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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, February 28, 1905, 1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

In the absence of the President, the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

Present:

Aldermen

Timothy P. Sullivan,
Vice-Chairman;
Charles Ahner,
Thomas F. Baldwin,
Frank Bennett,
William C. Boerner,
William J. Boyhan,
Frederick Brenner,
John J. Bridges,
John J. Callahan,
Patrick Chambers,
John V. Coggey,
John J. Collins,
Charles W. Culklin,
John R. Davies,
John Diemer,
John J. Dietz,
John H. Donohue,
John H. Dougherty,
Reginald S. Doull,
Frank L. Dowling,
Robert F. Downing,
Andrew J. Doyle,
James E. Gaffney,

Frank Gass,
John J. Gillies,
Andrew M. Gillen,
Elias Goodman,
Max S. Grifenhagen,
Henry F. Grimm,
John D. Gunther,
Ferdinand Haenlein,
John J. Haggerty,
Leopold W. Harburger,
Philip Harnischfeger,
John Hann,
Patrick Higgins,
William T. James,
Samuel H. Jones,
Patrick S. Keely,
Francis P. Kenney,
J. Richard Kevin,
Ardolph L. Kline,
Herman Koch,
Martin W. Lochner,
Frederick Lundy,
John T. McCall,
John E. McCarthy,

Patrick H. Malone,
Isaac Marks,
James Cowden Meyers,
William E. Morris,
Arthur H. Murphy,
Owen J. Murphy,
James Owens,
Pierce N. Poole,
James W. Redmond,
Frederick Richter,
John A. Schappert,
Joseph Schloss,
Cornelius A. Shea,
Peter A. Sheil,
Michael Stapleton,
Peter J. Stumpf,
Frank D. Sturges,
Moritz Tolk,
John J. Twomey,
Franklin B. Ware,
Moses J. Wafer,
William Wentz,
John Wirth.

George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond.

John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of February 21, 1905.

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

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 1145.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, }
February 28, 1905.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I return herewith, without my approval, an ordinance passed by your Honorable Body February 14, 1905, entitled:

"An Ordinance to amend section 189 of the Revised Ordinances of 1898, in relation to awnings."

The grounds on which I base my failure to approve are these:

1. There is no adequate provision for the supervision by any public body of the erections proposed to be made.
2. The approval of the Borough President is in no wise required.
3. There is no provision by which the permits herein provided for can be revoked by the Board of Aldermen at its pleasure; and
4. There is no provision for a licensee or its successors to bear any damages that may be incurred by reason of any defects in these structures.

Very respectfully,

GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to whom was referred on November 15, 1904 (Minutes, page 394), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 189 of the Revised Ordinances relative to awnings, respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 189 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, in relation to awnings.

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. Section 189 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York of 1897 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 189. Awnings of tin or other light metal, or canvas, may be erected across the sidewalk of any of the streets of The City of New York, except Broadway, Fifth avenue, Madison avenue, the Bowery and those portions of Lexington avenue which are distant 200 feet from any intersecting cross street upon which a surface car is operated, provided any and every awning shall not be higher than the floor of the second story of the building, the first floor being the ground floor, but in no case to be covered with wood; and every such awning that may be built on Lexington avenue shall be constructed of steel with glass roof, and every awning or watershed of any kind covering one-half or more than one-half, or less than the full width of the sidewalk, shall have connected therewith a gutter and leader of material and size sufficient for conducting the water from the same to the outer line of the curbstone, under a penalty of five dollars for each day such awning or watershed shall remain without such appurtenances.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ISAAC MARKS, JOHN V. COGGEY, JAMES W. REDMOND, MOSES J. WAFER, WILLIAM E. MORRIS, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1526.

"Harry" Pleines Association, }
No. 218 Eighth Avenue, New York. }

Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sirs—Our association extends to you a cordial invitation to attend its annual entertainment and ball at Lyric Hall, Sixth avenue, near Forty-second street, on Monday evening, March 6, 1905, and hopes to be honored with your presence.

Respectfully,

SYDNEY W. DOUGHERTY, President.

John C. Christie, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Queens:

No. 1527.

Resolved, That the Comptroller of The City of New York be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), to provide for the payment of the necessary repairs to the Newtown, Jamaica, Flushing, Far Rockaway and Arverne town halls, as set forth in the presentment of the Grand Jury of the County of Queens in attendance upon the January (1905) Term of the Supreme Court.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 1528.

Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, }
New Brighton, N. Y., February 23, 1905. }

Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Gentlemen—Expecting to have occasion during the coming year to purchase coal in small lots at a time, but aggregating much over \$1,000, for the use of my Bureaus of Highways, Street Cleaning, and Public Buildings and Offices, I would ask that I be authorized to purchase in open market, upon order from month to month, coal to a total amount not exceeding \$5,000.

Having no suitable place to store same, it is impracticable to purchase coal in large quantity at one time, and the dealers are not inclined to quote low prices on advertised contracts at the beginning of the year for deliveries throughout the year, because of the wide fluctuation in wholesale prices likely to occur.

For my Bureau of Highways, the coal needs to be distributed in very varying localities as the work requires, the use being for supplying steam rollers, so that delivery may be but a short distance or may be many miles from the base of supply.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Charities:

No. 1529.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, }
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, }
February 14, 1905. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—The daily average increase in the number of sick and destitute people thrown upon our charge during the year 1904, as compared with the previous year was 613, at a per capita cost per day of .4394 cents, making a total for the year of \$98,313.55. Such an unusually large increase was not anticipated by the last administration in making up the Department budget for the year 1904 and no adequate provision having been made therefor, the result is a deficiency in the Supply Fund. I would therefore respectfully request that you appropriate the sum of \$25,000 and have the same added to our supply and contingency appropriation for the year 1904. This amount is necessary to meet the deficiency in this appropriation. The allowance for supplies for the past year was cut by the last administration \$135,650.49 below the amount asked for, hence this request for the above stated sum to meet the expenses incurred by this Department.

Respectfully,

JAMES H. TULLY, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting ordinances:

No. 1530.
Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, authorizing the issue of \$600,000 Corporate Stock for the purpose of providing means to acquire land and construct a municipal electric lighting plant for The City of New York.

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

Very truly yours,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000) to provide means for the acquisition of land and the construction of a municipal electric lighting plant for The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000), to provide means for the acquisition of land and the construction of a municipal electric lighting plant for The City of New York, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1531.
Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$25,000, to provide means for the repairing of steamboats under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, and copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Correction relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

February 21, 1905.

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

Dear Sir—I would respectfully request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to grant to this Department an emergency appropriation of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), which is required for the purpose of putting in thorough repair the steamboats of the Department. These boats—the "Massasoit," "Minnahanonck," "The Bronx" and the "Thomas F. Gilroy," need, among other things, new boilers, smokestacks, rudders, wheels, copper sheathing, etc., and the full amount asked for will be required.

Owing to the very severe winter, the quantity of ice in the river and the constant use of these boats, they are all out of commission at present. Feeling, therefore, that this work should not be delayed, and believing that it is absolutely necessary that such repairs be made at once, I earnestly hope that your Honorable Board will grant the appropriation asked for.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

A true copy:
John B. Fitzgerald, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE, providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), to provide means for the repairing of steamboats under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), to provide means for the repairing of steamboats under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Alderman Baldwin moved the adoption of this ordinance.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said ordinance.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Downing, Gass, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kevin, Koch, Lochner, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Richter, Schappert, Sheil, Sturges, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz and the Vice-Chairman—47.

No. 1532.
Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, authorizing the issue of \$11,500, in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites and construction of public baths in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with copy of communication from the President of said Borough relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.
The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,
Brooklyn, February 9, 1905.

(Copy.)

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—An appropriation was made in 1901 authorizing the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to expend the sum of \$454,600 for five public baths, which amount, together with the premium on the bonds sold, viz., \$2,080.80, brought the sum up to \$456,680.80. It is found upon investigation that the contracts, architect's fees and extra work authorized by the previous administration on these five baths amounted to \$465,120.01, leaving a deficiency in excess of the bonds authorized therefor of \$8,439.21. The records show that this deficiency was brought about through the former Superintendent

of Public Buildings and Offices giving two modified contracts on the Montrose avenue bath and one on the Huron street bath, amounting to \$3,750.71 each, and extra work authorized by him on the Pitkin avenue bath. I am informed by Mr. Charles C. Wise, the present Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, that in order to properly complete these baths there will be an additional amount required of about \$3,000, which, in addition to the amount previously stated for obligations incurred, make a total of \$11,439.21. In view of the fact that the amount appropriated in 1903 for three new public baths will be required for that purpose I hereby respectfully request an authorization of an additional bond issue of \$11,500 for the purposes above set forth.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of eleven thousand five hundred dollars (\$11,500), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites and construction of public baths in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding eleven thousand five hundred dollars (\$11,500), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites and construction of public baths in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding eleven thousand five hundred dollars (\$11,500), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1533.
Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, February 24, 1905, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$3,000,000 for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Docks relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Department of Docks and Ferries, }
February 8, 1905. }

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

Dear Sir—I beg to submit herewith an estimate of the moneys required for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries for the year 1905; also statement showing the amount to credit of the Department, and the various items chargeable against said amount.

Balance in hands of Comptroller January 1, 1905, to the credit of the Dock Fund	\$1,018,000 00
Balance of Corporate Stock unissued, authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 24, 1904, under the provisions of section 180 of the Charter	2,650,000 00
Corporate Stock unissued, authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 13, 1905, and by the Board of Aldermen January 24, 1905, under the provisions of section 47 of the Charter ..	3,000 000 00
Total	\$6,668,000 00

Against which there were liabilities as follows:

Paid January 14, 1905, to the New York Floating Dry Dock Company for wharf property between Peck and Rutgers slips, East river	\$697,000 00
Fees of Commissioners, experts, etc., acquiring wharf property for the City, paid during January, 1905	26,000 00
Outstanding orders for material and supplies as per Schedule "A"	\$723,000 00
Amount due on outstanding contract as per Schedule "B"	83,119 00
Wharf property being acquired through condemnation proceedings, title to which vested in the City prior to January 1, 1905, and which is, therefore, a liability, as per Schedule "C" (estimated)	3,722,194 00
	6,975,528 00
	11,503,841 00

Leaving a deficit to be taken up in issue of Corporate Stock for 1905, of \$4,835,841 00 To which should be added the following estimates of money required for 1905:

Estimated cost of wharf property being acquired through condemnation proceedings, as per Schedule "D"	3,226,526 00
Contracts in preparation for work, material and supplies required during the year 1905 (estimated), as per Schedule "E"	3,974,250 00
Labor Pay-rolls for Construction and Repairs and Maintenance for 1905 (estimated)	1,050,000 00
Monthly Pay-rolls for Construction and Repairs and Maintenance for 1905 (estimated)	210,000 00
Amount required for Annual Expense Account (Salaries of Secretary, Clerks, Stenographers, Dock Masters, etc., and for stationery and supplies) for 1905 (estimated)	95,000 00
For purchase of wharf property and upland for ferry terminals at St. George, Staten Island	500,000 00
Purchase of present ferry structures at St. George, S. I.	75,000 00
For purchase of present ferry structures at foot of Whitehall street, Manhattan	125,000 00
For purchase of five ferry-boats in use at the present time in the operation of the Staten Island Ferry	315,000 00

Total estimate for moneys required for 1905

\$14,406,617 00

—or say in round figures \$14,400,000.

A similar communication has this day been forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and I would respectfully request that the necessary action be taken in order that Corporate Stock may be issued to meet the requirements of the Department as set forth herewith.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner of Docks.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of three million dollars (\$3,000,000), for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, and section 180 of the Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted February 23, 1905, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding three million dollars (\$3,000,000), for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of three million dollars (\$3,000,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1534.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, authorizing the issue of \$5,000,000 Corporate Stock, to provide means for constructing, improving, permanently bettering and equipping public school buildings and additions thereto, and the acquisition of sites therefor, in The City of New York.

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

Very truly yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five million dollars (\$5,000,000), to provide means for constructing, improving, permanently bettering and equipping public school buildings and additions thereto, and the acquisition of sites therefor, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified.

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding five million dollars (\$5,000,000), to provide means for constructing, improving, permanently bettering and equipping public school buildings and additions thereto and the acquisition of sites therefor, in The City of New York, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five million dollars (\$5,000,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1535.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$9,000, in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the purpose of making repairs and alterations to the building known as Nos. 264 to 268 Madison street, Borough of Manhattan, said building being for the use of the Thirteenth District Municipal Court, and copy of a report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

February 23, 1905.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, in communication under date of February 21, 1905, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an additional amount of Corporate Stock to the extent of \$9,000, in order that contracts may be awarded to the lowest bidders under bids opened February 21, 1905, for the alterations and repairs to Nos. 264 to 268 Madison street.

