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

December 18.

David Hart, of No. 438 Nineteenth avenue, Long Island City, Bridge Tender on the Vernon Avenue Bridge over Newtown Creek, has resigned, to date from December 8, 1902.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

December 17.

The Commissioner has appointed Mr. Robert A. Gay a Typewriter Copyist in the Bureau of Complaints in this Department at a salary of \$720, from December 15, 1902.

### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Borough of The Bronx.

December 17.

Discharged.

Charles Schmaltz as Laborer in this Department.

### Died.

John McChristie, Foreman in this Department, on December 15, 1902. Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

### Discharged.

Misconduct, neglect of duty, and absence without leave, Ambrose E. Kierman, Assistant Gardener.

Leave of absence, without pay, granted for six months, beginning December 16, 1902, to Mrs. G. Buggelin, Cottage Attendant.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

December 17.

### Appointed.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx. As Fireman on probation with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum from December 1, 1902:



George F. Butler, Engine Company 10.  
Thomas F. Cassidy, Engine Company 12.  
Michael T. Donnelly, Engine Company 31.  
Louis A. Abbott, Engine Company 3.  
John J. O'Rourke, Engine Company 11.  
Isaac L. Giles, Engine Company 17.  
Patrick J. Coffey, Engine Company 16.  
William J. Kempf, Engine Company 13.  
Bradford C. Campbell, Hook and Ladder Company 9.  
Patrick Hayes, Hook and Ladder Company 20.  
Leo F. Bridermann, Hook and Ladder Company 24.  
As Chief Draughtsman with salary at the rate of \$1,950 per annum from December 8, 1902:  
Edward L. Middleton.  
As Fireman, fourth grade, with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum, from December 15, 1902:  
Thomas F. Cunningham, Engine Company 13.  
Frederick J. Lepold, Engine Company 16.  
John J. Foley, Jr., Engine Company 18.  
John J. Diviney, Engine Company 4.  
Charles Bourke, Engine Company 20.  
Robert J. Shannon, Engine Company 5.  
Aeneas A. McFaul, Engine Company 4.  
Adam J. Metzler, Engine Company 21.  
James J. Conway, Engine Company 19.  
John J. Monaghan, Hook and Ladder Company 8.  
James J. Porter, Engine Company 26.  
Denis O'Shaughnessy, Hook and Ladder Company 3.  
John F. Rooney, Engine Company 29.  
Martin Hannon, Hook and Ladder Company 4.  
Hugh Bonner, Jr., Hook and Ladder Company 6.  
Charles M. Ingram, Engine Company 31.  
Joseph F. Guilfoile, Engine Company 6.  
Philip Fitzpatrick, Hook and Ladder Company 12.

## Resigned.

Edward L. Middleton, Architectural Draughtsman, from December 8, 1902 (accepted position as Chief Draughtsman).

## Restored to duty.

Watchmen Michael Finnell and John J. Malley, Repair Shops, who were suspended from duty June 4, 1902. To take effect from the 15th instant.  
Discharged, from 12 M., December 20.  
William Savage, Mechanic, repair shops.  
James McCauley, Laborer, repair shops.  
John T. Kenny, Painter, repair shops.—their services being no longer required.

## Retired.

On half-pay on application in writing after more than twenty years' service:  
Fireman first grade James T. Campbell, Engine Company 47, from December 8, 1902.  
Engineer of steamer "Patrick Doyle," Engine Company 67, from January 1, 1903.  
On report of Medical Officers:  
Fireman first grade Michael T. Barron, Engine Company 28, from December 20, 1902.

## Death.

Fireman first grade George A. Hannan, Hook and Ladder Company 17, on December 15, 1902. Suicide.  
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

## Appointed.

Rev. H. A. Handell and Rev. Thomas F. McGroen, as Honorary Chaplains without pay, from December 5, 1902.  
As Fireman fourth grade with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum, from December 15, 1902:

William Feeney, Hook and Ladder Company 57.  
Henry Miller, Jr., Engine Company 163.  
William J. White, Hook and Ladder Company 51.  
John M. Ferguson, Engine Company 108.  
George J. O'Connor, Engine Company 122.  
James H. Coss, Hook and Ladder Company 63.  
James P. Shannon, Engine Company 103.  
Arthur S. Minges, Engine Company 127.  
William E. Rogers, Engine Company 134.  
George H. Crowe, Hook and Ladder Company 61.  
Jacob C. Fulcher, Hook and Ladder Company 61.  
Stacy De Witt Longwell, Hook and Ladder Company 55.  
Thomas Farrell, Engine Company 159.

## Reinstated.

In compliance with peremptory writ of mandamus issued by Judge Garretson—Mortimer F. Gleason, as Fireman, from March 19, 1898.

## Deaths.

Batteryman Peter F. Haley, on December 19. Suicide.  
Fireman, first grade, Wm. F. Stumpf, Engine Company. On December 6.  
Engineer of Steamer Harry Shaw, Engine Company 140. On December 9.

## CITY CLERK.

New York, December 15, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Committee on Laws and Legislation of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Friday, December 19, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the following matters:

1. An ordinance prohibiting the beating of drums or other instruments, etc.
2. An ordinance to establish additional public hack stands in The City of New York.
3. An ordinance to regulate hacks in The City of New York.

All persons interested in the above matters are respectfully requested to attend.

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



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## 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:

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Telephone 706 Cortlandt.  
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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.

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Telephone 5365 Cortlandt.  
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H. J. STORRS, Chief Clerk, Room 11.  
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THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.  
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## COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Courthouse, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 10, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23, Part II., Room No. 10, Courthouse. Clerk's Office, Rooms 19 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
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Surrogate's Court sits on Thursday and Friday of each week, except during the month of August, when no court is held. Calendar called at 10 A. M.

## COUNTY COURT.

County Courthouse, Long Island City.  
County Court opens at 9.30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M.  
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Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;  
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County Courthouse, Chambers street. Courts open from 10.15 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.  
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.  
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## CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 A. M.  
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Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.  
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## CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

Court opens at 10 A. M.  
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Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, 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. Court-room, 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. Court-room, 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—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

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

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK MCDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open until close of business.

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.

HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, 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—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, 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. HEMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

#### 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. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sunday 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. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. THOMAS A. MAHER, Clerk.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Courthouse, north-west 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, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

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. Court-room, 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.

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). Court-room, 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 include the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room, in Courthouse of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, 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.

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). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

JOHN J. KENNEY, 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). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

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

Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER A, FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

#### Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 762.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 10,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

The time for the delivery of the cement and the performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is eight thousand dollars.

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

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

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

McDOUGALL HAWKES,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated December 17, 1902.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1902,

#### Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 761.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REMOVING THE TWO EXISTING PIERS, AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF EAST EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of ninety days.

The amount of security required is \$7,500. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated, December 10, 1902.

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#### OFFICIAL PAPERS.

"New York Times," "New York Sun," "New York Mail and Express," "Real Estate Record and Guide," "Commercial Advertiser," "New Yorker Zeitung," "Leslie's Weekly."

PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

October 1, 1902.

#### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EXPRESSAGE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 21 Park row, Room 1,637, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx and Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING MAN, WAGON, HORSE AND HELPER, AND FOR DELIVERING ALL THE PRINTED MATTER, BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY, ETC., FURNISHED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD TO THE VARIOUS COURTS, DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS, LIBRARIES, SCHOOLS, ETC., OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT, LOCATED IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND BROOKLYN, DURING THE YEAR 1903.

The time for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1903.

The amount of security shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

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

The bidder will state a lump or aggregate sum at which he will undertake the deliveries called for, to be made during the year 1903 to the Courts, Departments, Bureaus, Libraries, Schools, etc., of the City Government, of all stationery, printed matter, etc., furnished for their use by the office of the City Record.

The bids will be tested and the awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

The contractor will be required to furnish a man, horse, wagon and helper to be in daily attendance at the office of the City Record, and to make deliveries of goods, parcels and packages as frequently as the business, in the judgment of the Supervisor of the City Record, may require.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of City Record, 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 said Supervisor, where further information can be obtained.

Board of City Record.

SETH LOW,

Mayor.

GEORGE L. RIVES,

Corporation Counsel,

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.

The City of New York, December 10, 1902.

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#### OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

##### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"Bronx Borough Record," "North Side News."

##### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

For Long Island City and Newtown Districts—"Long Island City Star," "Newtown Register."

For Flushing, Jamaica and the Rockaways—"Flushing Times," "Jamaica Standard."

##### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island World."

#### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, FROM GATES AVENUE TO KINGS COUNTY LINE, SECOND WARD.

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

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

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

3,100 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

540 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

1,600 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

800 cubic yards of earth excavation.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS 5,000 CUBIC YARDS, MORE OR LESS, SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK, IN THE FIFTH WARD.

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

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

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF FULTON STREET, FROM VAN WYCK AVENUE TO GRAND STREET, FOURTH WARD.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is eighty (80) days.

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

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

4,200 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

900 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

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

The extensions must be made and footed up, as bids will be read from the total.

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



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

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

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

THOMAS W. HYNES,  
Commissioner.

Dated December 10, 1902.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.  
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 1903.

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.

THOMAS W. HYNES,  
Commissioner.

Dated December, 1902.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.  
Borough of Brooklyn.

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

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1903.

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.

THOMAS W. HYNES,  
Commissioner.

Dated December, 1902.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GROCERY SUPPLIES 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, AND THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, AT KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENNIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, DURING THE YEAR 1903.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1903.

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, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class. Samples will be on exhibition at the office of the Department of Health, southwest corner Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, until the bids are opened.

If two or more bids for the same class are found to be at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed at the Willard Parker, Reception, Riverside and Kingston Avenue Hospitals, as set forth in the specifications. The weight, measure,

etc., will be allowed as received at the hospitals. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Health, Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1902.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MILK TO THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, THE RECEPTION HOSPITAL, THE VACCINE LABORATORY AND THE RESEARCH LABORATORY, AT THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; THE RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL, AT NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, AND THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, AT KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENNIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, DURING THE YEAR 1903.

Delivery to be made daily at the respective hospitals, at the hours, in such quantities and in such manner as may be required by the Board of Health during the year 1903; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. of the estimated amount of the cost of the milk to be furnished.

The bidder will state the price for furnishing and delivering milk to each of the hospitals and laboratories named, as set forth in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per quart or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested, and awards will be made to the lowest bidder for each hospital.

Any further information can be obtained at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Health, fourth floor, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

CITY OF NEW YORK, December 19, 1902.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, CHEMICALS, DISINFECTANTS, DRUGS, HORSE FEED AND LIOURS, 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; THE LABORATORIES, OFFICE BUILDINGS AND DISINFECTION STATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT IN THE DIFFERENT BOROUGH OF NEW YORK CITY, DURING THE YEAR 1903.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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 Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1902.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, BREAD, FISH, ICE, MINERAL WATERS, VEGETABLES AND FRUITS, 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 1903.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1902.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEAT, 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, AND THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, AT KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENNIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, DURING THE YEAR 1903.

The time for the delivery of the meats and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

All meat must be delivered daily, as directed, at the respective hospitals at the hours and in the manner and in such quantities as may be required by the Board of Health during the year 1903.

Any changes in the time or places of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health. Deliveries for the Riverside Hospital will be made at the foot of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx. The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received at the hospitals.

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

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1902.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING FOUR STEAM, JACKETED, STERILIZING CHAMBERS FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, NEW YORK CITY.

The time allowed to complete the delivery and erection of the four steam, jacketed sterilizing chambers and the performance of the contract will be 120 consecutive working days.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in such manner as may be directed by the Board of Health.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department of Health, fourth floor, room 19.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

Dated December 17, 1902.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following described unused property of this Department, in the Borough of Manhattan, will be sold at public auction, pursuant to section 1553 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, at Stable "A" of the Department of Street Cleaning, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Friday, the 26th day of December, 1902, at 10 a. m. to wit: 1 Wood's Motor Vehicle Runabout (Electric Automobile).

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,  
Board of Health.

Dated December 17, 1902.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR:  
JOB No. 1. ALTERATIONS TO WARD L, METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.  
JOB No. 2. NEW STEEL CEILING AT CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.  
JOB No. 3. ALTERATIONS TO BUILDING TO BE KNOWN HEREAFTER AS HOSPITAL FOR CONVALESCENTS, METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be, on Job No. 1, thirty (30) consecutive working days; on Job No. 2, thirty (30) consecutive working days, and on Job No. 3, seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be, on Job No. 1, one thousand dollars (\$1,000); on Job No. 2, two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and on Job No. 3, eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

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

Bidders for this work must be engaged in and known to be well prepared to execute same in accordance with the plans and specifications, and upon demand by the Commissioner must produce proof satisfactory to said Commissioner that they possess the necessary plant, tools, materials, etc., which will be required in the erection and completion of the work.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated December 18, 1902.

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.

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

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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 noon, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH MEATS, FRESH FISH, FRESH MILK, POULTRY AND COAL.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1903.

Deliveries to be made at almshouse, Borough of Richmond.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions of each class must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, as specified in schedule or annexed specifications.

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 18, 1902.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR PROVIDING AND SETTING UP ADDITIONAL MACHINERY IN LAUNDRY AT CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

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

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

Bidders for this work must be engaged in and known to be well prepared to execute same in accordance with the plans and specifications, and upon demand by the Commissioner must produce proof satisfactory to said Commissioner that they possess the necessary plant, tools, materials, etc., which will be required in the erection and completion of the work.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated December 16, 1902.

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.

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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 noon on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1902.  
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEVEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY TONS ANTHRACITE COAL.

The quantities are as follows:  
650 tons pea coal No. 1.  
120 tons stove coal.

The time for the performance of the contract is by or before January 31, 1903.

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 gross ton for coal, by which the bids will be tested. The



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

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.  
The City of New York, December 16, 1902.

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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 noon on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1902.

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 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications 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 for each item as specified in the schedule or specifications and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 12, 1902.

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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 noon, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

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

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions of each class must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as specified in schedule or annexed specifications.

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 10, 1902.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR ENCLOSING EIGHT BALCONIES AND EXTENDING THE ROOFS ON MALE AND FEMALE BARRACKS, ALMSHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

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

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

Bidders for this work must be engaged in and known to be well prepared to execute same in accordance with the plans and specifications, and upon demand by the Commissioner must produce proof satisfactory to said Commissioner that they possess the necessary plant, tools, materials, etc., etc., which will be required in the erection and completion of the work.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated December 8, 1902.

HOMER FOLKS,  
Commissioner.

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#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, DECEMBER 18, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works, recommending the repaving of Barrow street, from West street to a point 155 feet 8 inches easterly therefrom, being within the limits of a grant of land under water, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Greenwich District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 30th day of December, 1902, at 12.15 p. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,  
President.

GEORGE W. BLAKE,  
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 11, 1902.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1902.

No. 1. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAYED AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HOUSTON STREET FROM CROSBY STREET TO BROADWAY.

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

580 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.  
590 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.  
60 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set.  
40 linear feet old curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset.

2 noiseless covers, complete for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 10 days.

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 2. REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAYED AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF VARICK STREET FROM LAIGHT STREET TO BEACH STREET.

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

1,740 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

1,760 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

780 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set.

20 linear feet old curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset.

1 noiseless cover, complete for sewer manhole, furnished and set.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 20 days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAYED AS FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF TWENTY-THIRD STREET FROM SIXTH AVENUE TO TENTH AVENUE.

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

14,220 square yards asphalt pavement, including binder course.

11,560 square yards of old pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

360 cubic yards of concrete.

6,200 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

350 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset.

23 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

3 noiseless covers, complete, for water manholes, furnished and set.

Time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 70 days.

The amount of security required is \$10,000.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LEXINGTON AVENUE FROM NINETEENTH STREET TO NINETEENTH STREET.

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

1,160 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

180 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar used.

500 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set on concrete foundation.

100 linear feet of old curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset on concrete foundation.

2 noiseless covers, complete, for sewer manholes, to be furnished and set.

2 noiseless covers, complete, for water manholes, to be furnished and set.

Time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 15 working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure. 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 Highways, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JACOB A. CANTOR,  
Borough President.

The City of New York, December 11, 1902.

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

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 11, 1902.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR AN EXTENSION TO OUTLET SEWER AT THE FOOT OF WEST SEVENTY-SECOND STREET.

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

371 linear feet of wooden barrel sewer, of 4 feet interior diameter, Class I.

79 linear feet of brick sewer, of 4 feet interior diameter, Class II.

1½ cubic yards of brickwork, laid in cement mortar, for retaining wall.

1 6-inch by 12-inch bluestone coping, 6 feet 2 inches long.

Time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR SEWERS IN BROADWAY, EAST AND WEST SIDES, BETWEEN TWENTY-EIGHTH AND TWENTY-NINTH STREETS.

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

400 linear feet of brick sewer, of 3 feet 3 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class I.

21 linear feet of brick sewer, of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class II.

500 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.

20,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

421 linear feet of fencing.

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

The amount of the security required is thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500).

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

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

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

JACOB A. CANTOR,  
Borough President.

The City of New York, December 11, 1902.

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

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 11, 1902.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS, TOOLS, ETC., 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 delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by December 31, 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price of 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.

JACOB A. CANTOR,  
Borough President.

The City of New York, December 11, 1902.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1902.

FOR PRINTING AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY AND PRINTED SUPPLIES FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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

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

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

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

PARKER P. SIMMONS,  
Superintendent of School Supplies.

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

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

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, 1903.

The amount of the security required is:

Borough of Manhattan.

1 stage, P. S. No. 52, \$600.

5 stages, P. S. No. 132, \$3,000.

Borough of Bronx.

1 stage, P. S. No. 66, \$800.

3 stages, P. S. No. 66, \$2,400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 99, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 99, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 101, \$400.

2 stages, P. S. No. 146, \$800.

Borough of Queens.

1 stage, P. S. No. 11, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 26, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 32, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 33, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 36, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 36, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 37, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 38, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 39, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 44, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 44, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 70, \$400.

1 stage, P. S. No. 70, \$400.

Borough of Richmond.

1 stage, P. S. No. 31, \$400.

1 stage, H. S. Stapleton, \$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.

PARKER P. SIMMONS,  
Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 18, 1902.

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

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1902.

FOR DELIVERING SCHOOL SUPPLIES TO THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

The amount of security required is for the several boroughs as follows: Manhattan and Bronx, \$3,000; Brooklyn, \$2,000; Queens, \$1,000; Richmond, \$750.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be 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 at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

PARKER P. SIMMONS,  
Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 17, 1902.

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

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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 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW P. S. 34, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FINGERBOARD ROAD, BETWEEN GRANT AND SHERMAN AVENUES, FORT WADSWORTH, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as follows:

First—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by October 1, 1903.

Second—Proposals will be received



HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, COMMENCING AT A POINT 105 FEET WEST OF SECOND AVENUE AND EXTENDING WEST ON ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET 50 FEET, AND THE FULL DEPTH OF SAID LOTS AT REAR OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 121, ON EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.  
The amount of security required is \$3,000.