I would report that at meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held May 27, 1904, \$35,000 was authorized to provide means for the purpose of making repairs and alterations to the building known as Nos. 264 to 268 Madison street, Borough of Manhattan, said building being for the use of the Thirteenth District Municipal Court.

Plans and specifications were prepared for this work by Bernstein & Bernstein, architects, upon which bids were opened by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, on November 16, 1904. The total of bids received for the different classes of work, including the architects' fees, amounted to \$62,817.30, namely:

Cabinet work, painting, etc.....	\$24,800 00
Masonry, iron work, carpentry, etc.....	24,250 00
Steam heating and plumbing.....	9,386 00
Electric work.....	1,390 00
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	\$59,826 00
Architects' fees.....	2,991 30
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	\$62,817 30

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	\$59,826 00
Architects' fees.....	2,991 30
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	\$62,817 30

In reply to the President's request for an additional appropriation of \$30,000, by report dated November 21, 1904, I called attention to certain items which I consider too elaborate and unnecessarily expensive to put in this old building, and recommended that the President be requested to present plans and specifications for this work, modified upon the lines suggested in my report of November 21, 1904, so that the cost may fall within the amount appropriated, \$35,000.

The plans and specifications have been changed by the architects, and upon these modified plans and specifications bids were opened by the President on February 21, 1905, the total of which, including architects' fees, amount to \$43,408.05:

Carpentry, etc., Hahn & O'Reilly.....	\$34,619 00
Steam heating, etc., Wm. Horn Company.....	3,397 00
Plumbing, Michael J. O'Brien.....	3,325 00
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	\$41,341 00
Architects' fees.....	2,067 05
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—an excess of \$8,408.05 above the appropriation of \$35,000. The President requests an additional appropriation of \$9,000. This will give \$591.95 for contingencies.

I have had a careful examination made of the revised plans and specifications upon which the last bids were based, and it is found that there are still a few minor articles which might have been modified and a cheaper article called for, but not enough to reduce the cost of the work to within the original appropriation of \$35,000.

Therefore, I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue an additional amount of Corporate Stock to the extent of \$9,000, to provide for the repairs and alterations to the building known as Nos. 264 to 268 Madison street, Borough of Manhattan, said building being for the use of the Thirteenth District Municipal Court.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the purpose of making repairs and alterations to the building known as Nos. 264 to 268 Madison street, Borough of Manhattan, said building being for the use of the Thirteenth District Municipal Court.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding nine thousand dollars (\$9,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, to provide means for the purpose of making repairs and alterations to the building known as Nos. 264 to 268 Madison street, Borough of Manhattan, said building being for the use of the Thirteenth District Municipal Court, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding nine thousand dollars (\$9,000), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Parks:

No. 1536.

The City of New York—Department of Parks, }
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. }
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, }
February 28, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—Herewith I beg to hand you application for the issuing of Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred and fifty-two thousand one hundred and twenty-nine dollars (\$152,129). I would appreciate it if this matter could be submitted to the Honorable Board of Aldermen at its session to-day.

Very truly yours,

M. J. KENNEDY, Commissioner.

The City of New York—Department of Parks, }
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. }

Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, }
February 28, 1905. }

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I respectfully make application to your Honorable Body for the issuing of Revenue Bonds and the allotment of the proceeds therefrom to this Department for the sum of one hundred and fifty-two thousand one hundred and twenty-nine dollars (\$152,129). This amount is required to make up the deficiency between the sums actually required for the maintenance of the parks, parkways and playgrounds under the jurisdiction of this Department and the amount granted by your Honorable Body in the annual Budget. It will be recalled that last year the Department had available the sum of four hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars (\$465,000) plus fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) of Revenue Bonds, making a total of five hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$515,000). The amount allowed for this year so far is but four hundred and ninety thousand dollars (\$490,000), and your Honorable Body has added the "Care of Trees" to the title of the appropriation which formerly included "Labor, Maintenance and Supplies." I have asked in the annual Budget for a sum of fifty-six thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$56,775) for the establishment of a Bureau of Tree Culture, as provided by chapter 453 of the Laws of 1902, but have not been able to take any steps in that direction for lack of funds. I have also been compelled for the same reason to continue Institute Park, Highland Park, Sunset Park, the Bay Ridge parkway and Forest Park as unfinished parks, and charge all expenses incurred in their improvement and management against the bond accounts for "Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Borough of Brooklyn and Queens," and "Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways, Playgrounds, Boulevards and Driveways, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens."

It is undeniable that portions of this work might reasonably be charged against the maintenance account, but inasmuch as the amount granted therefor was insufficient, it could not be done. All the parks indicated, although uncompleted, have been opened to the public as far as possible, with the exception of those portions where the construction work was carried on.

It appears to me that a sufficient amount should be granted by your Honorable Body to properly maintain the work already finished in these parks and parkways without being compelled to charge the maintenance of same to the bond account.

I would also respectfully call your attention to a recent verdict rendered in the Supreme Court against The City of New York in the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900) for injuries sustained by the falling of the limb of a tree in one of the City streets, the Court holding that the City was responsible for the care and safety of all street trees.

I have again revised the figures submitted to you for the Annual Budget and have cut out some items that may be dispensed with and reduced the amounts of others as far as possible. I must insist, however, that the amount submitted herewith is absolutely necessary to carry on the business of this Department as it should be carried on, and charge all expenses incurred to the proper accounts. It is proposed to expend the amount asked for as follows:

Department of Arboriculture, Including Care of Trees over Entire City.

Six naphtha tree spraying machines, at \$500.....	\$3,000 00
Twelve hand sprayers, at \$100.....	1,200 00
Ladders, tools and implements.....	3,000 00
One Arboriculturist, 12 months.....	1,825 00
Five Assistants, 12 months.....	5,000 00
Forty men, 12 months.....	20,200 00
Five teams, 12 months.....	7,500 00
Nine horses and carts, 6 months.....	4,050 00
Spraying mixture.....	2,000 00
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	\$56,775 00

Institute Park.

One Foreman, 12 months.....	\$1,095 00
Twelve men, 12 months.....	8,760 00
Two teams, 8 months.....	2,080 00
Three carts, 8 months.....	1,920 00
Material for repairs to walks, etc.....	1,000 00
Grass seed, fertilizer and sods.....	1,250 00
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	16,105 00

Highland Park.

One Caretaker and ten Assistants, 12 months.....	\$8,375 00
One team and two horses and carts, 12 months.....	3,300 00
Shrubs, seed, fertilizer, etc.....	1,000 00
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	12,675 00

Sunset Park.

One Caretaker and eight Assistants, 12 months.....	\$6,935 00
Sods, seed, etc.....	500 00
One horse and cart, 12 months.....	900 00
One team, 12 months.....	1,500 00
Trees, shrubs, etc.....	1,200 00
Top soil and fertilizers.....	1,800 00
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	12,835 00

Forest Park.

One Caretaker and ten Assistants, 12 months.....	\$8,395 00
Repairs to drives and walks.....	4,000 00
Work on golf links.....	3,000 00
Two teams and three horses and carts, 6 months.....	2,850 00
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	18,245 00

Bay Ridge Parkway and Shore Road, from Fourth Avenue to Fort Hamilton Avenue.

One Caretaker, 12 months.....	\$1,095 00
Eight men, 12 months.....	5,840 00
Three teams and carts, 6 months.....	3,120 00

Two horses and carts, 6 months	1,280 00	
1,800 cubic yards fine road gravel, at \$2.....	3,600 00	
Steam roller, 100 days, at \$10.....	1,000 00	15,935 00
New Lots Playground.		
One Caretaker and two Assistants, 12 months	\$2,347 00	
One Playground Attendant, male, 12 months	750 00	
One Playground Attendant, female, 12 months	600 00	
Gymnastic supplies	250 00	
Fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	100 00	4,047 00
Canarsie Park.		
One Caretaker and two Assistants, 12 months	\$2,347 00	
One Playground Attendant, male, 12 months	750 00	
One Playground Attendant, female, 12 months	600 00	
Gymnastic supplies	250 00	
Fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	100 00	4,047 00
Williamsburg Bridge.		
One Caretaker and three Assistants, 12 months	\$2,973 00	
Two Playground Attendants, male, 12 months	1,500 00	
Two Playground Attendants, female, 12 months	1,200 00	
Gymnastic supplies	1,000 00	6,673 00
Williamsburg Park—(Playground for Boys).		
One Caretaker and one Assistant, 12 months	\$1,721 00	
One Playground Attendant, 12 months	750 00	2,471 00
Williamsburg Park—(Playground for Girls).		
One Caretaker and one Assistant, 12 months	\$1,721 00	
One Playground Attendant, female, 12 months	600 00	2,321 00
Total.....		\$152,129 00

Very truly yours,
M. J. KENNEDY, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting resolutions:

No. 1537.
Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salary of the position of Storekeeper in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and copies of communications from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

February 20, 1905.

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

Gentlemen—Referring to my communication of the 9th inst., requesting the establishment of the position of Storekeeper in this Department (boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond), I beg to add that the salary or compensation of the employee who is now performing the duties is \$100 per month, or \$1,200 per annum.

It is not the intention of my request to include provision for any additional compensation, a proper change of title being all that is desired for the reasons stated.

Respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN J. PALLAS,
Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.
February 9, 1905.

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

Gentlemen—I beg to request that your Honorable Board will authorize and provide for the establishment of the position of Storekeeper in this Department, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

A position under this title existed some years ago, but is not provided for in the present Civil Service classification, although the duties of the grade remain the same, and have been performed for several years past under the title of Foreman, which seems entirely inappropriate.

The duties of the position are important, requiring great accuracy and care, as the incumbent acts also as Weighmaster under the Superintendent of Supplies and Repairs.

It is not desired, nor intended, to provide an additional employment, but merely to give an accurate and proper title to an existing and necessary position in order that the same may conform more nearly with Civil Service requirements.

Respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN J. PALLAS,
Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 24, 1905, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Store-keeper in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salary of the position of Store-keeper in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1538.
Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salaries of the position of Law Clerk in the Finance Department, at the rates of \$1,350 and \$1,200 per annum, respectively, as of date February 1, 1905, and copy of a communication from the Comptroller relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February, 1905. }

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I inclose herewith resolution for the establishment of additional salaries of Law Clerk in this Department at \$1,200 and \$1,350 per annum. At present the lowest salary fixed for this position is \$1,500.

Respectfully,
(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 24, 1905, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater

New York Charter, that the salaries of the position of Law Clerk, in the Department of Finance, be fixed at the rates of thirteen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,350) and twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, respectively, as of date February 1, 1905."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above position as set forth therein.

Alderman Coggey moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Dietz, Donohue, Dowling, Gass, Gillies, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Koch, Lochner, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Richter, Schappert, Shea, Sheil, Twomey, Wafer and the Vice-Chairman—43.

No. 1539.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 24, 1905, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salaries of the position of Accountant in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts at the rates of \$2,100 and \$1,950 per annum, and copy of a communication from the Commissioners of Accounts relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Office of the Commissioners of Accounts, }
New York, February 17, 1905. }

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller, and Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—In response to your communication of the 16th inst., in which you quote a resolution passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Secretary send a communication to each department, stating that this Board will not consider any requests for the fixing of salaries or the establishment of new positions unless such requests be accompanied by full information on the subject,"

—we make this explanation:

When the Civil Service classification of this Department was revised in May, 1902, our Examiners were divided into two classes—"Examiners of Accounts" and "Accountants." At the same time salaries for each class were fixed, ranging from \$1,500 to \$2,000 for "Examiners of Accounts," and from \$1,500 to \$1,800 for "Accountants."

In the matter of fixing titles and salaries as above stated, a very few cases of injustice crept in, as the practical work of some two or three of the "Accountants" is fully as high grade as that of any of the "Examiners of Accounts," but by reason of the fact that the extreme limit of salary which may be paid to the former is now \$200 per annum less than may be paid to the latter, we are unable to correct the injustice without the action which your Board has been asked to take.

The Civil Service salary grades proceed from grade 4 to grade 10, by steps of \$300, that for grade 6 being \$1,800, and that for grade 7 being \$2,100 per annum, but it seems to us that differences of \$150, as established by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, are more consistent.

Should action be taken favorably to our request, no one of our "Accountants" could be promoted to the \$2,100 grade without first passing the requisite Civil Service examination, as they are all in the "competitive" class, nor is it our purpose to do anything more with that grade than to have it established as a goal towards which those eligible may aspire by a showing of superior ability and faithful work.