#### Borough of Queens.

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, JOHNSON, BETWEEN STUART AND JAMAICA AVENUES, RICHMOND HILL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is \$500.  
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump sum for 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, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, and No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated December 18, 1902.

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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 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 145, ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF CENTRAL AVENUE AND NOLL STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as follows:  
First—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by November 1, 1903.  
Second—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by March 1, 1904.  
The amount of security required is \$90,000.

#### Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF 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 as follows:  
First—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by November 1, 1903.  
Second—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by March 1, 1904.  
The amount of security required is \$100,000.

#### Borough of Queens.

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, JOHNSON, BETWEEN STUART AND JAMAICA AVENUES, RICHMOND HILL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is sixty working days.  
The amount of security required is \$2,500.  
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.  
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, and No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated December 17, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d16,20

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 12 o'clock noon, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 144, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF HOWARD AVENUE, BETWEEN PROSPECT PLACE AND ST. MARK'S AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time to complete the whole work will be as follows:  
First—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by September 1st, 1903.  
Second—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by January 1st, 1904.  
The amount of security required is \$75,000.

#### Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR ERECTING PARTITIONS IN THE FOURTH STORY ASSEMBLY ROOM OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 14, NO. 225 EAST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is twenty-five working days.  
The amount of security required is \$1,800.  
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.  
C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated December 13, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d12,24

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 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, NEW P. S. 130, SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FORT HAMILTON AVENUE, BETWEEN OCEAN PARKWAY AND EAST FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is ninety working days.  
Amount of security required is \$5,000.

#### Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, NEW P. S. 188, EAST HOUSTON, LEWIS, MANHATTAN, AND EAST THIRD STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is ninety working days.  
Amount of security required is \$26,000.

#### Borough of Queens.

No. 3. REPAIRS, ETC., P. S. 44, BOULEVARD AND ACADEMY AVENUE, ROCKAWAY BEACH, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is sixty working days.  
Amount of security required is \$1,400.

No. 4. ALTERATIONS, ETC., P. S. 47, HILL SIDE, BETWEEN UNION AND HARDENBROOK AVENUES, JAMAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is sixty working days.  
Amount of security required is \$1,000.  
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, and No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.  
C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated December 11, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d10,22

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 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

#### Borough of Manhattan.

No. 5. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 24, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, 155 FEET WEST OF SECOND AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

First—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by October 1st, 1903.  
Second—Proposals will be received for the completion of the work by February 1st, 1904.  
The amount of security required is \$60,000.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump sum.  
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 11, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d10,22

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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

#### Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING BUILDING AND INSTALLING A NEW BOILER AND APPURTENANCES AT THE PUMPING STATION OF THE TOTTENVILLE WATER WORKS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and fifty days.  
The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.  
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row, Room 1521.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE,  
Commissioner.  
Dated December 18, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d19,12

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING SUPERHEATERS, FURNACES AND ALL APPURTENANCES COMPLETE, IN THE PUMPING STATIONS AT NINETY-EIGHTH STREET AND AT ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET.

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

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.  
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row, Room 1521.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE,  
Commissioner.  
Dated December 17, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d17,30

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN GRAVESEND, TWENTY-THIRD, TWELFTH, BUSHWICK, FOUNTAIN, NORWOOD, NEWPORT, HOPKINSON, PITKIN, SUTLER, EAST NEW YORK, SARATOGA, TWENTY-FIFTH, BLAKE, DOMONT, OCEAN, NEW UTRECHT, WILLIAMS, SCHENCK, VESL, BELMONT, RIVERDALE, RAILROAD, STONE, LIBERTY, GREENE, ALBANY, SEVENTEENTH, FOURTH AND THIRD AVENUES, IN AVENUES, P. O. R. 1, J. L. U AND T; IN EAST EIGHTEENTH, EAST NINETEENTH, EAST TWENTY-FIRST, EAST TWENTY-SECOND, EAST TWENTY-THIRD, EAST TWENTY-FOURTH, WEST SEVENTEENTH, EIGHTY-SECOND, FIFTIETH, FIFTY-SIXTH, BAY THIRTY-SEVENTH, HANCOCK, LINDEN, M'KIBBEN, CLEVELAND, DOUGLASS, AMES, AMBOY, NINETY-FOURTH, DEAN, HUNTINGTON, FOURTH, SACKETT, OSBORN, SIXTY-FIFTH, SIXTY-EIGHTH, SIXTY-NINTH, SEVENTIETH, SEVENTY-FIRST, SEVENTY-SECOND, SEVENTY-THIRD, HINSDALE, CHRISTOPHER, UNION, FORTY-EIGHTH, BRIDGE, THIRTY-NINTH, NINETEENTH, HINROD, FIFTY-FOURTH, FIFTY-FIFTH, EIGHTY-FIFTH, HAUSMAN, EAST SEVENTH, EAST EIGHTH AND SEVENTH, EAST NINTH STREETS, IN KINGS HIGHWAY, IN GILLEN, JARDINE, HANSON AND WINDSOR PLACES, AND AT THE NEW LOTS RESERVOIR.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred and fifty (250) days.  
The amount of security required is twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING A 30-INCH CAST IRON FORCE MAIN, TOGETHER WITH ALL ITS APPURTENANCES COMPLETE, ALONG UNDERHILL AVENUE, FROM THE MOUNT PROSPECT PUMPING STATION TO THE HIGH SERVICE TOWER AND RESERVOIR; ALSO A 12-INCH CAST IRON PIPE TOGETHER WITH ALL ITS APPURTENANCES COMPLETE, ALONG EASTERN PARKWAY, FROM UNDERHILL AVENUE TO BEDFORD AVENUE; ALSO AN 8-INCH CAST IRON PIPE, TOGETHER WITH ALL ITS APPURTENANCES COMPLETE, ALONG THE PLAZA AND VANDERBILT AVENUE, FROM FLATBUSH AVENUE TO BERGEN STREET.

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

The amount of security required is seven thousand dollars (\$7,000).  
The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per pound, ton, foot, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row, or at the office of the Deputy Commissioner, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.  
ROBERT GRIER MONROE,  
Commissioner.  
Dated December 15, 1902.

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

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

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Borough of Queens.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN NINTH, HANCOCK, FOURTEENTH, FRONT, HONEYWELL, HULST, BUCKLEY AND QUEENS STREETS, AND IN SKILLMAN, JACKSON, EAST AND MIDDLEBURG AVENUES.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required is seven thousand dollars (\$7,000).  
The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per pound, ton, foot, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.  
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department, Room 1521.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE,  
Commissioner.  
Dated December 15, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d16,30

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

#### Borough of Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN NORTH WASHINGTON PLACE, TITUS, LATHROP, POMEROY, ALBERT, PURDY, ACADEMY, NORTH WILLIAM AND NORTH HENRY STREETS; IN NINTH, FIFTH, HOYT, DIMARS, DEBEVOISE AND GRAM AVENUES; IN BROADWAY, AND IN NEWTOWN ROAD.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred days.  
The amount of security required is eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN TWENTY-NINTH STREET, ELEVENTH AVENUE AND SEVENTH AVENUE, WHITESTONE, THIRD WARD, AND IN FOURTEENTH STREET AND ITS CONTINUATION, WILLETS POINT ROAD, THIRD WARD, AND IN PROSPECT AVENUE, SIXTEENTH STREET, SANFORD AVENUE AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, FLUSHING, THIRD WARD.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighty (80) days.  
The amount of security required is five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

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

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.  
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department, Room 1521.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE,  
Commissioner.  
Dated December 15, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record." d16,30

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

##### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.  
BOONE STREET—SEWER, from West Farms road to Freeman street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Boone street, between West Farms road and Freeman street; also, both sides of West Farms road, between Boone and Freeman streets; also, Lots Nos. 1 to 11, both inclusive, in Block No. 3007; also, Lots Nos. 78 and 79, in Block No. 3006.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.  
WALTON AVENUE—SEWER, from Belmont to Rockwood street; also ROCKWOOD STREET—SEWER, from Walton avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Area of assessment: Both sides of Walton avenue, between Belmont and Rockwood streets; both sides of Hawthorne and Rockwood streets, between Walton avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; Lots Nos. 10, 20, 31 and 37, in Block No. 2836; Lot No. 25, in Block No. 2837, and Lots Nos. 54, 56, 61 and 63, in Block No. 2845.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, from Belmont avenue to Arthur avenue; also ARTHUR AVENUE—SEWER, between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Pelham avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Belmont avenue to Hoffman street; both sides of Arthur avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to Pelham avenue; both sides of Hughes avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to a point distant about 330 feet north of Pelham avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Hughes avenue to Hoffman street; both sides of Pelham avenue, from Belmont avenue to Lorillard place; both sides of One Hundred and Ninety-first street, from Hughes avenue to Hoffman street; both sides of Hoffman street, from Pelham avenue to One Hundred and Ninety-first street; east side of Hoffman street, from One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Pelham avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 16, 1902, and entered on December 17, 1902, 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 1010 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 16, 1903, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 17, 1902.  
d19,13

##### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comp-



troller 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:

#### SECOND WARD, SECTION 1.

PROSPECT STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Jay street and Bridge street; also, JAY STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Prospect street and Sands street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 6 in block No. 78.

#### SEVENTH WARD.

DOWNING STREET—FLAGGING, west side, at the foot of Quincy street; also QUINCY STREET—FLAGGING, north side, at the foot of Downing street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 114 in block No. 74.

#### EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FORTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING LOTS, south side, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue. Area of assessment: Lots No. 37 and 40 in block No. 719.

FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING LOT, north side, between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 57 in block No. 757.

#### FOURTEENTH WARD.

GRAND STREET—BASIN, at the intersection of the northern side of the plaza and the easterly curb line of River street. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 6 to 13, both inclusive, in block No. 4.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

DEAN STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Buffalo avenue and Rochester avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 79, 101, 118, 175 and 176 in block No. 186.

ROCKAWAY AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Dean street and Bergen street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 4 in block No. 234.

#### TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

McDONOUGH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 120 and 129 in block No. 58.

#### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

ARLINGTON AVENUE—FLAGGING, south side, between Bradford street and Wyona street; also, BRADFORD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Arlington avenue and Fulton street. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 7 and 8 in block No. 206.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Atlantic avenue and Liberty avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 8, 9, 17 and 22 in block No. 338.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Atlantic avenue and Liberty avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 34, 40, 41 and 42 in block No. 362.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Fulton street and Folsom place. Area of assessment: Lot No. 1 in block No. 323A.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Liberty avenue and Glenmore avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 7 and 13 in block No. 261.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Liberty avenue and Glenmore avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 24 in block No. 365.

#### TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

BLEECKER STREET—GRADING LOT, southeast side, between Irving avenue and Wyckoff avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 8 in block No. 88.

EVERGREEN AVENUE—FLAGGING, northeast side, between Schaeffer street and Decatur street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 94 in block No. 172.

GATES AVENUE—FLAGGING, northwest side, between Central avenue and Hamburg avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 42 in block No. 49.

HAMBURG AVENUE—FLAGGING, southwest side, between Bleecker street and Greene avenue; also, BLEECKER STREET—FLAGGING, northwest side, between Hamburg avenue and Central avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 40 in block No. 45.

HAMBURG AVENUE—FLAGGING, northeast side, between Putnam avenue and Madison street; also, PUTNAM AVENUE—FLAGGING, northwest side, between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 114 in block No. 68.

#### THIRTIETH WARD.

EIGHTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-first street, between Second and Third avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 11, 1902, and entered on December 12, 1902, 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 1010 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. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 10, 1903, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 12, 1902.

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#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the

assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named streets in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET—OPENING, from Third avenue to Park avenue. Confirmed October 14, 1902; entered December 12, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point in the southeasterly line of old Park avenue midway between East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; running thence southeasterly along the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with the easterly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along said easterly line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence southeasterly along said southeasterly line to its intersection with a line parallel to the easterly line of Third avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Bathgate avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to its intersection with the easterly line of Third avenue; thence northwesterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Washington avenue with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street; thence still northwesterly along said prolongation and middle line to the southeasterly line of Park avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly line to the point of place of beginning.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET—OPENING, from Katonah avenue to the northern boundary of the city. Confirmed October 20, 1902; entered December 12, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Forty-first street and East Two Hundred and Forty-second street, with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Mount Vernon avenue; running thence northerly along said parallel line to the northern boundary of The City of New York; thence southeasterly along the northern boundary of The City of New York to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Forty-first street and East Two Hundred and Forty-second street; thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to the point of place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinabove 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 one hundred and fifty-nine 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. to 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 10, 1903, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 12, 1902.

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#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE assessment roll in the following entitled matter has been completed and will be due and payable on the 15th instant, and the authority for the collection of the same has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessment are required to pay the same without delay at his office, Rooms 1 and 3, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Assessment for benefit from PROSPECT PARK (FOR LANDS TAKEN), under chapter 244, Laws of 1878; twenty-fifth installment.

#### EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, as amended by chapter 888, Laws of 1895; chapter 775, Laws of 1896, and section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, amendatory thereof.

On all \* \* \* assessments which shall be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum for the unexpired portion thereof. On all \* \* \* assessments \* \* \* paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable, there shall be added to and collected as part of every such \* \* \* assessment \* \* \* interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable to the date of said payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 13, 1902.

d15,29

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE assessment rolls in the following entitled matters have been completed and will be due and

payable on the 15th instant, and the authority for the collection of the same has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office, Rooms 1 and 3, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Sewer Map N, District 29—Assessment for sewers in the Eighth Ward, under chapter 365, Laws of 1899; chapter 452, Laws of 1890, and chapter 520, Laws of 1895; eighth installment.

Main sewers in Map S, Drainage District No. 39, under chapter 516, Laws of 1896, assessed upon the District in the Twenty-sixth Ward and parts of Wards Twenty-four, Twenty-five, Twenty-eight and Twenty-nine; sixth installment.

#### EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, as amended by chapter 888, Laws of 1895, and section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, amendatory thereof.

On all \* \* \* assessments which shall be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum for the unexpired portion thereof. On all \* \* \* assessments \* \* \* paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable, there shall be added to and collected as part of every such \* \* \* assessment \* \* \* interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable to the date of said payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 13, 1902.

d15,29

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

#### TWENTY-FOURTH AND TWENTY-NINTH WARDS.

MONTGOMERY STREET—OPENING, from the division line between the former City of Brooklyn and Town of Flatbush to East New York avenue. Confirmed November 25, 1902; entered December 11, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Pine place at the centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Sullivan street, as said place and streets are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission of the County of Kings; running thence easterly along said centre line of the block to the easterly line of Nostrand avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Nostrand avenue to the centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Malbone street, as said streets cross Nostrand avenue; running thence easterly along the said centre line, and in a straight line as the same would be continued, to the easterly side of New York avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of New York avenue to the centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Malbone street; thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Malbone street and along the centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Lefferts place to the northerly side of East New York avenue; thence easterly along the northerly side of East New York avenue to the northwesterly corner of East New York avenue and Montgomery street; running thence northerly and parallel with Utica avenue to the centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Crown street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Montgomery street and Crown street to a point opposite the easterly side of Pine place; running thence southerly and along a line drawn in prolongation of the easterly side of Pine place to the point of place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, 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 9, 1903, 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,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 11, 1902.

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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 THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. GARDEN STREET—SEWER, between Crotona avenue and Southern boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Garden street, between Crotona avenue and Southern boulevard; south side of Garden street, between Crotona avenue and Grote street; also, Lot No. 4 in Block No. 308A.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, from Southern

Boulevard to the street summit situated west of Marmion avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, between Southern Boulevard and a point situated about 297 feet westerly from Marmion avenue; both sides of Marmion avenue; Vineyard place; Mohegan avenue; Waterloo place and Irtalgar place, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—SEWER, between Southern Boulevard and Adams place; also, PROSPECT AVENUE—SEWER, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to Grote street. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, between Southern Boulevard and Adams place; both sides of Prospect avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-third and Grote streets; also block bounded by One Hundred and Eighty-third street, Grote street, Beaumont avenue and Crotona avenue, known as Block No. 3101.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 9, 1902, and entered on December 10, 1902, 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 9, 1903, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 10, 1902.

d12,26

#### 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 BROOKLYN:

#### THIRTIETH WARD.

FORTIETH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, both sides, between New Utrecht and Fort Hamilton avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 98 in Block No. 141; Lots Nos. 3, 60, 70 and 71, in Block No. 142; Lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block No. 224; also, Lots Nos. 26 to 34, both inclusive, in Block No. 225.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 9, 1902, and entered on December 10, 1902, 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 9, 1903, 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,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 10, 1902.

d12,26

#### 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 SIXTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from Amsterdam avenue to Edgecombe avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Amsterdam avenue and Edgecombe road, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenue and road.

#### NINTH AND FIFTEENTH WARDS, SECTION 2.

WEST STREET—SEWER, between West Eleventh street and Horatio street; also WASHINGTON STREET—SEWER, between Jane street and West Twelfth street; also, ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO CONNECTING SEWERS IN BANK, BETHUNE, WEST TWELFTH, JANE, HORATIO, WASHINGTON AND GANSEVOORT STREETS AND THIRTEENTH AVENUE. Area of assessment: East side of West street, from West Eleventh street to Gansevoort street; east side of Thirteenth avenue, from Gansevoort street to Loew avenue; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Gansevoort street to Little West Twelfth street; east side of Tenth avenue, extending about 103 feet north of



Little West Twelfth street; both sides of Washington street, from West Eleventh street to Little West Twelfth street; west side of Washington street, from Little West Twelfth street to Thirteenth street; both sides of Greenwich street, from West Eleventh to Little West Twelfth street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Little West Twelfth street to Thirteenth street; both sides of Hudson street, from West Eleventh street to Eighth avenue; both sides of Eighth avenue, from Hudson street to West Fourteenth street; both sides of West Fourth street, from West Eleventh street to Thirteenth street; both sides of Greenwich street, from Bank street to West Thirteenth street; both sides of Seventh avenue, from West Twelfth street to West Fourteenth street; both sides of Sixth avenue, from West Thirteenth street to West Fourteenth street; west side of Fifth avenue, from West Thirteenth street to West Fourteenth street; both sides of Bank street, from West street to Greenwich avenue; both sides of Bethune street, from West street to Hudson street; both sides of West Twelfth street, from West street to Sixth avenue; both sides of Jane street, from West street to Greenwich avenue; both sides of Horatio street, from West street to Greenwich avenue; both sides of Gansevoort street, from West street to Thirteenth street; both sides of Little West Twelfth street, from Tenth avenue to Hudson street; both sides of Thirteenth street, from Gansevoort street to Sixth avenue; north side of Thirteenth street, from Sixth avenue to Fifth avenue; south side of Fourteenth street, from Sixth avenue to Fifth avenue; south side of Fourteenth street, extending about 339 feet west of Sixth avenue; both sides of Bloomfield street, extending about 235 feet west of Tenth avenue; both sides of Loew avenue, Hewitt avenue, Thompson avenue and Grace avenue, from Tenth avenue to Thirteenth avenue.