In the case of the \$1,950 grade, however, we can, if it seems for the good of the service, restore one man, at least, who was for a time paid \$2,000, and who was and is fairly entitled to that sum, but who by the working of the Civil Service rules has been compelled to accept \$1,800 because that was the highest salary fixed for "Accountants" in this Department.

In the Finance Department, there is a salary grade for "Accountants" fixed at \$1,950, while in the Board of Education salaries are paid to such, ranging up to \$2,100.

It is not our purpose to make any considerable number of changes, nor to expend any more money than has been appropriated for the current year, but we think that proper business reasons exist for establishing the grades asked for.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN C. HERTLE,
WILLIAM HARMAN BLACK,
Commissioners of Accounts.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 24, 1905, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of the position of Accountant in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts be fixed at the rates of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) and nineteen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,950) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the position of Accountant in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts at the rates of twenty-one hundred dollars and nineteen hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Dougherty, Dowling, Gass, Gillies, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Hann, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Koch, Lochner, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Sheil, Stapleton, Talk, Twomey, Wafer and the Vice-Chairman—46.

Excused—Alderman Meyers—1.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Correction:

No. 1540.

Department of Correction of The City of New York, }
Commissioner's Office, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, }
New York, February 27, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sir—It affords me great pleasure to state that the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held on February 24, 1905, approved of the request made by the Department of Correction for the following appropriations: For crew of steamer "Gilroy," so that boat may be used as a ferry-boat

between Hart's Island and City Island.....	\$4,490 00
For repairs to steamboats of Department, the "Minnahanonck," "Massasoit," "Gilroy" and "The Bronx." (These boats have all been damaged by ice floes, and their constant use during the severe weather of the past winter has rendered them almost useless at present)....	25,000 00

I trust that your Honorable Board will grant the appropriation as soon as possible, as the emergency requires prompt action in regard to these steamboats, on whose trips depend the daily supplies for the Islands, whose population numbers (in the Correctional Institutions), several thousand people.

Trusting that favorable action may be speedily taken, I remain,

Very respectfully,
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

Which was ordered on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 1436—(G. O. No. 153).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on January 21, 1905 (Minutes, page 674), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$550,000, for repaving streets in the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), to provide means for repaving streets and avenues in The City of New York, etc.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 27, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), to provide means for repaving streets and avenues in The City of New York, as follows:

"For the Borough of Manhattan	\$250,000 00
"For the Borough of Brooklyn	250,000 00
"For the Borough of Richmond	50,000 00
	<u>\$550,000 00</u>

--and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, JOHN DIEMER, OWEN J. MURPHY, FERDINAND HAENLEIN, JAMES W. REDMOND, WILLIAM WENTZ, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 1466—(G. O. No. 154).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 7, 1905 (Minutes, page 785), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$100,000, for repaving streets in the Boroughs of The Bronx and Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$100,000 for the purpose of repaving and renewing street pavements in the boroughs of The Bronx and Queens, as follows:

For the Borough of The Bronx	\$50 000
For the Borough of Queens	50 000

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN DIEMER, WILLIAM WENTZ, OWEN J. MURPHY, FERDINAND HAENLEIN, JAMES W. REDMOND, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 1509—(G. O. No. 155).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 21, 1905 (Minutes, page 870), the annexed communication from the Department of Health, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$35,000, to defray expenses of taking a census of the population of The City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Charter of The City of New York, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000), for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses required to be incurred by the Board of Health in taking a census of the population of The City of New York during the months of May and June of the year 1905, including the salaries of additional Medical Inspectors, Sanitary Police Officers and a tabulating clerical force.

JOHN T. McCALL, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, JOHN DIEMER, WILLIAM WENTZ, OWEN J. MURPHY, FERDINAND HAENLEIN, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Affairs of Boroughs—
No. 1357.

The Committee on Affairs of Boroughs, to whom was referred on January 17, 1905 (Minutes, page 454), the annexed petition of the Bishop of Brooklyn, for consent to an extension of Holy Cross Cemetery, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed extension to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

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

I hereby apply to your Honorable Body for the consent of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, that the property hereinafter described be acquired by me and used as a cemetery for the burial of the dead as an addition to the Cemetery of the Holy Cross in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The Cemetery of the Holy Cross is a Roman Catholic cemetery in the Borough of Brooklyn. The title of said cemetery is vested in me, pursuant to the custom of the Roman Catholic Church. I am the Bishop of the Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Brooklyn, in which diocese said cemetery is situated. The Cemetery of the Holy Cross as at present constituted contains about sixty (60) acres of land. A great many burials have been made there and it is the principal cemetery for the burial of Catholic dead in the Borough of Brooklyn. The said cemetery is almost full and the increasing population of the Borough of Brooklyn makes it necessary and desirable that the said cemetery be enlarged. The lands which it is proposed to take for the said cemetery consists of about thirty-three and eight hundred and forty-nine one-thousandths (33.849) acres, situated east of the said Cemetery of the Holy Cross, and immediately adjoining the same in the former Town of Flatbush, and are bounded and described as follows:

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of the road leading from Flatbush to Canarsie, known as Canarsie avenue (commonly called Canarsie lane), and adjoining land of the Cemetery of the Holy Cross; running thence northerly along said last-mentioned land six hundred and eighty-two (682) feet one (1) inch to the northeasterly corner of said cemetery land; thence westerly, still along said land, sixteen hundred and eight (1,608) feet five (5) inches to other land of said cemetery; thence northerly along said land and land now or formerly of the Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush nine hundred and ninety-nine (999) feet eleven (11) inches to the centre line of Grant street (now Snyder avenue); thence easterly along said centre line two hundred and seventy (270) feet to land now or late of the Brooklyn Development Company; thence southerly along said land three hundred and seventy-two (372) feet five and one-quarter (5¼) inches to the southwesterly corner of said last-mentioned land; thence easterly, still along said land, to the centre line of Schenectady avenue,

as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County; thence southerly along said centre line of Schenectady avenue to the northerly side of said road to Canarsie aforesaid; and thence westerly along said northerly side of said road to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds thirty-three and eight hundred and forty-nine one-thousandths acres of land, as shown by a survey made by Samuel H. McElroy, Civil Engineer and City Surveyor, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn, N. Y., surveyed May 19, 1903.

In case the said consent of the Board of Aldermen is given and the lands acquired, I propose to comply with all the rules, laws and regulations of The City of New York, and of the Board of Health and other authorities of said City governing the conduct of cemeteries with respect to said lands.

Notice of this application has been published for six weeks in the four papers having the largest circulation in the Borough of Brooklyn, to wit: "The Brooklyn Daily Eagle," "The Brooklyn Citizen," "The Brooklyn Standard Union" and "The Brooklyn Times." Proof of such publication by affidavits of the foremen of said papers is hereunto annexed.

Dated this 16th day of January, 1905.

CHARLES E. McDONNELL, Bishop of Brooklyn, Petitioner.

By PATRICK J. McNAMARA,

Vicar General of the Diocese of Brooklyn,

Attorney in Fact of the

Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Bishop of Brooklyn.

State of New York, City of New York, County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, ss.: Right Reverend Monsignor Patrick J. McNamara, being duly sworn, says:

I am the attorney in fact of the Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Bishop of Brooklyn, the petitioner herein. A copy of the power of attorney authorizing me to verify this petition is hereunto annexed.

The foregoing petition is true of my own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters I believe it to be true.

The reason why this verification is not made by the petitioner is that he is not in the County of Kings, but is now traveling in Europe.

The sources of my information and the grounds of my belief are the records of the Diocese of Brooklyn, papers which I have examined and reports which have been made to me as Vicar General of the Diocese.

I am the Vicar General of the Diocese of Brooklyn and have charge of the said affairs of the Bishop of Brooklyn in his absence from this country.

Sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1905.

PATRICK J. McNAMARA.

Franklin M. Tomlin, Notary Public, Kings County, New York.

Whereas, I, The Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Brooklyn, of the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, have entered into an agreement to purchase certain lots consisting of about thirty-three and eight hundred and forty-nine one-thousandths (33.849) acres in the former town of Flatbush, in the County of Kings, in The City and State of New York, adjoining the Cemetery of the Holy Cross, in said Borough and City; and

Whereas, Such agreement has been entered into, subject to the condition that I shall be able to procure the consent of the public authorities, pursuant to law, to use the said lands for cemetery purposes, as an addition to the Cemetery of the Holy Cross; and

Whereas, It is my intention to make application to the public authorities, pursuant to law for their consent that the said real property may be used for cemetery purposes:

Now, therefore, know all men by these presents, That I have nominated, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint the Right Reverend Monsignor Patrick J. McNamara, Vicar General of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn, of the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, to be my true and lawful attorney in fact, for the doing of all acts, the signing, sealing, executing, acknowledging and delivering all papers, applications, petitions, advertisements, consents and agreements of every sort, necessary or proper for the procuring of the consent of any of the public authorities of The City of New York, to the use of said lands for cemetery purposes, and generally to do all acts which may be necessary or proper for, or incidental to, the securing of such consent; and I hereby give and grant unto my said attorney, full power and authority to do whatever I might do in the premises if I were personally present, and I hereby ratify, approve and confirm every and all acts of my said attorney, done or which may be done in the premises.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this

12th day of November, 1904.

CHARLES E. McDONNELL, Bishop of Brooklyn. [L. S.]

In the presence of:

Joseph E. Owens.

State of New York, County of Kings, City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, ss.:

On this 12th day of November, 1904, before me personally came Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., to me known, and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

JOHN I. BARRETT, Notary Public, Kings County, New York. [L. S.]

JAMES E. GAFFNEY, JOHN V. COGGEY, JOHN J. HAGGERTY, THOMAS G. BALDWIN, PATRICK S. KEELY, PATRICK HIGGINS, Committee on Affairs of Boroughs.

Whereas, The Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Brooklyn, of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, has entered into an agreement to purchase certain lots, consisting of about thirty-three and eight hundred and forty-nine one-thousandths (33.849) acres, situated in the former Town of Flatbush, in the County of Kings and Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which said lands are proposed to be used as a cemetery or burial ground, and are immediately adjoining the Cemetery of the Holy Cross, now and for some time being used as a cemetery, and which said lands are more particularly described as follows:

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of the road leading from Flatbush to Canarsie, known as Canarsie avenue (commonly called Canarsie lane), and adjoining land of the Cemetery of the Holy Cross; running thence northerly along said last-mentioned land six hundred and eighty-two (682) feet one (1) inch to the northeasterly corner of said cemetery land; thence westerly, still along said land sixteen hundred and eight (1,608) feet five (5) inches to other land of said cemetery; thence northerly along said land and land now or formerly of the Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush, nine hundred and ninety-nine (999) feet eleven (11) inches, to the centre line of Grant street (now Snyder avenue); thence easterly along said centre line two hundred and seventy (270) feet to land now or late of the Brooklyn Development Company; thence southerly along said land three hundred and seventy-two (372) feet five and one-quarter (5¼) inches to the southwesterly corner of said last-mentioned land; thence easterly, still along said land, to the centre line of Schenectady avenue to the northerly side of said road to Canarsie aforesaid; and thence westerly along said northerly side of said road to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds thirty-three and eight hundred and forty-nine one-thousandths acres of land, as shown by a survey made by Samuel H. McElroy, Civil Engineer and City Surveyor, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn, N. Y., surveyed May 19, 1903.

Resolved, That the consent of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York be and the same is hereby given to the location of a cemetery or burial ground at the place and upon the premises aforesaid; this consent to become operative when the said lands shall have been conveyed to the said Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby empowered and authorized to establish and maintain a cemetery or burial ground on the lands hereinbefore described, as an addition to the now existing Cemetery of the Holy Cross, the same to be inaugurated, governed and controlled in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of New York applicable thereto; this consent to become operative when the said lands shall have been conveyed to the said Right Reverend Charles E. McDonnell, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Brooklyn.

Alderman Wafer moved that this paper be made a Special Order for 2.30 o'clock P. M.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Brenner, Chambers, Collins, Culkin, Dietz, Donohue, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Haggerty, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Poole, Richter, Robinson, Schappert, Stapleton, Twomey, Wafer and the Vice-Chairman—33.

Negative—Aldermen Downing, Hann and Jones—3.

Subsequently, the hour of 2.30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman Wafer called up the report and moved its adoption.

Alderman Hann moved as an amendment that the matter be referred to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to whether this extension could be legally made.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion:

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Hann, James, Jones, Meyers, Sturges and Ware—9.