—That the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 9, 1902, and entered on December 10, 1902, 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 in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon, on or before February 9, 1903, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 10, 1902.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

##### EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets. Area of assessment: Lot No. 2, in Block No. 913.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Fiftieth and Fifty-first streets. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 7 and 8, in Block No. 792.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 2, 5 and 8, in Block No. 800.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 5, 8 and 9, in Block No. 808.

FORTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; also FORTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 1, 18, 47 and 48, in Block No. 747.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 12 and 35, in Block No. 774.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 48, 49, 53, and 56 to 62, both inclusive, in Block No. 765.

FORTY-NINTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 38, in Block No. 784.

FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 72, in Block No. 832.

##### NINTH WARD, SECTION 4.

SACKETT STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 22, in Block No. 952.

##### TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 3.

PROSPECT AVENUE—FLAGGING, south side, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park West. Area of assessment: Lot No. 12, in Block No. 870.

TWENTY-SECOND STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 17, in Block No. 900.

##### TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

FOURTH AVENUE—FENCING, east side, between Union and President streets; also, UNION STREET—FENCING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; also, PRESIDENT STREET—FENCING, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 1, 4 and 12, in Block No. 955.

##### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—FENCING, north side, between Sumner and Lewis avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 18 to 21, both inclusive, and 114 to 118, both inclusive, in Block No. 80.

##### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

PACIFIC STREET—FENCING, south side, between Brooklyn and Kingston avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 85, in Block No. 95.

##### TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

CHAUNCEY STREET—FENCING, south side, between Hopkinson and Saratoga avenues; also, HOPKINSON AVENUE—FENCING, west side, between Chauncey and Marion streets. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 1 and 79, in Block No. 95.

HERKIMER STREET—FENCING, north side, between Ralph and Howard avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 9 and 10, in Block No. 65.

HULL STREET—FENCING, north side, between Rockaway and Stone avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 15 and 17, in Block No. 122.

MARION STREET—FENCING, north side, between Saratoga and Hopkinson avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 82, in Block No. 95.

PATCHEN AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between Chauncey and Bainbridge streets. Area of assessment: Lot No. 177, in Block No. 16.

SUMPTER STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fulton street and Patchen avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 6, in Block No. 18.

##### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

CLEVELAND STREET—FENCING, east side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 42 and 43, in Block No. 318.

##### TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.

HART STREET—FENCING, northwest side, between Central and Hamburg avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 18, 19 and 65, in Block No. 65.

##### TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

HAMBURG AVENUE—FENCING, northeast side, between Jefferson avenue and Cornelia street; also, CORNELIA STREET—FENCING, southeast side, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues; also, JEFFERSON AVENUE—FENCING, northwest side, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 7 and 16, in Block No. 195.

—That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 4, 1902, and entered on December 5, 1902, 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 in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon, on or before February 3, 1903, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 5, 1902.

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

##### TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—OPENING, from Hamilton Terrace to Convent avenue. Confirmed October 20, 1902; entered December 3, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the centre of the block between Convent avenue, Amsterdam avenue, West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence easterly along the centre line of the block between West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and its prolongation to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the centre line of the block between St. Nicholas avenue and Hamilton Terrace; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and centre line to its intersection with the centre line between West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly along said centre line to its intersection with the centre line of the block between Hamilton Terrace and Convent avenue; thence northerly along said centre line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the centre line of the block between West One Hundred and Forty-third street and West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and centre line to its intersection with the centre line of the block between Convent avenue and Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly along said centre line to its intersection with the centre line of the block between West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, being the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date herein above given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine 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 2, 1903, 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 3, 1902.

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

##### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

ANDREWS AVENUE—OPENING, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eightieth street. Confirmed October 20, 1902; entered December 3, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street lying westerly from Aqueduct avenue with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Aqueduct avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along and parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 180 feet northerly from the northerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Eightieth street lying westerly from Aqueduct avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Loring place and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of Burnside avenue; thence southerly on a line parallel to Andrews avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation easterly to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles and Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon, on or before February 2, 1903, 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 3, 1902.

BRYAN L. KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

#### 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

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1903.

at 12 o'clock m., at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the following described real estate belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, viz.:

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of North Moore street with the easterly line of Varick street, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of Varick street 87 feet 2 inches; thence easterly on a line nearly at right angles with Varick street 25 feet 7 1/2 inches to a point which is distant 87 feet 2 inches at right angles from the southerly line of North Moore street; thence northerly on a line parallel to Varick street 24 feet 4 1/2 inches to a point which is distant 82 feet 8 inches at right angles from the southerly line of North Moore street; thence northerly on a line nearly parallel to Varick street 7 feet 8 inches to a point which is distant 40 feet 1 1/2 inches at right angles from the easterly line of Varick street; thence southeasterly 76 feet 1 inch to a point to the westerly line of West Broadway which is distant 115 feet 5 1/2 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of North Moore street, with the westerly line of West Broadway; thence northeasterly along the westerly line of West Broadway 25 feet 2 inches; thence northeasterly 50 feet 6 1/2 inches to a point which is distant 58 feet 10 1/2 inches at right angles

from the southerly line of North Moore street; thence northerly on a line nearly parallel with Varick street 58 feet 10 1/2 inches to a point in the southerly line of North Moore street which is distant 75 feet 1/2 inch from the point of intersection of the easterly line of Varick street with the southerly line of North Moore street; thence along the southerly line of North Moore street in a westerly direction 75 feet 1/2 inch to the intersection of the easterly line of Varick street with the southerly line of North Moore street, being the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten per cent. of the amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees, at the time of the sale; thirty per cent. upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be thirty days from the date of the sale; the remaining sixty per cent. either to be paid at the date of the delivery of the deed or at the option of the purchaser to remain on bond and mortgage for five years, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgage to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax clause.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time within the term thereof, on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or may be paid in installments of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) on any day when interest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bond and mortgage will be prepared by the Corporation Counsel, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording the same.

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.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, after December 5, 1902.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held November 26, 1902.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 4, 1902.

BRYAN L. KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

#### 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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1902.

at 12 o'clock m., at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, certain premises situated in the Borough of The Bronx, and described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land acquired by The City of New York, in a proceeding to obtain lands for the purposes of a reservoir, under the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which piece of land cannot be utilized for such purposes, the same being known and designated on the Tax Maps of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx as Lot 30, in Block 3205 of Section 11, and which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Davidson avenue with the southerly line of Kingsbridge road, as said avenue and road are shown on Section 16 of the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and running thence southerly along the westerly line of Davidson avenue two and thirty-one hundredths feet to the old Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along the old Kingsbridge road four and nine one-hundredths feet to a deflection in the old Kingsbridge road; thence westerly and continuing along the old Kingsbridge road seventeen and twenty-two one-hundredths feet to the southerly line of Kingsbridge road as now established; thence easterly along the southerly line of the said Kingsbridge road twenty-one and sixty-two one-hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning, containing thirty and eighty-nine one-hundredths square feet, be the said several dimensions more or less; together with all the right, title and interest of The City of New York, if any, in and to the old Kingsbridge road lying between the westerly line of Davidson avenue and a line drawn parallel with and 100 feet westerly therefrom, and the southerly line of Kingsbridge road, as now established.

The purchaser to assume all existing assessments upon the property at the time of taking title.

The City's interest in said premises to be sold upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder for said parcel will be required to pay 10 per cent. of the amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale.

The deed for the premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale. The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Room 53, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted November 26, 1902.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 4, 1902.

#### INTEREST ON BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON JANUARY 1, 1903, on the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office, Room 39, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from December 15, 1902, to January 1, 1903.

The interest due on January 1, 1903, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

The interest due January 1, 1903, on the Coupon Bonds of Corporations in Queens and Richmond counties will be received on that day for payment by the Comptroller at his office, Room 39, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 29, 1902.



DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET, STEWART BUILDING, NEW YORK, December 1, 1902.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1902, to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes at his office in the borough in which the property is located as follows:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.  
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, corner Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, Rooms Nos. 2, 4, 6 and 8, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
BOROUGH OF QUEENS, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.  
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, corner Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton, Staten Island, N. Y.

—before the 1st day of January, 1903, as provided by section 919 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).  
Upon any such tax not paid before the 1st day of December, 1902, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof. Upon such tax remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1903, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, as provided in section 916 of the Greater New York Charter, to be calculated from the 6th day of October, 1902, on which day the tax became due and payable and became a lien as provided in section 914 of the said Charter.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

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#### NOTICE OF THE REDEMPTION OF BONDS OF THE LATE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE holders of Four Per Cent. Arrearage Bonds (10-408), issued in the year 1883, by the late City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 572 of the Laws of 1880, and of chapter 443 of the Laws of 1881, payable July 1, 1903, and redeemable at any time after ten years after the date of their issue (July 1, 1893), that, in accordance with the terms of their issue, I will redeem said bonds on February 2, 1903, at my office (Room 39), in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and that on that day said bonds will cease to bear interest.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 23, 1902.

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations at least two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close.

Persons desiring application blanks may obtain the same by applying to the office of the Commission, either in person or in writing, stating in each case the position or positions for which they wish to apply.

When application is made for a position for which no examination is scheduled, the name of the applicant will be recorded and an application blank sent, when a date for such examination is fixed.

All notices of examination will be posted and advertised. Such notices will state the scope of the examination, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Regulation adopted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission at the meeting held November 19, 1902.

#### APPEALS.

No candidate for a position for which a physical examination is required who is rejected or who fails to appear on the date set, shall be again examined within nine months, unless by order of the Commission. A candidate asking a new examination shall be required to submit to the Commission an affidavit stating the reasons for which such examination is asked, and if such reasons be that the candidate's physical disability was temporary, the affidavit must be accompanied by a physician's certificate showing explicitly that the disability has been wholly remedied.