Negative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Gaffney, Gillies, Gillen, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Stapleton, Tolk, Twomey, Wafer, and the Vice-Chairman—43.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Sheil, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, and the Vice-Chairman—55.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Culkin called up General Order 147, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1393.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on January 24, 1905 (Minutes, page 515), the annexed communication from the Police Commissioner, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$20,000, for repairs to the steamboat "Patrol," respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not exceeding \$20,000, the proceeds of which are to be applied for repairs to the steamboat "Patrol," under the direction of the Police Commissioner.

JOHN T. MCCALL, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN H. DONOHUE, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gillies, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Hann, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Sheil, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—64.

Alderman Culkin called up General Order No. 149, being a report and resolution.

No. 1486.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 14, 1905 (Minutes, page 810), the annexed communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in relation to wages of Pipe Caulkers and Tappers employed by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
February 14, 1905. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FARNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held February 10, 1905, a communication from the Comptroller (copy of which is herewith inclosed), relative to an appropriation to enable the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to pay the prevailing rate of wages to the Pipe Caulkers and Tappers employed by him, was presented and referred to you for presentation to the Board of Aldermen.

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not exceeding \$13,255, the proceeds whereof shall be an addition to the fund out of which the salaries of Pipe Caulkers and Tappers in the employ of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity are paid.

PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN H. DONOHUE, FRANKLIN B. WARE, OWEN J. MURPHY, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, PATRICK CHAMBERS, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Gillies, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Hann, Higgins, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Sheil, Stapleton, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—60.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Alderman Owens called up Special Order No. 80, being a resolution, as follows:

No. 1517.

Whereas, In the Budget for 1905, adopted and approved by the Board of Aldermen November 22, 1904, and approved by the Mayor November 29, 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has set aside the sum of twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2,200) for the "Memorial Committee, Grand Army of the Republic, Borough of Manhattan, for defraying expenses incidental to the observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1905"; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sum of twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2,200) be advanced to the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of The City of New York, for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of The City of New York, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said Committee, the sum of twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2,200), for the purpose of Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Manhattan, and that receipted vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Hann, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Sheil, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—64.

Alderman Owens called up Special Order No. 81, being a resolution, as follows:

No. 1518.

Resolved, That in the Budget for 1905, adopted and approved by the Board of Aldermen November 22, 1904, and approved by the Mayor November 29, 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has set aside the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) for "Allowance to Veteran Associations for Decoration Day Observances, Borough of The Bronx"; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) be advanced to the Veteran Associations of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Committee of said Veterans' Associations in charge of Decoration Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, upon his requisition, countersigned by such officers of the said Veteran Associations as to the Comptroller may be proper in the premises, the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) for the purpose of Decoration Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, and that receipted vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gillies, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Hann, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Sheil, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—64.

GENERAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman McCall called up General Order 143, being a report and ordinance as follows:

No. 1241.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on December 13, 1904 (Minutes, page 882), the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing the curb lines of Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

Be it Ordained that the curb lines of Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, from Flatbush avenue to the line separating the Borough of Brooklyn from the Borough of Queens, be established at a distance of forty feet on either side from the centre of the said Atlantic avenue, between Flatbush avenue and the said line, and that the legal and established width of the roadway within Atlantic avenue and the said line, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be eighty feet from curb to curb.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN J. BRIDGES, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, ANDREW J. DOYLE, CHARLES W. CULKIN, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Alderman McCall moved that this ordinance be referred to the Local Board of the district affected.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Culkin called up General Order No. 150, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1491.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 14, 1905 (Minutes, page 817), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of position of General Medical Superintendent, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 10, 1905, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of General Medical Superintendent in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be fixed at the rate of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of General Medical Superintendent in the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at the rate of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) per annum.

PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN H. DONOHUE, FRANKLIN B. WARE, OWEN J. MURPHY, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, PATRICK CHAMBERS, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which, on motion of Alderman Culkin, was recommended to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Doull called up General Order No. 148, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 514.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred on May 3, 1904 (Minutes, page 274), the annexed resolution in favor of permitting John Wanamaker to construct a tunnel under Ninth street, between Broadway and Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the firm of John Wanamaker to construct and maintain a tunnel under and across Ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, between Broadway and Fourth avenue, to connect the property controlled by the said firm of John Wanamaker, on either side of said street, provided the said firm of John Wanamaker shall pay to The City of New York as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined as an equivalent therefor by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and provided further that the said firm of John Wanamaker shall stipulate with the Commissioners of Highways to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress, or subsequent to the completion of the work of constructing said tunnel, the work to be done and materials to be supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, FREDERICK RICHTER, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, FRANK L. DOWLING, PATRICK HIGGINS, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Boerner, Callahan, Coggey, Collins, Culin, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Gaffney, Gillies, Goodman, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Schloss, Sheil, Sturges, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—43.

Negative—Aldermen Brenner, Bridges, Diemer, Gillen, Gunther, Hann, Keely and Stapleton—8.

Excused—Alderman Kenney.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman McCall called up Special Order No. 79, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1332.

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York did, on the 22d day of December, 1904, grant to the New York and Jersey Railroad Company a certificate fixing and determining the routes, locations and plans of construction of a certain tunnel railroad in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, as an extension or extensions of the said company's tunnel railroad heretofore authorized, and also prescribing such terms, conditions and requirements as to the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners appeared to be just and proper for the grant thereby made, including the terms, conditions and requirements provided by section 32 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 584 of the Laws of 1902; the action taken and the grant made by the said Board, the said locations and plans of the railroad, of the tracks and facilities, the compensation to be paid to the City, the terms, conditions and requirements subject to which the franchise was granted are fully set forth in the certificate, dated December 22, 1904, which said certificate, together with the franchise therein contained and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof was duly accepted by the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company by an instrument executed in writing on the 27th day of December, 1904; and

Whereas, On the 10th day of January, 1905, the said certificate and the franchise therein contained, together with all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof and the said instrument of acceptance, were duly transmitted by the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York to the Board of Aldermen, on which day said Board of Aldermen referred the said certificate to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels; and

Whereas, On the 31st day of January, 1905, the said Committee on Bridges and Tunnels reported to the Board of Aldermen that the said certificate be referred back to the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York with the recommendation that paragraph 11 of said certificate be amended in certain particulars, which said report of the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels was accepted; and

Whereas, On the 7th day of February, 1905, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York returned to the Board of Aldermen the said certificate, in amended form, dated February 2, 1905, as follows:

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO NEW YORK AND JERSEY RAILROAD COMPANY.

Certificate for Extensions.

The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York does hereby certify as follows:

Whereas, The New York and Jersey Railroad Company (which is hereinafter called the Tunnel Company) is a railroad corporation which has been duly incorporated under the laws of the State of New York for the purpose, so declared in its articles of association, of owning and operating the tunnel and railroad in part within the limits of The City of New York formerly of the Hudson Tunnel Railway Company, and of constructing and operating a tunnel railroad in The City of New York (which City is hereinafter called the City) to be connected with a railroad or railroads within the State of New Jersey and thereby forming a continuous line for the carriage of passengers and property between a point or points within, and a point or points without the City, and more particularly a tunnel railroad having its eastern terminus in the block bounded by Christopher, West Tenth, Greenwich and Hudson Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and thence extending westwardly and to be connected with a railroad or railroads in the State of New Jersey, and thus form a continuous line for the carriage of passengers and property between such terminus of the railroad of the Tunnel Company within the City and a point or points upon the lines of such railroads in the State of New Jersey, and other States and

Whereas, The Tunnel Company has been duly authorized by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, by certificate dated July 10, 1902, with the consent and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Mayor, the Commissioner of Docks and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, to lay down, construct and operate said tunnel and railroad to its proposed terminus in the said block bounded by Christopher, West Tenth, Greenwich and Hudson Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, The said Tunnel Company desires to extend its said tunnel and railroad along the route hereinafter mentioned to a point at the intersection of Christopher Street and Sixth Avenue, and thence with one branch to a terminal at or near the intersection of Sixth Avenue and Thirty-third Street, and with another branch to a terminal station at or near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and Ninth Street in the said Borough, as shown upon the plan hereto attached, and pursuant to section 32 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 584 of the Laws of 1902 (which entire statute as amended by various acts and as now in force is hereinafter called the Rapid Transit Act), has made application to the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York (which is hereinafter called the Board), for authority to establish, construct and extend its railroad tracks along a certain route from its present terminus at the corner of Greenwich and Christopher Streets, in said City, to its proposed terminals at or near the intersection of Sixth Avenue and Thirty-third Street, and at or near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and Ninth Street, and to have and maintain at said terminals terminal stations and such terminal and other facilities as may be necessary for the accommodation of the traveling public, and to construct and operate its railroad along the said route under lands, streets, avenues, highways and public places in the City, with necessary sidings, platforms, stations, facilities for access to the surface and other appurtenances, all as hereinafter particularly set forth, and to transport over the said railroad passengers or freight, or both; and

Whereas, The Board by a concurrent vote of at least six of its members has fixed and determined the locations and plans of construction of such extension of the railroad of the Tunnel Company upon such route and of such tracks and facilities, the times within which they shall be respectively constructed, and the compensation to be paid therefor to the City by the Tunnel Company; and

Whereas, The Board, by such concurrent vote has prescribed such terms, conditions and requirements as to the Board appear to be just and proper for the grant hereby made to the Tunnel Company, including the terms, conditions and requirements provided by the Rapid Transit Act, and has included among them a provision that the Tunnel Company shall from the time of the commencement of the operation of such railroad under such a determination, annually pay for such extension to the City a sum or rental for certain periods of years hereinafter mentioned, beginning with the operation of any part of the said extensions of the railroad of the Tunnel Company, and also providing for a readjustment of the amount of such sum or rental at the expiration of such period, and at intervals thereafter of twenty five years,—

Now, therefore, the Board has authorized and does hereby authorize, but subject, however, to the terms, conditions and requirements hereinafter set forth, the Tunnel Company—

1. To lay down, construct and operate a railway including two tracks, on a route beginning at the terminus of the railway of the Tunnel Company, as at present authorized, at the intersection of Greenwich and West Tenth and Christopher Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, and thence running easterly under Christopher Street to Sixth Avenue; thence with one branch under Sixth Avenue to a terminal station at or near the intersection of Sixth Avenue and Thirty-third Street in said Borough, and with another branch crossing diagonally under Sixth Avenue to Ninth Street and thence easterly under Ninth Street to a terminal station at or near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and Ninth Street in said Borough.

2. To lay down, construct and operate in connection with its terminal station at or near the intersection of Sixth Avenue and Thirty-third Street two additional tracks for the convenient operation of its Railroad; and also in connection with the said terminal station but not more than two hundred and fifty feet southerly therefrom, and also in connection with the terminal station at or near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and Ninth Street, but not more than two hundred and fifty feet westerly therefrom, and also (in case the City shall exercise the option hereinafter reserved to it to purchase certain portions of the said tunnel and railroad) in connection with the station at or near the intersection of Christopher Street and Sixth Avenue, but not more than two hundred and fifty feet westerly therefrom, to lay under Sixth Avenue and under Ninth Street and under Christopher Street as many tracks, sidings and connections as may be found convenient for the operation of the railroad, with the right to use therefor said avenue and said streets to the entire width thereof.

3. To build, maintain and operate subway stations, and the necessary track connections therewith, contiguous to the said tunnel and railroad under Christopher Street between the East line of Greenwich Street and the East line of Hudson Street; at or near the intersection of Christopher Street and Sixth Avenue; under Sixth Avenue at or near its intersections with Fourteenth Street, Eighteenth Street, Twenty-third Street and Twenty-eighth Street; and also the said terminal station at or near the intersection of Sixth Avenue and Thirty-third Street; and also the said terminal station under Ninth Street between Broadway and Fourth Avenue; together with stairways leading from such subway stations to the surface of the streets and avenues and also together with a subway leading from said terminal station at Ninth Street and Fourth Avenue to the station of the Rapid Transit Subway at Fourth Avenue and Eighth Street.

4. To transport upon the said railways and through the said tunnel persons and property, and to use therefor and in connection therewith all suitable appliances.

5. To maintain and operate under the streets of the routes aforesaid and along the lines of the said railways composing the railroad, telegraph wires and wires, cables, conduits and ways for the distribution of power, heat and light and other appurtenances for the use of the railroad and for no other purpose.

6. To acquire and use for stations or station extensions, power plants, pumping stations, shafts for access to the surface and other necessary purposes of the railroad, private property as the same may be lawfully acquired within the scope of the corporate rights and powers of the Tunnel Company.

7. The Board may by written notice to be given to the Tunnel Company at any time before the construction of its railroad to the said terminal station at or near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and Ninth Street is completed, require the Tunnel Company to lay down, construct and operate a railway including two tracks extending from said station easterly under Ninth Street to a terminal station at or near the intersection of Ninth Street and the westerly side of Second Avenue; and the Board does hereby authorize the Tunnel Company to lay down, construct and operate such extension of its railway in case it shall give such notice as hereinbefore provided.

The rights hereinbefore granted to maintain and operate the railroad or necessary or convenient for that purpose shall be held by the Tunnel Company in perpetuity, except as may be herein otherwise expressly provided.

Provided, however, and it is expressly agreed that this authorization and the rights and privileges hereby granted are subject to certain terms, conditions and requirements which appear to the Board to be just and proper, and, as so subject, are hereinafter called the franchise hereby granted. The said terms, conditions and requirements are hereby prescribed as follows, to wit:

I.

This certificate will be executed by the Board in four identical originals, so proved as to be entitled to be recorded in the office of the Register of the County of New York and to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, all of which will be delivered by the Board to the president, vice-president, secretary or treasurer of the Tunnel Company. The franchise hereby granted shall be inoperative and this certificate shall be void unless within sixty days after such delivery or such further period as shall be prescribed in writing by the Board, the Tunnel Company shall have procured three of the said identical originals to be returned to the Board, each of them having an acceptance of the franchise and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof subscribed at the foot thereof by the Tunnel Company, such acceptance being so proved as to entitle it to be recorded and filed as aforesaid.

II.

The franchise hereby granted shall, if the Board shall so determine, become void unless within six calendar months after the time of the delivery to the Board of the acceptance of this certificate by the Tunnel Company, that Company shall, in due and lawful form, obtain or receive the consent of the Board of Aldermen of the City, being the local authority having the control of the portions of the streets and highways upon or under which it is proposed to construct the Railroad, together with the approval of the Mayor of the City.

The franchise hereby granted shall, if the Board shall so determine, become void unless within one year after the time of the acceptance of its certificate by the Tunnel Company, that Company shall further and in due and lawful form obtain the consent 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 runs, to the construction and operation of the Railroad, or such part thereof, or in case the consent of such property-owners cannot 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 confirmed by the Appellate Division which shall have appointed such commissioners to be taken in lieu of such consent of property-owners. Provided, however, and it is expressly stipulated, that the Board shall have power, upon reasonable cause shown, to extend by written certificate either of the periods hereinbefore in this article prescribed.

If the Tunnel Company shall be diligent in prosecuting applications for the consents aforesaid, and shall not have secured the same within the period of one year after its acceptance as aforesaid of this franchise, then and in such case the Tunnel Company shall, after a written notice of three months to the Board, be released from its obligations hereunder, unless within such three months such consent shall have been given.

III.

The Tunnel Company shall begin the construction of the said extensions of the railroad hereby authorized (but not including the said extension from Fourth Avenue to Second Avenue unless the Board shall so determine and notify the Tunnel Company as hereinbefore provided), within six months after it shall have obtained the consents aforesaid and, within five years after such construction shall be begun, shall complete the construction of the said extensions.

In case the Tunnel Company, within the period of six months after it shall have obtained the consents necessary as aforesaid, shall not have begun the actual construction of the aforesaid extensions of its railroad, or if, after having begun such construction, it shall suspend the same prior to the completion thereof for a period exceeding three months, or if it shall not complete such construction and begin the operation of the railroad to said terminal stations within the said period of five years, then and in either of such cases the Board, upon a written notice to be delivered to the Tunnel Company not less than three months before the action of the Board, may annul the franchise hereby granted as to the railroad from the intersection of Christopher Street and Sixth Avenue to said terminal stations, and if the Tunnel Company shall not complete the construction and begin the operation of the railroad from the terminus of the railway of the Tunnel Company as at present authorized at the intersection of Greenwich and Christopher Streets to Sixth Avenue, within the said period of five years, then the Board upon the like written notice may annul the franchise hereby granted as to such portion of said railroad.

The Board shall have the power, upon reasonable cause shown, to extend by written order any of the periods in this article prescribed. Additional time shall be allowed by way of extension of any period for such commencement of construction, or for the completion thereof, or for the commencement of operation of the Railroad equal to the total period of delay caused by injunction or by necessary proceedings for condemnation of real estate, easements or other property, so far as such proceedings shall necessarily prevent the Tunnel Company from prosecuting such construction, but no delay to be so allowed for unless, during the same, such proceedings shall be diligently prosecuted by or for the Tunnel Company; and provided, further, that in no case shall such delay be deemed to begin until the Tunnel Company

shall have given written notice to the Board of the injunction or other occasion of delay and delivered to the Board copies of the injunction or other orders and of the papers upon which the same shall have been granted, and unless, upon the request of the Board, the Tunnel Company shall in writing consent that the Board, either in its own name as a party or in the name of The City of New York as a party, may intervene in any such injunction proceedings, or other suit or proceeding; and provided, further, that in case of annulment of any part of the franchise the Tunnel Company shall have no right to any return of payments which it shall have made to the City by way of rental or otherwise.

IV.

The Tunnel Company shall pay to the City for the rights, franchises and licenses in and under streets hereinbefore granted from Greenwich Street to the intersection of Christopher Street and Sixth Avenue and thence to its terminal stations at or near the intersection of Sixth Avenue and Thirty-third Street, and also near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and Ninth Street, together with such extension to Second Avenue in case the Board shall determine to require the building and operation of such extension as hereinbefore provided, and also for the right to build and maintain the subway stations hereinbefore mentioned, so far as said stations shall be constructed under said streets or avenues, the following sums of money, to wit:

1. The Tunnel Company shall pay to The City annually the sum of fifty cents per annum for each linear foot of single track of such railway track and of such subway station platforms which shall then be constructed or which the Tunnel Company shall be bound to have then constructed under any such streets or parts of streets within the City of New York during the period beginning on the day when the Tunnel Company shall first commence actual operation of the said extensions (but not later than the last day on which the Tunnel Company shall be bound to begin such operation) and ending on the day ten years after the day when any part of the said extensions of the Tunnel Company are in actual operation; and the sum of one dollar per annum for each linear foot of such tracks and of such subway station platforms during the period beginning on the last day of such period of ten years and ending on the day when the rentals payable under the above-mentioned franchise of July 10, 1902, shall next thereafter become subject to readjustment under the terms of said franchise. In case additional stations shall hereafter be constructed, additional rental for such station platforms shall be paid, to be computed at the rates above specified.

2. The Tunnel Company shall pay to the City annually, as rental for any vault space occupied by it (as the phrase vault space is hereinafter defined), such a sum as shall be equal to four per cent. upon the valuation of the horizontal area occupied by such vault space, said valuation to be at the same rate per square foot as the valuation of the land, exclusive of buildings, contained in the abutting property, fixed for purposes of taxation for the year 1904.

3. The Tunnel Company shall pay to the City for the rights under streets of the City hereinbefore granted, the further sum of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000) per annum (the same being three per cent. per annum on the gross earnings of said extensions of its railroad, said gross earnings being estimated and fixed for the purposes of this grant at three hundred thousand dollars per annum) for each year, beginning on the date on which the Tunnel Company shall first commence the actual operation of any part of the said extensions (but such date not to be later than the last day on which the Tunnel Company shall be bound to begin such operation) and ending on the day ten years next thereafter.

After the expiration of the said ten years the Tunnel Company, instead of the said sum of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000) per annum, shall pay to the City for the routes under the streets of The City hereinbefore granted, such a sum as shall be equal to five per cent. per annum on the estimated annual gross earnings of said extensions of its railroad for the period of years between the date of expiration of the said ten years and the date when the rentals payable under the above mentioned franchise of July 10, 1902, shall next thereafter become subject to readjustment under the terms of said franchise. The estimated amount of the said gross earnings may be determined by an agreement in writing by the Tunnel Company and the Board. If the Tunnel Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of such first ten year period, then and in that event the estimated amount of such gross earnings shall forthwith be determined by arbitration in the manner provided in Clause XI. of this certificate. If, at the expiration of the first ten year period, the annual rate thereafter payable shall not have been fixed, the Tunnel Company shall pay the nine thousand dollars (\$9,000) a year as above provided, until the new rate shall be determined, and shall make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the said nine thousand dollars (\$9,000).

All payments herein provided for shall be made to the Comptroller of the City in equal payments at the end of each quarter year on the first days of January, April, July and October in each year.

The annual amounts to be paid by the Tunnel Company as aforesaid shall be readjusted at the end of the last mentioned period of years, and shall thereafter be readjusted at intervals of twenty-five years, so as to make such readjustment co-temporaneous with the readjustments to be made under the said franchise of July 10, 1902. The annual amounts to be paid by the Tunnel Company for each and every period of twenty-five years after such first period shall be determined as follows, to wit: Each such determination shall be had upon the application of either the Tunnel Company or the Board or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the preceding period of twenty-five years. The determination shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Tunnel Company and the Board or such other authority in its place. If the Tunnel Company and the Board or such other authority in its place for the City shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of such preceding twenty-five years' period, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five years' period shall be reasonable; and either the City (by the Board or such other authority in its place) or the Tunnel Company shall be bound, upon request of the other, to enter into a written agreement with such other authority fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable; and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate at such amount as shall be determined by the Supreme Court of the State of New York; and either party may in such case apply to the said Court to fix such rate. If, in any case, the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the commencement of such succeeding twenty-five years' period, then the Tunnel Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate.

But in no case shall any amount so readjusted be less than the greatest corresponding amount in force at any time during the preceding period of years.

V.

The railways forming part of the railroad where the same shall occupy parts of streets, shall be in tunnel or tunnels or subways under the streets, and the Tunnel Company may construct the railways under Christopher Street and under Sixth Avenue, and under Ninth Street, hereinbefore mentioned in tunnels or subways containing one or more tracks as it may find most advantageous.

No part of the structure of the railroad except its terminal and other stations shall approach within five feet of the exterior line of any street, except streets which it shall cross, unless the abutting property shall be owned by the Tunnel Company or unless the owner or owners of the property so abutting shall consent. The tunnel or tunnels, except as hereinbefore limited, may be placed in such places under the streets as may be found most convenient.

The uppermost part of said tunnel shall not approach nearer than twenty feet to the surface of Christopher Street, nor nearer than three feet to the surface of Sixth Avenue, but in Sixth Avenue the roof of the tunnel shall be as near the surface of the street as street conditions and grades will permit; provided, however, that the Board may by written notice to be given to the Tunnel Company within one year after the date hereof, require the Tunnel Company to build any portion of its line in Sixth Avenue, north of Twenty-third Street, at such greater depth below the surface of the avenue, as the Board may fix by such notice. The uppermost part of said tunnel, where it crosses Fifth Avenue, shall not be at a higher elevation than five and one-quarter (5.25) feet above the level of mean high water; the uppermost part of said tunnel,

where it crosses Broadway, shall not be at a higher elevation than sixteen and three-fourths (16.75) feet above the level of mean high water; the uppermost part of said tunnel, if it crosses Fourth Avenue, shall not be at a higher elevation at that point than nineteen (19) feet above the level of mean high water; and the uppermost part of said tunnel, if it crosses Third Avenue, shall not be at a higher elevation at that point than seventeen and one-fourth (17.25) feet above the level of mean high water.

Except as hereinafter provided, stations and station approaches may be built under streets or through private property to be acquired by the Tunnel Company for the purpose, or both under streets and through private property as aforesaid. The streets under which stations or station approaches are built may include, besides the streets of the route, portions of Hudson Street, Greenwich Avenue, Sixth Avenue, Fourteenth Street, Eighteenth Street, Twenty-third Street, Twenty-eighth Street, Thirty-second Street, Thirty-third Street, Broadway and Fourth Avenue; but no part of any of said last mentioned streets or avenues shall be used for a station or station approach at a distance greater than seventy-five feet from the exterior line or side of the street or avenue of the route.

In case any part of the said stations or station approaches shall be within the streets or avenues, and above a horizontal plane ten feet below the street surface, such space shall be deemed to be vault space within the meaning of this certificate.

The Tunnel Company may locate, construct and operate any one or more of such stations and station approaches at any other point or points along said route in lieu of or in addition to those hereinbefore authorized, provided that the consent and approval of the Board to any such new or changed location shall first have been obtained.

The Tunnel Company shall in the course of construction at its own expense maintain the care of all underground structures; and any necessary interference with underground structures shall be subject to reasonable regulation by the department of the government of the City in control or charge thereof.

No exit from the tunnel at the surface shall be constructed except through private property, unless the Board, by resolution, shall specially approve of an exit or exits situated within one or more of the streets or avenues above mentioned.