A candidate who has been notified of the result of his examination may, upon personal application to the Chief Examiner or other person duly authorized by the Commission, and on presentation of his notice, be entitled to see his papers and the ratings thereon.

No appeal from the ratings of examiners will be considered unless the grounds on which it is based are stated specifically and in full, in writing, and unless it is presented within fifteen days after the applicant has been notified of the result of his examination.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE,  
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, December 11, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an open competitive examination will be held for the following positions:

SUPERINTENDENT OF HOSPITALS—Monday, December 29, 1902, at 10 a. m.  
The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, December 26, 1902, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Special paper ..... 6  
Experience ..... 4

Candidates will be required to obtain 70 per cent. in the examination.

Candidates will be required to show experience in the management of hospitals and kindred institutions.

Under the head of "Special Paper" candidates will be required to answer questions regarding the duties appertaining to the administration of hospitals and kindred institutions.

The salaries attached to the positions in the service of the City range from \$1,950 to \$4,000 per annum, with maintenance.

APOTHECARY (FIRST GRADE)—Tuesday, December 30, 1902, at 10 a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, December 26, 1902, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Technical knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Arithmetic ..... 1  
Handwriting ..... 1

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the technical paper.

The salary attached to the position ranges from \$750 per annum, or less with maintenance.

#### TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN (FIRST TO FOURTH GRADES, INCLUSIVE)—

Thursday, January 15, 1903, at 10 a. m.  
The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Monday, January 12, 1903, at 4 p. m.  
The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Technical knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Handwriting ..... 1  
Arithmetic ..... 1

The minimum per cent. required to pass on the "technical" paper is 75. There is at present a large number of vacancies in the City Departments paying \$1,200 per annum. Persons who obtain a place on the eligible list as a result of this examination are sure to receive appointment in the early part of the year 1903.

Vacancies in the higher grades are filled by promotion of those persons occupying positions in the lower grades and who have served six months in the Department.

Persons desiring applications and further information should communicate with the Secretary of the Commission.

The additional examination for Topographical Draughtsman is held for the reason that an insufficient number of persons made application for the examination held December 11, and it is desired that at least 100 applications be filed for this position.

LUMBER INSPECTOR—Friday, January 16, 1903, at 10 a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Monday, January 12, 1903, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Special paper ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Handwriting ..... 1  
Arithmetic ..... 1

Candidates will be required to obtain 70 per cent. in the examination.

Compensation at the rate of 60 cents per hour while employed.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE,  
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, December 3, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

INSPECTOR OF LAMPS AND GAS—Friday, December 26, 1902, at 10 a. m. Annual compensation, \$1,000.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Monday, December 22, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Technical knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Handwriting ..... 1  
Arithmetic ..... 1

The minimum per cent. required to pass on the "technical" paper is 75.

Candidates will be required to pass a physical examination.

At present there are two vacancies in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

INSPECTOR OF ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND CONDUCTORS (4th Grade)—Monday, December 22, 1902, at 10 a. m. Annual compensation, \$1,250.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Wednesday, December 17, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Technical knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Handwriting ..... 1  
Arithmetic ..... 1

The minimum per cent. required to pass on the "technical" paper is 75.

Candidates will be required to pass a physical examination.

Vacancies at present exist in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

MECHANICAL ENGINEER (10th Grade)—Wednesday, December 24, 1902, at 10 a. m. Annual compensation, \$2,100.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, December 19, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Technical knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Handwriting ..... 1  
Arithmetic ..... 1

The minimum per cent. required to pass on the "technical" paper is 75.

Candidates should be graduates of some school of mechanical engineering of recognized standing, and should have had at least seven years' practical experience in modern drawing-room and shop practice, and should be especially familiar with machine design, resistance of materials and thermodynamics.

Persons securing a place on the eligible list as a result of this examination will be certified to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE,  
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, November 28, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

INSPECTOR OF TENEMENTS (female, fourth grade), Friday, December 19, 1902, at 10 a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Monday, December 15, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Special knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Arithmetic ..... 1  
Handwriting ..... 1

The principal subjects under the head of "special knowledge" will be (1) knowledge of the Tenement-house Law; (2) knowledge of the Sanitary Code and of the principles of sanitation; and (3) general information on tenement conditions.

The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,200 per annum.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE,  
Secretary.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN—Monday, January 19, 1903, at 10 a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Thursday, January 15, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.  
Technical knowledge ..... 6  
Experience ..... 2  
Handwriting ..... 1  
Arithmetic ..... 1

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the technical paper.

This examination will be divided into two parts, as follows:  
First Grade, at a salary of \$750 per annum or less.

"Third and Fourth" Grades, at a salary of more than \$750, but not more than \$1,200 per annum.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE,  
Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, 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 1 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before March 31, 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per hundred pounds, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

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

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

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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 1 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 250 PIPE HORSE COLLARS.

The time for the delivery of the above supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150 SETS SINGLE CARI

HARNESSES.

The time for the delivery of the above supplies and the performance of the contract is 60 days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item, and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

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

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

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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 1 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before March 31, 1903.

The amount of security required is \$10,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per hundred pounds, 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 the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

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

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

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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 1 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR TOWING SCOWS AND UNLOADING THEM AT RIKER'S ISLAND.

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

The amount of security required is thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars.

The bidder will state the prices per scow load for "small" scows, "large" scows, "extra large" scows, "special extra large" scows, and the prices must be written out in the bid and must also be given in figures.

From the bids so received the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, pursuant to section 544, of the Charter, select the 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 said bids.

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

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 MCGAW WOODBURY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated December 8, 1902.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following described unused property of

this Department, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, will be sold at public auction, pursuant to section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, at Stable "A" of the Department of Street Cleaning, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Friday, the 26th day of December, 1902, at 10 a. m., to wit:

100 horses, more or less.

12 sets cart harness, more or less.

4 sets cart harness, more or less.

1 lot of harness, consisting of 5 sets double truck harness, 4 sets single truck harness and 1 set hill horse harness, all more or less.

1 lot of old harness, consisting of 87 cart bridles, 153 cart saddles, 104 cart breechings, 2 cart saddle girths, 124 cart hames, 1 Dutch collar, 1 driving bridle, 3 driving saddles, 32 halters, 4 traces for double truck harness, all more or less.

253 horse collars, more or less.

1 lot consisting of 279 canvas cart covers, 25 canvas horse covers, 1 rubber horse cover, all more or less.

1 clipping machine, 7 clipping machine knives, 1 hand clipper.

1 lot consisting of 4 old fur robes and 2 lap robes, all more or less.

300 lbs. (more or less) horse hair (manes and tails only).

26 bicycles, more or less.

150 old stall guards (more or less).

250 lbs. (more or less) old rubber bicycle tires.

2,000 lbs. (more or less) old manila rope.

700 lbs. (more or less) old brass.

1 old anvil.

30 empty barrels, more or less, oil, turpentine, etc.

10 empty half barrels, more or less, oil, turpentine, etc.

1 sweeping machine.

45 old steel cart bodies, more or less.

60,000 lbs. (more or less) old tire, scrap and malleable iron.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,  
Commissioner.

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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.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as required during 1903.

The amount of the security required is four thousand dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.

The time allowed to complete the work will be as required during 1903.

The amount of the security required is three thousand dollars.



The date stipulated for the completion of the whole work is 150 working days.

The amount of the security required is six thousand dollars.

No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,000 CUBIC YARDS CRUSHED TRAP ROCK AND 3,000 CUBIC YARDS TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS ON PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 150 working days.

The amount of security required is eight thousand dollars.

No. 5. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 7,550 CUBIC YARDS OF BLUE LIMESTONE AND 6,700 CUBIC YARDS OF BLUE LIMESTONE SCREENINGS ON PARKS AND PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 200 working days.

The amount of security required is twelve thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

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

Dated, December 11, 1902.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A COMFORT STATION TO BE ERECTED AT NORTH MEADOW, CENTRAL PARK.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be six calendar months.

The amount of the security required is three thousand five hundred dollars.

No. 2. FOR REBUILDING BANK ROCK BRIDGE IN CENTRAL PARK.

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

The amount of the security required is three thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated December 10, 1902.

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

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## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

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

CHAS. D. BLATCHFORD,  
Property Clerk.

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

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

EDWARD E. DOONAN,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN accordance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, petitions signed by owners of property and residents of the Red Hook District for Local Improvements are on file in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and are ready for inspection, and that a meeting held of the Red Hook Board of Local Improvements will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, on Wednesday, December 31, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which meeting the following described petitions will be submitted to the Local Boards:

No. 1.

HAMILTON AVENUE, AMENDING PROCEEDINGS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER in Hamilton avenue, west side, between Mill street and Centre street, an outlet sewer in Court street, westerly side, from Centre street to Lorraine street, by having the proceedings read for the construction of a sewer in Hamilton avenue, west side, between Mill street and Court street, and outlet sewer in Court street, from Hamilton avenue to Lorraine street.

No. 2.

COLUMBIA STREET, CONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER in Columbia street, between Sigourney street and Bay street, and outlet sewer in Columbia street, between Bay street and Lorraine street.

No. 3.

HAMILTON AVENUE BRIDGE, ALTERING THE MAP OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK BY CHANGING THE GRADE of the approaches to the Hamilton avenue bridge over the Gowanus canal.

No. 4.

MILL STREET, REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT Mill street, between Henry street and Hicks street.

No. 5.

MILL STREET, FENCING VACANT LOTS on the south side of Mill street, between Henry street and Hicks street, known as Lots Nos. 11 and 20, Block 550, Twelfth Ward Map.