The Tunnel Company shall at all times, by suitable bridging or other supports, maintain and support in an entirely safe condition for their usual service and to the reasonable satisfaction of the owners, all elevated railroad structures, street tramways of whatever character, water and gas mains, steam pipes, pneumatic tubes, electric subways, sewers, drains, and all other surface or subsurface structures encountered during the progress of the work. The sidewalks, curbs, areas and stoops along the line of the work must also be protected from any injury; but should any injury occur to any sidewalk, curb, area or stoop, the Tunnel Company shall fully restore the same to as good a condition as existed before the injury was done. Notice is to be given by the Tunnel Company to all companies or persons and the proper city officials owning or having charge of surface or subsurface structures along any part of the work, of its intention to commence operations along such part of the route, at least one (1) week in advance, and the Tunnel Company shall file with the Board at the same time a copy of said notice; and it shall co-operate with the proper officers or officials or other persons lawfully in charge of such structures and shall furnish them with all reasonable facilities to inspect the methods of caring for their property. Whenever it becomes necessary to cut, move, change, or reconstruct any such surface or subsurface structures, or connections therewith, such work shall be done according to the reasonable satisfaction of the owners of such pipes or other structures, or such persons lawfully in charge thereof, and, should they so desire, by the owners themselves, but at the expense of the Tunnel Company—such expense not to exceed the actual cost of labor and materials used, together with a reasonable allowance for the use of plant and tools not exceeding seven and a half (7½) per cent. All such work of reconstruction or alteration of surface or subsurface structures if performed by the City or owners or persons lawfully in charge thereof, shall be done with reasonable dispatch, and facilities are to be provided so that said work shall interfere as little as possible with the practical working and use of the railroad of the Tunnel Company. The failure of the City or other such owners or persons lawfully in charge of such structure to make such alterations within what the Board shall determine to be a reasonable time may be considered by the Tunnel Company as a waiver on the part of the City or other such owners or persons of the priority of right to do said work. In the event of the City or other such owners or persons being required to make any alteration to their surface or subsurface structures as above provided, or in case the City or such owners or persons shall consider it necessary or desirable to make any further alterations in, or do any work to or in connection with surface or subsurface structures owned by or lawfully in charge of them, or any of them, at the time the work of the Tunnel Company shall be in progress, the Tunnel Company shall give said City or other owners or persons all reasonable opportunity to make such alterations or perform such work.

The Tunnel Company shall make good to the City all damage which shall be done to the property of the City by the construction or operation of the railroad, and shall make good to every owner of property abutting upon the railroad, or which shall be injured by the work of construction or by operation thereof, all physical damage which shall be done to such abutting or injured property through any act or omission of the Tunnel Company or successor thereof, or of any contractor, sub-contractor or other person in the course of any employment upon the construction or operation of the railroad or any part thereof.

The method of construction shall be generally as follows: The tunnels under streets shall be constructed in whole or in part of masonry or of steel or of iron or any two or more thereof combined. Excavations necessary in the course of construction by the Tunnel Company shall be made without disturbing the surface of the streets; provided, however, that the Board may, by resolution, wherever local conditions make excavations from the surface necessary for efficient construction, grant the right to make such excavations from the surface, subject to such conditions and regulations as the Board may prescribe.

All necessary permits for opening of streets, and other necessary departmental permits, shall be granted by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, or other officer, as provided by law.

The tracks shall be constructed of the most approved plan so as to avoid noise or tremor.

All plans for, and the method of doing, the work, including all plans for stations and station arrangements, shall from time to time be subject to the approval of the Board.

The Tunnel Company, before beginning the construction of any part of the extensions of its railroad hereby authorized, shall file with the Comptroller of The City of New York a bond in the penal sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), in such form and with such sureties as shall be approved by the Board, conditioned for the faithful performance by the Tunnel Company of all the conditions and requirements of this certificate, so far as the same shall relate to the construction of the said extensions, or in lieu of such bond shall deposit with the Comptroller securities satisfactory to the Board, to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars.

VI.

The power to be used shall be electricity or such other power (not involving combustion in the tunnel) as may be approved by the Board.

VII.

The plan and profile of the railroad herewith attached are to be deemed a part of this franchise and to be construed with the text hereof. The same shall be substantially followed, but deviations therefrom not inconsistent with the other provisions hereof may be permitted by the Board.

VIII.

The railroad shall be diligently and skillfully operated with due regard to the convenience of the traveling public, so long as the franchise hereby granted shall remain in force.

In case at any time, in the opinion of the Board, the Tunnel Company shall fail to carry out the foregoing provision, the burden of proof in any proceedings which may be instituted by any proper authority to compel a compliance therewith shall be upon the Tunnel Company to show that it is discharging the duties and obligations imposed by this section.

IX.

The City shall have a lien upon the franchise and upon the real property of the Tunnel Company under the said streets to secure the payment of such compensation and rental.

In case of any failure to make such payment as herein prescribed, the lien aforesaid may be enforced by the Board either by entry, foreclosure or other proper proceeding and by sale of such franchise and real property.

The Board may, in its own name, or in the name and behalf of the City, bring action for specific performance, or may apply by mandamus or injunction or otherwise, to compel the performance by the Tunnel Company of the duties and obligations hereby imposed upon the said Company, or any of them. And the Board may, in behalf or in the name of the City, bring any action or proceedings to recover possession of any part of the property of the City to be used by the Tunnel Company as aforesaid, or to enforce the said lien of the City, or to enforce any part of this contract in the manner provided by section 9 of the Rapid Transit Act or any other proper action or proceeding.

X.

In case The City or the Board shall at any time or times hereafter determine that the portion of the tunnel and railroad hereby authorized under Sixth Avenue, between the north line of Ninth Street and the south line of Thirty-third Street, or the portion under Ninth Street east of Sixth Avenue, or either of them, is necessary or desirable for use as a part of some municipal system of rapid transit to be owned by The City, The City shall have, and the Tunnel Company, by the acceptance of this instrument, hereby grants to The City the right and option to purchase and take the said portion of the tunnel and railroad hereby authorized under Sixth Avenue, between the north line of Ninth Street and the south line of Thirty-third Street, or the said portion under Ninth Street east of Sixth Avenue, or either of them, at any time or times after the expiration of twenty-five years from the date when the operation of such portions shall actually begin. In case The City or the Board determines to exercise said option and acquire said portions of the tunnel and railroad hereby authorized, or either of them, The City or the Board shall give the Tunnel Company at least two years' notice in writing; and upon the day fixed by said notice for such acquisition, The City shall pay or tender to the Tunnel Company the value of such portion of the said tunnel and railroad (but not including the franchise hereby granted) as determined by agreement or by appraisal in the manner provided in clause XI. of this certificate; such value, however, not to exceed the actual cost in money of the construction of the said portion of said tunnel and railroad, including cost of stations, real estate, and any and all easements, structures and property connected therewith, as the same exist at the time when the said option shall be exercised.

In order that the Board may be fully advised as to the character of the construction of the portions of said railroad under Sixth Avenue and under Ninth Street and the cost of construction of the same, the Board shall not only have the right to inspect the said portions of said railroad during construction, but shall also have the right to inspect and approve of all materials used therein during the process of construction and otherwise; and the Board shall also have the right from time to time to examine the books, contracts and papers of the Tunnel Company relating to said portions of said railroad for the purpose of ascertaining the actual cost of construction thereof. As soon as said tunnel and railroad is completed under Sixth Avenue from Ninth Street to Thirty-third Street, and under Ninth Street east of Sixth Avenue, the Tunnel Company shall present to the Board a statement in writing, showing the cost of construction of the said tunnel and railroad. In case the said statement is approved by the Board, both parties shall be estopped from raising any question that the same is the actual cost of construction of the said tunnel and railroad, so far as the same is completed at the date of the said statement. In case the Tunnel Company, after the date of any such statement, shall acquire or construct any other tunnel, railroad, tracks or stations on Sixth Avenue, between Ninth Street and Thirty-third Street, or under Ninth Street east of Sixth Avenue, or shall acquire or construct any additions or improvements therein, the same shall in every case be constructed with the approval and under the inspection of the Board and with the same right as hereinbefore provided to examine the books, contracts and papers of the Tunnel Company relating thereto, and a statement of the cost thereof shall be furnished to the Board by the Tunnel Company for the same purpose and with the same effect as the statement to be furnished upon the completion of the original construction of the road. In case the Board shall not approve any statement of cost of construction furnished by the Tunnel Company, the actual cost of construction of the work described or referred to in any such statement, shall be determined as soon as possible by arbitration in the manner provided by Clause XI. of this certificate.

The value of the said tunnel and railroad under Sixth Avenue between Ninth Street and Thirty-third Street, and under Ninth Street east of Sixth Avenue, or either of them, may be fixed and determined by an agreement in writing between the Tunnel Company and the Board. If the Tunnel Company and the Board shall not have reached such an agreement on or before the day one year before the date fixed for the purchase of the said tunnel and railroad by notice as aforesaid, then and in that event the value of the said tunnel and railroad shall forthwith be determined by arbitration in the manner provided in Clause XI. of this certificate.

The right and option hereinbefore mentioned to purchase the said portions of the said railroad is hereby expressly reserved by and for The City, and may be exercised on its behalf by the Board, or by such other authority representing The City as is now or may hereafter be vested with the power to purchase said portions of the said railroad or either of them. Upon the exercise of such option in the manner hereinbefore provided, the title to the said portion of the said tunnel and railroad so purchased, with all additions thereto and improvements thereon, shall forthwith revert to and vest in The City, free of and from all liens, mortgages or other incumbrances of what nature soever, and all right, title and interest of the Tunnel Company, or its successors or assigns, in such portion of the said tunnel and railroad shall at once cease and determine.

And the Tunnel Company, by the acceptance of this instrument, covenants and agrees that it will not hereafter question the right, power or authority of The City to exercise the said option or to acquire or hold such portions of the said tunnel or railroad, or either of them, whether any such right, power or authority be now possessed by The City or shall be hereafter acquired by it by virtue of future legislation or otherwise.

The option hereinbefore granted and the aforesaid covenant of the Tunnel Company is one of the principal moving considerations of The City in making the grant of the franchise hereby granted; and the Tunnel Company, by the acceptance of this instrument, is estopped from questioning the authority of The City to insert the said option as one of the terms and conditions of this grant or to exercise the said option or to acquire or hold said portions of said railroad. And the Tunnel Company, by the acceptance of this instrument, covenants for itself, its successors and assigns, that it will make any and all such further grants, conveyances or other instruments of assurance in order to carry out the purposes of this agreement, as may be demanded by The City or the Board.

In case The City shall purchase and acquire such portions of the railroad in Sixth Avenue and Ninth Street, or either of them, under the option herein granted, all payments by way of rental or otherwise, applicable to the portion so acquired, herein required to be made by the Tunnel Company shall, upon the date of consummation of such purchase, cease and terminate, and, upon payment in full of all rentals due in respect to the portion of the railroad so purchased up to the date of such purchase, the Tunnel Company shall be relieved from any further payment of rentals or otherwise in respect thereto. The proportion of rentals and other payments hereinbefore provided for, properly applicable to the portion of the railroad so purchased, shall be determined by agreement between the Tunnel Company and the Board, and, if they are unable to agree, by arbitration in the manner provided in Clause XI. of this certificate.

XI.

In case it should be necessary to submit to arbitration any question arising under the provisions of Clause IV. or Clause X. of this agreement, such arbitration shall be conducted as follows: Either The City or the Tunnel Company may give notice to the other that it requires the matter arising under one or the other of said Clauses, as the case may be, to be submitted to arbitration, and shall at the same time name an arbitrator, and accompany the notice by a written acceptance by the arbitrator of the appointment. Within ten days after the receipt of such notice, the party receiving the same shall name an arbitrator, and give written notice of such nomination to the other party, the notice to be accompanied by a written acceptance by the arbitrator of the appointment. If the party to whom notice of arbitration is given shall not so nominate an arbitrator, who shall so accept, then the arbitrator named by the party giving the first notice shall be the sole arbitrator. Any vacancy in the office of an arbitrator so appointed shall be filled by the party which shall have appointed the last incumbent thereof, and within five days after notice of the vacancy; during which five

days the running of other periods of time prescribed for or in course of the arbitration shall be suspended. If not so filled, or if notice of the appointment be not given within such five days, the remaining arbitrator shall be the only arbitrator. The two arbitrators thus appointed shall select a third arbitrator; but if they fail to agree upon such third arbitrator within fifteen days after the date of the appointment of the second arbitrator appointed, the third arbitrator shall be nominated by the Executive Committee for the time being of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York; or if within thirty days after being requested by either of the parties to make such nomination, the said Committee shall decline or fail to make a nomination, then an arbitrator shall be named by the Executive Committee for the time being of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York. The arbitrators shall hear the parties and their counsel or any statements or evidence which the parties or either of them desire to submit, and may resort to any other sources of information in reference to the question submitted for determination. Within thirty days after the appointment of the third arbitrator, the arbitrators shall make their determination in writing in duplicate, one to be delivered to the Board and the other to the Tunnel Company. Any determination by a majority of the arbitrators to be final and conclusive. All fees and expenses of arbitrators shall be borne and paid equally by the Board and the Tunnel Company, by both of whom every such arbitrator shall be deemed to be employed. Every such arbitrator shall, before proceeding to consider the matter, be sworn as nearly as may be in the same manner as referees in actions at law are required to be sworn.

XII.

The Tunnel Company will not at any future time oppose, but shall at any time upon the request of the Board consent to, the construction of any rapid transit or street railroad over, along or under any portion of any of the said streets to be occupied by the Railroad of the Tunnel Company aforesaid, where the same shall not actually interfere with the structure of the Tunnel Company as herein authorized.

XIII.

The City, the Board and all duly authorized representatives of the City, shall have the right at all reasonable times to inspect the Railroad and any part thereof, as well during construction as afterwards, and to enter thereon when necessary for the examination, supervision or care of any property of the City, or of abutting property owners, or for any proper purpose. Nothing in this franchise shall be deemed to diminish or affect the sanitary or police jurisdiction which the public authorities shall lawfully have over property in the City.

XIV.

The Tunnel Company shall, from time to time, at its own expense maintain and strengthen all parts of the Railroad which shall be under any street or avenue, so that the same shall safely support any structure superimposed or which shall be superimposed thereon by the City or under its authority or under any other public authority.

XV.

The Tunnel Company shall have the right to grant, convey, mortgage, assign or transfer the franchise hereby granted, provided, however, that every grantee, assignee or transferee thereof, not including, however, a mortgagee or mere lienor, but including any purchaser upon foreclosure of or under or by virtue of any provision of any mortgage or lien, shall be a corporation subject to the laws of the State of New York, and shall upon accepting the grant, assignment or transfer, and before such grant, assignment or transfer shall be valid, assume and agree to perform all of the obligations which by the provisions hereof are assumed by the Tunnel Company, and that no such grant, conveyance, assignment or transfer shall relieve the Tunnel Company of its obligations hereunder.

And provided further that, in case the Tunnel Company or any successor or future owner of the franchise shall be consolidated with or merged into any other corporation, the obligations of the Tunnel Company or such successor or future owner hereunder shall remain unaffected and this franchise shall pass to such new corporation only if the agreement or act of consolidation or merger shall effectively provide that the new consolidated or merging corporation shall assume all such obligations, or if such act or agreement shall not so provide, then if and when such new consolidated or merging corporation shall in writing expressly assume such obligations—it being the express intention of this franchise that no change in the incorporation of the Tunnel Company or of any such successor or future owner or in the ownership or control of the franchise hereby granted, or of any part thereof, shall diminish or affect the obligations of the holder of the same.

XVI.

If, at any time, the powers of the Board shall be transferred by law to any other board, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, officers or officer shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board.

XVII.

Inasmuch as it is provided in Article V. of said certificate of this Board, dated July 10, 1902, that the uppermost part of the tunnel in Greenwich Street north of the north line of Barrow Street, and in Christopher Street and West Tenth Street, opposite the terminal station of the Tunnel Company, may come within not less than thirty inches of the surface of the roadway or sidewalk, and in consideration thereof it was provided in Article IV. that the Tunnel Company should pay for such underground portions of Greenwich, Christopher and West Tenth Streets, contiguous to its terminal station aforesaid, \$3,224 per annum for the first ten years and \$6,448 per annum for the next fifteen years, such compensation being for street or vault rights in Greenwich, Christopher and West Tenth Streets aforesaid, at eleven cents per square foot per annum for the first ten years and twenty-two cents per square foot per annum for the next fifteen years; and, furthermore, it was provided in Article V. of said certificate, that the Tunnel Company should keep paved with smooth pavement those portions of Christopher and West Tenth Streets contiguous to its terminal station and that portion of Greenwich Street between the north line of Barrow Street and the south line of West Tenth Street; and, inasmuch as the extensions of the tunnel and railroad of the Tunnel Company herein authorized and provided for will make it necessary to locate said tunnel and railroad under Greenwich, West Tenth and Christopher Streets at such depth below the surface as not to require any encroachment upon or interference with vault space under Greenwich, Christopher and West Tenth Streets, as provided for in said certificate of this Board, dated July 10, 1902; said certificate is hereby amended by striking out the fourth paragraph of Article IV. thereof, which requires the payment by the Tunnel Company to the City for such underground portions of Greenwich, Christopher and West Tenth Streets of the sum of \$3,224 per annum for the first ten years and \$6,448 per annum for the next fifteen years, and also by striking out and omitting the fourth paragraph of Article V. of said certificate, which requires the Tunnel Company to keep paved with smooth pavement those portions of Christopher and West Tenth Streets contiguous to its terminal station and that portion of Greenwich Street between the north line of Barrow Street and the south line of West Tenth Street and by substituting in place thereof the following provision, that is to say: The Tunnel Company shall pay to the City for the rights, franchises and licenses in and under Greenwich Street from the north line of Barrow Street to the intersection of Greenwich and West Tenth Streets the sum of fifty cents per annum for each linear foot of single railway track which shall be then constructed or which the Tunnel Company shall be bound to have then constructed under such street within the City of New York during the period beginning on the day when the Tunnel Company shall first commence actual operation of the railroad (but not later than the last day on which the Tunnel Company shall be bound to begin such operation) and ending on the day ten years next thereafter, and the sum of one dollar per annum for each linear foot of such tracks constructed beginning on the last day of such period of ten years and ending on the day fifteen years next thereafter.

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 the concurrent vote of at least six of the members of the said Board, and is now attested by its seal and by the signature of its President, who is its presiding officer, and by the signature of its Secretary, this 2d day of February, 1905.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS
FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

[OFFICIAL SEAL]
BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

By A. E. ORR, President.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 2d day of February, 1905, in The City of New York, in said county, before me personally appeared Alexander E. Orr and Bion L. Burrows, each to me known and known to me to be the said Alexander E. Orr, the President, and the said Bion L. Burrows, the Secretary, of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, and the said Alexander E. Orr and Bion L. Burrows, being by me duly sworn did depose and say, each for himself and not one for the other, the said Alexander E. Orr, that he resided in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the said City; that he was the President of the said Board, and that he subscribed his name to the foregoing certificate by virtue of the authority thereof; and the said Bion L. Burrows, that he resided in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the said City; that he was the Secretary of the said Board, and that he subscribed his name thereto by like authority; and both the said Alexander E. Orr and Bion L. Burrows that they knew the seal of the said Board and that the same was affixed to the foregoing certificate by the authority of the said Board and of a resolution duly adopted by the same.

[SEAL] H. A. D. HOLLMANN, Notary Public, for Kings County, N. Y.
Certificate filed in New York County.

And Whereas, On the third day of February, 1905, the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company duly accepted the said certificate, in amended form, together with the franchise therein contained, and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof, by an instrument in writing as follows:

The New York and Jersey Railroad Company hereby accepts the foregoing franchise and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof.

Dated New York, February 3, 1905.

NEW YORK AND JERSEY RAILROAD COMPANY,
W. G. McADOO, President.

CHARLES W. KING, Secretary.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 3d day of February, 1905, at The City of New York, before me personally came William G. McAdoo and Charles W. King, to me known and known to me respectively to be the said William G. McAdoo, the President, and the said Charles W. King, the Secretary, of New York and Jersey Railroad Company, and being by me duly sworn they did depose and say, each for himself and not one for the other, the said William G. McAdoo, that he resided at Yonkers, in the State of New York, and was the President of the New York and Jersey Railroad Company, the corporation named in and which executed the foregoing consent, and that he subscribed his name to the foregoing consent by the authority of the Board of Directors thereof; and the said Charles W. King, that he resided in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, in the State of New York; that he was the Secretary of the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company, and subscribed his name to the foregoing consent by like authority; and both the said William G. McAdoo and Charles W. King that they knew the seal of the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company; that the seal affixed to such consent was such seal, and that the same was affixed to the foregoing consent by authority of the Board of Directors of the said New York and Jersey Railroad Company and pursuant to a resolution adopted by the said Board.

CLARENCE J. S. DEVERE,
Notary Public, 37, New York County.

(In the originals the plan and profile is annexed.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, by a vote of a majority of all the members of the said Board, does hereby approve the said certificate, as amended by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, and the franchise therein contained, and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof, and does hereby consent to the construction and operation of a railroad or railroads, connections, extensions, additional track or tracks and facilities in accordance therewith, and The City of New York does hereby approve the said amended certificate and the franchise therein contained, and all the terms, conditions and requirements thereof, and consents to such construction and operation.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gillies, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Hann, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Sheil, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz and the Vice-Chairman—63.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES, RESUMED.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices

No. 1315.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on January 2, 1905 (Minutes, page 283), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of position of Bookkeeper in Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held December 30, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Bookkeeper in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, be fixed at the rate of twenty-five hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,550) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Bookkeeper in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, at the rate of twenty-five hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,550) per annum.

PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, JOHN H. DONOHUE, FRANKLIN B. WARE, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, PATRICK CHAMBERS, MORITZ TOLK, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Redmond asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gillen, Goodman, Grimm, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Jones, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Malone, Morris, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Sheil, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—44.

No. 1433—(G. O. No. 156).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on January 31, 1905 (Minutes, page 671), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of position of Engineman in Department of Parks, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 27, 1905:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in fixing the compensation of the position of Automobile Engineman in his Department at the rate of three dollars and fifty cents per diem, from January 1, 1905."

PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, JOHN H. DONOHUE, OWEN J. MURPHY, FRANK L. DOWLING, FRANKLIN B. WARE, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, PATRICK CHAMBERS, MORITZ TOLK, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

GENERAL ORDERS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Brenner called up General Order No. 152, being a report and ordinance as follows:

Nos. 1290 and 1372—(S. O. No. 82).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on December 20, 1904 (Minutes, page 956), the annexed ordinance in relation to peddling in the streets of The City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

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

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to peddling in the streets of The City of New York.

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. No licensed peddler, vender, hawker or huckster shall ply his trade or sell or exhibit for sale his goods or wares in The City of New York, unless such trade be plied or such goods or wares are offered for exhibit or sale in such streets, avenues and thoroughfares as shall be officially designated therefor by the Local Board of Improvements of the district having jurisdiction thereof, and no street, avenue or thoroughfare in which two sets of car tracks are laid and cars operated thereon shall be designated for such purpose. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as in any way affecting or impairing the powers now held by the Street Cleaning Department, the Health Department, the Police Department, or any other public authorities now having any jurisdiction in the premises.

Sec. 2. For each and every violation of any of the provisions of the foregoing section the person so offending shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and be fined, upon conviction thereof, by any Magistrate, in a sum not less than two dollars (\$2) and not more than ten dollars (\$10).

Sec. 3. No person shall be licensed to peddle, vend or hawk in The City of New York except a resident therein and a citizen of the United States.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN J. BRIDGES, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, PATRICK CHAMBERS, ANDREW J. DOYLE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

(Papers Referred to in Preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was recommitted on January 17, 1905 (Minutes, page 491), the annexed report and ordinance in relation to peddling in the streets of The City of New York and the substitute ordinance offered in lieu thereof, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, after a public hearing held thereon, they recommend that the substitute ordinance be amended by striking therefrom in section 1, the following words: "and no street, avenue or thoroughfare in which two sets of car tracks are laid and cars operated thereon shall be designated for such purpose," and that the said substitute ordinance, as so amended, be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to peddling in the streets of The City of New York.

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

Section 1. No licensed peddler, vender, hawker or huckster shall ply his trade or sell or exhibit for sale his goods or wares in The City of New York, unless such trade be plied or such goods or wares are offered for exhibit or sale in such streets, avenues and thoroughfares as shall be officially designated therefor by the Alderman of the district having jurisdiction thereof, and no street, avenue or thoroughfare in which two sets of car tracks are laid and cars operated thereon shall be designated for such purpose. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as in any way affecting or impairing the powers now held by the Street Cleaning Department, the Health Department, the Police Department, or any other public authorities now having any jurisdiction in the premises.