No. 6.

WARREN STREET, FENCING VACANT LOTS on the north side of Warren street, between Columbia street and Hicks street, known as Lots Nos. 1, 44 and 43, Block 299, Sixth Ward Map.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
JUSTIN MCCARTHY, Jr.,  
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN accordance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, petition signed by owners of property and residents of the Prospect Heights and Flatbush Districts for Local Improvements is on file in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and is ready for inspection, and that a joint meeting of the Prospect Heights and Flatbush Districts for Local Improvements will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, on Wednesday, December 31, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which joint meeting the following described petition will be submitted to the Local Boards:

No. 1.

TWENTIETH STREET, REGULATING AND GRADING TWENTIETH STREET, between Vanderbilt street and Tenth avenue.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
JUSTIN MCCARTHY, Jr.,  
Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN accordance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, petitions signed by owners of property and residents of the Prospect Heights District for Local Improvements are on file in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and are ready for inspection, and that a meeting of the Prospect Heights Board of Local Improvements will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, on Wednesday, December 31, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which meeting the following described petitions will be submitted to the Local Board:

No. 1.

SIXTH AVENUE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the west side of Sixth avenue, between Garfield place and First street, known as Lot No. 42, Block 965, Twenty-second Ward Map.

No. 2.

SEVENTH STREET, FLAGGING SIDEWALK on the south side of Seventh street, between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 17, 18 and 19, Block 999, Twenty-second Ward Map.

No. 3.

TWELFTH STREET, FLAGGING SIDEWALK on the north side of Twelfth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 41, 48, 50 and 56, Block 1096, Twenty-second Ward Map.

No. 4.

PROSPECT PARK WEST, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the west side of Prospect Park West, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, and on the north side of Sixteenth street, between Prospect Park West and Eighth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 38 and 40, Block 1105, Twenty-second Ward Map.

No. 5.

SEVENTEENTH STREET, FLAGGING SIDEWALK on the south side of Seventeenth street, between Seventh avenue and Eighth avenue, known as Lot No. 4, Block 875, Twenty-second Ward Map.

No. 6.

WASHINGTON AVENUE, FLAGGING SIDEWALK on the west side of Washington avenue, between Flushing and Park avenues, known as Lot No. 22, Block 9, Twentieth Ward Map.

No. 7.

PARK AVENUE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the north side of Park avenue, between Clinton and Waverly avenues, and on the east side of Clinton avenue, between Flushing and Park avenues, known as Lots Nos. 8 and 17, Block 8, Twentieth Ward Map.

No. 8.

WILLOUGHBY STREET, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the north side of Willoughby street, between St. Edwards street and Raymond street, known as Lot No. 17, Block 116, Eleventh Ward Map.

No. 9.

WASHINGTON AVENUE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the east side of Washington avenue, between St. Johns place and Degraw street, and on the north side of Degraw street, between Washington and Classon avenues, known as Lots Nos. 1, 49, 43, 39, 37 and 38, Block 1177, Ninth Ward Map.

No. 10.

PROSPECT PARK WEST, FENCING VACANT LOT on the west side of Prospect Park West, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, and on the north side of Sixteenth street, between Prospect Park West and Eighth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 38 and 40, Block 1105, Twenty-second Ward Map.

No. 11.

LINCOLN PLACE, FENCING VACANT LOTS on the south side of Lincoln place, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 11 and 12, Block 950, Ninth Ward Map.

No. 12.

ST. JOHNS PLACE, FENCING VACANT LOTS on the south side of St. Johns place, between Washington and Classon avenues, and on the east side of Washington avenue, between St. Johns place and Degraw street; also on the north side of Degraw street, between Washington avenue and Classon avenue, known as Lots Nos. 37, 39, 43, 49, 1, 13 and 14, Block 1177, Ninth Ward Map.

No. 13.

DEGRAW STREET, GRADING VACANT LOTS on the north side of Degraw street, between Washington avenue and Classon avenue, and on the east side of Washington avenue, between St. Johns place and Degraw street, known as Lots Nos. 1, 49, 43 and 39, Block 1177, Ninth Ward Map.

No. 14.

BUTLER PLACE, GRADING LOT beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of Butler place, beginning at a point 107 feet 6 1/2 inches

from the intersection of the southerly side of Sterling place with the northwesterly side of Butler place; thence running northwesterly at right angles to Butler place 75 feet 8 inches; thence southerly and parallel with Vanderbilt avenue 14 feet 6 1/2 inches; thence southeasterly and at right angles to Butler place 66 feet 2 1/2 inches to the northwesterly side of Butler place; thence northwesterly and along the northwesterly side of Butler place 11 feet 0 inches to the point or place of beginning.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
JUSTIN MCCARTHY, Jr.,  
Secretary.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR

AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER BASIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CORTELYOU ROAD AND EAST EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1 sewer basin.

The time allowed for completing the work and full performance of the contract will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required is \$70.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET BETWEEN REGENT PLACE AND ALBEMARLE ROAD, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

430 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

5 manholes.

2,500 feet board measure foundation planking.

The time allowed for completing the work and full performance of the contract will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is \$600.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN NOSTRAND AVENUE BETWEEN AVENUE C AND NEWKIRK AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

350 linear feet 36-inch brick sewer.

812 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

12 manholes.

5,500 feet board measure foundation planking.

5 cubic yards concrete.

5 cubic yards brick masonry.

The time allowed for completing the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

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

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN NEW YORK AVENUE, BETWEEN AVENUE C AND AVENUE D, AND OUTLET SEWERS IN NEW YORK AVENUE, BETWEEN AVENUE D AND NEWKIRK AVENUE, IN NEWKIRK AVENUE, BETWEEN NEW YORK AVENUE AND IN NOSTRAND AVENUE, BETWEEN NEWKIRK AVENUE AND AVENUE F, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,370 linear feet 48-inch brick sewer.

840 linear feet 36-inch brick sewer.

45 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

293 linear feet 15-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

812 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

28 manholes.

23,000 feet board measure foundation flanking.

63 of specifications).

5 cubic yards brick masonry (as per section 63 of specifications).

The time allowed for completing the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is \$8,300.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

President.

Dated December 11, 1902.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING GOWANUS CANAL, WALLABOUT CANAL, EAST RIVER, FOOT OF DIVISION AVENUE, AND NEWTOWN CREEK, FOOT OF METROPOLITAN AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of materials necessary to be dredged is as follows:

	Cu. Yds. (scow meas.)
Gowanus canal	25,000
Wallabout canal	11,000
East river, foot of Division avenue	4,000
Newtown creek, foot of Metropolitan avenue	2,000
Total	42,000

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$6,000. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

President.

Dated December 11, 1902.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BOERUM STREET, BETWEEN LEONARD STREET AND MANHATTAN AVENUE.

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

1,390 square yards of asphalt pavement.

10 square yards of adjacent pavement.

240 cubic yards of concrete.

660 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

170 linear feet of old bluestone curb, to be reset.

5 noiseless manhole covers.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HINSDALE STREET, FROM ATLANTIC AVENUE TO SUTTER AVENUE.

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

7,825 square yards of asphalt pavement.

1,090 cubic yards of concrete.

18 noiseless manhole covers.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is \$6,000.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) STONE CRUSHER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO (2) STEAM ROAD ROLLERS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or class of work contained in the specifications or schedules per linear foot or square foot or square or cubic yard.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Department Building.

J. EDW. SWANSTROM,

President.

Dated December 9, 1902.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR GENERAL REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO INTERIOR OF BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 100 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$10,000.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

President.

Dated December 9, 1902.

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Blank forms can be obtained at the Brooklyn office of the Department, No. 179 Washington street, Brooklyn.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL,  
Commissioner of Bridges.  
Dated December 16, 1902.

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### COMMISSION OF ENGINEERS.

#### COMMISSION OF ENGINEERS TO REPORT ON WATER SUPPLY.

WHEREAS, THE CITY CLUB OF THE City of New York has addressed to the Mayor a communication dated November 26, 1902, stating, among other things, that the City Club has for a long time been investigating the matter of waste and requesting a public hearing upon the subject; and

Whereas, This Commission has been instructed to investigate and report upon the subject of waste among other things,

Resolved, That a public hearing be held before this Commission at the Council Room in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Tuesday, December 23, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and that all persons interested be invited to attend and express their views to the Commission upon the subject of waste, and the best and quickest method of reducing the amount of water wasted in The City of New York.

WM. H. BURR,  
JOHN R. FREEMAN,  
RUDOLPH HERING.

December 16, 1902.

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### BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday at 10 o'clock a. m.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,  
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,  
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Westchester avenue, between Southern Boulevard and Bryant street; Bancroft street, between Westchester avenue and Whitlock street; Hoe street, between Aldus street and Bancroft street; Faile street, between Aldus street and Westchester avenue; Bryant street, between Aldus street and Westchester avenue; Longfellow street, between Aldus street and Westchester avenue; and Whitlock street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room No. 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of December, 1902, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 28th day of November, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Westchester avenue, between Southern Boulevard and Bryant street; Bancroft street, between Westchester avenue and Whitlock street; Hoe street, between Aldus street and Bancroft street; Faile street, between Aldus street and Westchester avenue; Bryant street, between Aldus street and Westchester avenue; Longfellow street, between Aldus street and Westchester avenue; and Whitlock street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

#### Technical Description

Of the changes of grades in the territory bounded by Westchester avenue, Whitlock street, Aldus street and Hoe street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

(a) Faile street—Beginning at the intersection of Faile street and Aldus street, the elevation to be 56 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(1) Thence northerly to the intersection with Bancroft street, the elevation to be 64 feet above mean high water datum;

(2) Thence northerly to the intersection with Westchester avenue, the elevation to be 68.37 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(b) Bryant street—Beginning at the intersection of Bryant street and Aldus street, the elevation to be 53 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(1) Thence northerly to a point distant 320 feet from the northerly side of Aldus street, the elevation to be 59 feet above mean high water datum;

(2) Thence northerly to the intersection with Bancroft street, the elevation to be 56 feet above mean high water datum;

(3) Thence northerly to the intersection with Westchester avenue, the elevation to be 65 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(c) Longfellow street—Beginning at the intersection of Longfellow street and Whitlock street, the elevation to be 36 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(1) Thence northerly to the intersection with Aldus street, the elevation to be 39 feet above mean high water datum;

(2) Thence northerly to the intersection with Bancroft street, the elevation to be 45 feet above mean high water datum;

(3) Thence northerly to the northeast curb intersection with Westchester avenue, the elevation to be 52 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(d) Whitlock street—Beginning at the intersection of Whitlock street and Aldus street, the elevation to be 32 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(1) Thence northerly to the intersection with Bancroft street, the elevation to be 29 feet above mean high water datum;

(2) Thence northerly to the intersection with Westchester avenue, the elevation to be 34.3 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

(c) Bancroft street—Beginning at the intersection of Bancroft street and Hoe street, the elevation to be 64 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(1) Thence easterly to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly house line of Hoe street, the elevation to be 64.75 feet above mean high water datum;

(2) Thence easterly to the intersection of Faile street, the elevation to be 64 feet above mean high water datum;

(3) Thence easterly to the intersection of Bryant street, the elevation to be 56 feet above mean high water datum;

(4) Thence easterly to the intersection of Longfellow street, the elevation to be 45 feet above mean high water datum;

(5) Thence easterly to the intersection of Whitlock street, the elevation to be 29 feet above mean high water datum.

(f) Aldus street—Beginning at the intersection of Aldus street and Bryant street, the elevation to be 53 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

(1) Thence easterly to the intersection of Longfellow street, the elevation to be 39 feet above mean high water datum;

(2) Thence easterly to the intersection of Whitlock street, the elevation to be 32 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room No. 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of December, 1902, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change of grade will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of December, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON,  
Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Attest:  
JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Assistant Secretary.

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### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1902.

#### Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 7,200 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND GRANITE, AND 1,500 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF LIMESTONE SCREENINGS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 365 calendar days.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5,000 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND GRANITE, AND 1,500 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF 4-INCH "TOMKINS COVE" (OR SIMILAR) LIMESTONE SCREENINGS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 365 calendar days.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared, which can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the President.

The samples may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL,  
President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, December 5, 1902.

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

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### 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 BROOKLYN.

List 7229, No. 1. Sewers in Ninetieth street, between Third avenue and summit 467 feet east of Third avenue; in Ninety-fourth street, between Fifth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; in Ninety-fifth street, between Fourth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; in Ninety-seventh street, between Fourth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; in Gelston avenue, between Ninety-second street and Ninety-fourth street; and an outlet sewer in Third avenue, between Ninetieth street and Ninety-second street.

List 7257, No. 2. Grading a lot at the southwest corner of Sterling place and Butler place.

List 7258, No. 3. Flagging sidewalks on the west side of Snediker avenue, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues.

List 7259, No. 4. Sewer in Eighty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7243, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in Home street, from Whitlock street to Hoe street.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 7193, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road.

#### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

List 7249, No. 7. Sewer in Hamilton avenue, from St. Marks place to Stuyvesant place, in the First Ward.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Third avenue, from Ninetieth to Ninety-second street; both sides of Ninetieth street, from Forest place to Third avenue; both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Fifth avenue; both sides of Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Fourth avenue; both sides of Gelston avenue, from Ninety-second to Ninety-fourth street.

No. 2. Southwest corner of Sterling place and Butler place, on Block 170, Lot No. 29.

No. 3. West side of Snediker avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Liberty avenue, on Block 91, Lot Nos. 23, 24, 25 and 29.

No. 4. Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Home street, from Whitlock street to Hoe street; both sides of Longfellow street, from Home street to a point distant about 265 feet north of Freeman street; both sides of Bryant street, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Freeman street; both sides of Vyse street, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to a point distant about 243 feet north of Freeman street; both sides of Freeman street, from Longfellow street to Vyse street; both sides of West Farms road, from Longfellow street to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; both sides of Westchester avenue, from Longfellow street to Whitlock street.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Hamilton avenue, from Stuyvesant place to Daniel Low terrace.

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 15, 1903, 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 16, 1902.

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### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1902.

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLING AND COMPLETING OF A FIRE ALARM SYSTEM IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

The amount of security required is \$11,000. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

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

THOMAS STURGIS,  
Commissioner.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THIRD-SIZE STEAM FIRE ENGINE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety days.

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

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

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

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

THOMAS STURGIS,  
Commissioner.

Dated December 17, 1902.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED AND BUILDING AND DELIVERING A STEEL FIREBOAT FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is two hundred and seventy (270) days.

The amount of security required is forty thousand dollars (\$40,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING AND DELIVERING FIRE PUMPS FOR A NEW FIREBOAT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) days.

The amount of security required is eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan, and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Consulting Engineer, H. de B. Parsons, No. 22 William street, in said borough.

THOMAS STURGIS,  
Commissioner.

Dated December 17, 1902.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

Borough of Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEVEN HORSES (25 PER CENT. MORE OR LESS).

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

The amount of security required is \$6,000.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOURTEEN THIRD SIZE HOSE WAGONS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 120 days.

The amount of security required is \$3,000.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEN THIRD SIZE HOOK AND LADDER TRUCKS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 120 days.

The amount of security required is \$7,500.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

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

THOMAS STURGIS,  
Commissioner.

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

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### SUPREME COURT.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the westerly side of AMSTERDAM AVENUE, between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public library, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate 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 Education 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, December 18, 1902, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us, at our office, Room No. 401, at No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the said City, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 31st day of December, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court House, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 5th day of January, 1903, 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 17, 1902.

ISAAC H. TERRELL,  
PAUL KIERNAN,  
BEVERLY R. ROBINSON,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,  
Clerk.

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### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the NEW STREET, bounded by Bridge street and Jay street, between Chapel street and Tillary street, as heretofore laid out, in the Fourth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT GEORGE S. BILLINGS and Martin F. Conly were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered the 10th day of December, 1902, and George W. Palmer was appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered the 16th day of December, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the



hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1902, on the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, December 18, 1902.

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 acquiring title to the PUBLIC PARK, bounded by Bridge street, Tillary street, Jay street and the westerly line of a new street, in the Fourth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** Andrew Lemon, William J. Buttlug and John McKeown were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered the 10th day of December, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1902, on the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, December 18, 1902.

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 acquiring title to NINETY-FIFTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton 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 31st day of December, 1901, 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 8th day of January, 1902, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in section 18, Blocks 6118, 6123, 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 XVII. 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, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 16th day of January, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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 18, 1902.

WILLIAM H. GOOD,  
GEO. S. BILLINGS,  
JOHN W. FOX,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton 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 31st day of December, 1901, 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 8th day of January, 1902, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in section 18, Blocks 6108, 6107, 6114, 6109, 6110, 6118, 6153, 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 XVII. 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, Borough Hall, 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 15th day of January, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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 18, 1902.

JOSE E. PIDGEON,  
WILLIAM L. CAREY,  
CHAS. E. FISKE,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of ITINER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Park avenue, 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 5th day of January, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of January, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 15th day of January, 1903.

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

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street with the middle line of the blocks between Webster avenue and Carter avenue; running thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the easterly line of Park avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Park avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; 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 map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of February, 1903, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 12, 1902.

FELIX H. LEVY, Chairman;  
R. J. DEAN,  
JOHN J. NEVILLE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTIETH STREET, from Fourteenth avenue to Twenty-second avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1902, 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 XVII. 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 15, 1902.

PETER F. LYNAN,  
WILLIAM SMITH,  
WILLIAM H. GREENE,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETEENTH STREET, between Vanderbilt avenue and the old city line, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1902, 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 XVII. 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 15, 1902.

FRANK REYNOLDS,  
LAWRENCE J. CUNNINGHAM,  
F. B. VAN VLECK,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from the former city line to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1902, 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 XVII. 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 15, 1902.

FREDERICK I. PEARSALE,  
GEORGE J. MAY,  
JOHN B. KEILLY,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CLINTON AVENUE, from Gates avenue to Willoughby avenue, in the Twentieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1902, 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 XVII. 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 15, 1902.

WILLIAM E. C. MAYER,  
JAMES HARDIE,  
JULIUS B. DAVENPORT,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of NOLL STREET, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MOR-**timer S. Brown, George Phillips and Edward F. Linton, who were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal by an order filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 8th day of December, 1902, will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the Hearing of Motions, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 26th day of December, 1902, at 10 o'clock, to be 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 Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated New York, December 11, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, 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 DE RUSSEY STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, 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 11th day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 18, Blocks 6097A, 6096A, 6075, 6076, 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, Borough Hall, 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 8th day of January, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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 12, 1902.

JOHN J. McLAUGHLIN,  
HARRY HOWARD DALE,  
JOHN H. DURACK,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to GUBNER STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Seventh 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 11th day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 18, Blocks 6095, 6096A, 6074 and 6075, 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, Borough Hall, 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 7th day of January, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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 12, 1902.

JAMES J. McINERNEY,  
SOLON BARBANELL,  
E. LYNDSEY BOURKE,  
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,  
Clerk.

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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of CAMELIA STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crescent avenue to Boulevard, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.



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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which with the tender envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.