Sec. 2. For each and every violation of any of the provisions of the foregoing section the person so offending, upon conviction thereof by any Magistrate, shall be fined in a sum not more than two dollars (\$2).

Sec. 3. No person shall be licensed to peddle, vend or hawk in The City of New York except a resident therein and a citizen of the United States, or one who has legally declared his intentions to become a citizen, and who has first obtained written permission from the Alderman of the district in which such peddling, vending or hawking is to be conducted.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, PATRICK CHAMBERS, JOHN J. BRIDGES, CHARLES W. CULKIN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was made a special order for 2 o'clock at the next meeting.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1541.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Richard Hayes, No. 181 Broadway, Manhattan.
James O'Hara, Surrogate's Office, Manhattan.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Francesco Milano, No. 20 Prince street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Baldwin—

Jno. J. Turner, No. 245 East Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bridges—

Samuel T. Jacobs, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
Jacob M. Peyser, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

Joseph F. Sullivan, No. 188 High street, Brooklyn.

Edmund McPeck, No. 227 High street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bennett—

William H. O'Hare, Jr., No. 139 Palmetto street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Brenner—

Isaac Bleestein, No. 807 Flushing avenue, Brooklyn.
Fred Herbrand, No. 201 Montrose avenue, Brooklyn.

William B. Smith, No. 99 Montrose avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Coggey—

Lawrence McCann, Nos. 19 and 21 Park row, Manhattan.

Cornelia May Russell, No. 44 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Doull—

James Costigan, No. 415 West Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Wm. A. Wellwood, No. 350 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Diemer—

Wm. Brennan, No. 93 Hare street, Brooklyn.

John J. Dorman, No. 989 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Grimm—

Robt. Degen, No. 82 Pilling street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Gunther—

Chas. A. Moss, No. 463 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Goodman—

Samuel W. Clark, No. 204 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Manhattan.

Annie D. Levy, No. 77 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Harburger—

Jacob J. Lazaroe, No. 249 Second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Haggerty—

Nicholas Ferri, No. 337 East Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hann—

Frank W. Champlain, No. 1239 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

Edward F. Clark, No. 15 Strong place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Jones—
Morris Pollatchek, No. 125 West One Hundred and Fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kevin—
Daisy L. Jackson, No. 1016 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kenney—
Edwin V. Guinan, No. 30 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn.
Arthur Leventhal, No. 12 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kline—
Frank H. Cothren, No. 173 South Oxford street, Brooklyn.
Hector A. Robichon, No. 1427 Fifty-fifth street, Brooklyn.
John Larkin, No. 349 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McCall—
Wm. Ehrlich, No. 323 East Seventy-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Morris—
James A. Deiring, One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Forest avenue, The Bronx.

By Alderman Marks—
Louis Joseph, No. 168 Lenox avenue, Manhattan.
Henry J. Sanders, No. 502 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Manhattan.
Ethel M. C. Pugh, No. 702 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, The Bronx.

By Alderman Meyers—
William L. Vanderzee, No. 182 West Tenth street, Manhattan.
Herman Irving Solney, No. 10 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Owens—
Charles Brettell, No. 184 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Poole—
Henry Lang, No. 6 Mangin street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Richter—
James J. O'Rourke, No. 427 West Forty-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Redmond—
William H. Good, No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.
Andrew R. Grady, No. 670 President street, Brooklyn.
J. Champlyn Peirce, No. 307 Albermarle road, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Sturges—
Barker G. Stiles, No. 10 East Forty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Schloss—
Richard H. Clarke, No. 60 West Seventy-sixth street, Manhattan.
Wilson Lee Cannon, No. 146 Central Park, West, Manhattan.
Edward J. H. Rogers, No. 175 West Ninety-fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Tolk—
Joseph Jacobowitz, No. 1365 Fifth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wafer—
William Brown, No. 218 Smith street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Ware—
Benjamin Roman, No. 118 East Ninety-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wirth—
David W. Couch, Jr., No. 156 Van Buren street, Brooklyn.
The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Donohue, Dowling, Doyle, Gillies, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Owens, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Sheil, Sturges, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—44.

No. 1542.

By Alderman Tolk—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Rothberg to erect and maintain an awning of iron and glass over the sidewalk in front of the entrance to his premises, Nos. 83 and 85 Forsyth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1543.

By the Vice-Chairman—
AN ORDINANCE relating to the removing of snow and ice from the sidewalks in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, and the duties of the Corporation Counsel and the Street Cleaning Department in collecting the penalties for the violations of this ordinance.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. Hereafter any person, persons, estate, estates, corporation or corporations owning or having vested title to any lot or building or buildings within the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, shall cause to be removed within twenty-four hours from the sidewalk, or walks in front of any such lot or lots, building or buildings, all falling of snow or forming of ice on such sidewalk or walks, in front of any lot, lots, building or buildings.

Sec. 2. Hereafter any person or persons, estate, estates, corporation or corporations owning or having vested title to any land, lands, building or buildings failing to remove the falling of any snow, or the forming of any ice on the sidewalk or walks in front of any lot or lots, building or buildings, within twenty-four hours, shall be subject to the penalty of the sum of five dollars for each and every day said snow or ice remains on such sidewalk or walks, in front of any lot, lots, building or buildings.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the Street Cleaning Department of The City of New York to cause all sidewalks in front of any lot or lots, building or buildings to be cleaned of all snow and ice twenty-four hours after the falling of any snow or the forming of any ice on said sidewalk or walks, in front of any lot, lots, building or buildings, within the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the Street Cleaning Department to cause to be made a list of the names of the owner or owners, or if the names of the owners cannot be ascertained, the street number, if any, or in case there is no street number, the block and section number, or an accurate description by street or avenues on which said lot, lots, buildings or buildings are located; said list shall immediately be sent to the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York.

Sec. 5. The Corporation Counsel of The City of New York shall immediately cause to be filed in the Department of Taxes and Arrears a statement showing the amount due and costs of the penalty for the violation of this ordinance; and it shall be the duty of the Collector of Taxes of The City of New York to collect said penalty and costs against each and every owner of any lot, lots, building or buildings, within the boroughs hereinbefore mentioned.

Sec. 6. The amount due for the penalty and costs for the violations of this ordinance shall remain a lien on any lot, lots, building or buildings until paid; any streets and avenues not opened according to law and title thereto vested in the Corporation of The City of New York shall be affected by this ordinance.

Sec. 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

No. 1544.

By Alderman Ahner—
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and he hereby is authorized to purchase, without contract at public letting, the necessary playground and gymnasium apparatus and paraphernalia for the equipment of the newly constructed playgrounds and gymnasium in Thomas Jefferson Park, Manhattan, at an expense not to exceed \$5,000, payable from the fund or appropriation now available for that purpose.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 1545.

By Alderman Doyle—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Morrison to erect and maintain an awning of iron and glass in front of his premises Nos. 108 and 110 Fulton street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall to erect and maintain an awning of iron and glass in front of his premises Nos. 108 such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1546.

By Alderman Gillen—

AN ORDINANCE providing for the sanitary supervision of telephone receivers and transmitters and booths within which the same may be inclosed.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. Each and every telephone or telegraph company, firm, corporation, individual, person or persons owning and operating any telephone receiver or transmitter, or booth or booths within which the same may be inclosed, in The City of New York, shall cause to be made a daily inspection of each of said receivers, transmitters or booths in such a manner and with such antiseptics or other means as shall be prescribed by the Board of Health, so that the danger of propagating disease by means of said receivers, transmitters and booths may be reduced to a minimum.

Sec. 2. Every failure to comply with any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof before a City Magistrate, be punished by a fine of two dollars (\$2), or in default of payment of such fine by imprisonment in the City Prison for a period of two days, or both.

Sec. 3. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent or conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

No. 1547.

By Alderman Grimm—

Resolved, That it is hereby recommended to the Commissioners of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Ridgewood avenue entrance of the Church of the Transfiguration, on the corner of Ridgewood avenue and Railroad avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1548.

By Alderman Haenlein—

Resolved, That it be and is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that Welsbach lamps be substituted for the open-flame lamps now in use in Locust street, between Beaver street and Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1549.

By Alderman Harburger (on behalf of Committee on Buildings)—

Resolved, That the time of the Committee on Buildings to report on Ordinance No. 925 be extended indefinitely, the same being an ordinance to amend section 105 of the Building Code.

Which was adopted.

No. 1550.

By Alderman Harnischfeger—

That the Committee on Salaries and Offices be and is hereby discharged from further consideration of the below enumerated communications and the same be placed on file.

No. 1316. Communication from Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, asking authority to appoint a Bookkeeper. Page 284, Minutes of January 2, 1905.

No. 1507. Communication from Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, asking authority to increase salary of Superintendent. Page 868, Minutes of February 21, 1905.

Which was adopted.

No. 1551.

By Alderman Lundy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Murray Kahn to erect a temporary overhead railway or slide for conveying meat from the building line to trucks at the curb line in front of his premises on Surf avenue, near Thompson's walk, Coney Island, in the Borough of Brooklyn; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1552.

By Alderman McCall—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration, resolution now in his hands, Int. No. 1487, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty thousand dollars, the proceeds of which to be applied to defraying the expenses of the New York City Improvement Commission.

Which was adopted.

The paper was then received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:
The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 14, 1905 (Minutes, page 811), the annexed communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the matter of an additional appropriation for the New York City Improvement Commission, respectfully

REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed additional appropriation to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
February 14, 1905.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held February 10, 1905, a communication from the Chairman of the New York City Improvement Commission, copy of which is herewith inclosed, requesting an appropriation of \$20,000, this sum being estimated as necessary to enable the Commission to develop and complete the comprehensive plan for the development of The City of New York, was presented and referred to you for presentation to the Board of Aldermen.

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, the proceeds of which are to be applied to defraying the expenses of the New York City Improvement Commission.

JOHN T. MCCALL, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN H. DONOHUE, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

On motion, the vote by which this resolution was adopted was reconsidered, and the paper was made a special order for 2 o'clock at the next meeting.

No. 1553.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to fix the salary of T. C. Wasserman, a Clerk in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, from \$1,350 to \$1,800 per annum, so that the salary of the said T. C. Wasserman may be equal to that of Clerks in other departments, whose terms of service and duties are similar.

Which was adopted.

No. 1554.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That the names of Webster avenue, between Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-third street, and the public place on the east side of said avenue, laying between said avenue and the New York and Harlem Railroad tracks, and the south side of Kingsbridge road, between Webster and Park avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and they are hereby changed to Fordham square; be it further

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx be and he is hereby authorized and requested to place suitable signs on said square, showing the name thereof, and to renumber the buildings facing thereon.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Calahan, Chambers, Collins, Culkin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gillies, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Grimm, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Higgins, Jones, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, Malone, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Redmond, Shea, Sheil, Sturges, Tol, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—49.

No. 1555.

By Alderman Arthur H. Murphy—

Resolved, That Wendover avenue, between Crotona Park, East, and the Boston road, and Wilkins place, between the Boston road and the Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, be hereafter known and designated as Wilkins avenue, and that the President of the Borough of The Bronx be hereby authorized and empowered to take such action in the premises as shall be proper.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Brenner, Bridges, Calahan, Chambers, Collins, Culkin, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Downing, Doyle, Gillen, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, Malone, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owens, Redmond, Schappert, Schloss, Sheil, Sturges, Tol, Twomey, Wentz, Wirth and the Vice-Chairman—43.

No. 1556.

By Alderman Poole—

Whereas, A contract for executing the work for constructing a temporary sewer and appurtenance in White Plains road, from Fifteenth avenue to Demilt avenue, etc., was awarded to Mr. J. S. Rogers on December 30, 1901, and the contract was duly signed by the parties thereto on January 31, 1902; and

Whereas, After execution of said contract, a notice was sent to the Union Railway Company, directing them to remove their tracks to the centre line of White Plains road, as widened, such direction being given without the knowledge or consent of the said contractor; and

Whereas, The said work of laying the tracks as directed, and running the cars over the same, interfered with the said contract to build a sewer, and prevented the work therein mentioned from being executed by the usual method from the surface of the street; and

Whereas, The work of executing the said contract of building a sewer was increased in cost by reason of the laying of the tracks and the running of the cars thereon, and prevented the execution of the contract for the sewer in the usual manner, and necessitated the performing of a certain part of the work by hand at an increased cost; now be it

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx be and he hereby is empowered and directed to execute a contract for additional compensation because of the method to be pursued in performing the work at a sum not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the same to be paid from the Street Improvement Fund.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1557.

By Alderman Schloss—

AN ORDINANCE for the promotion of sanitary conditions in certain public places in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. There shall be placed in the foyer or lobby of each theatre, on each elevated railway station, in each subway station, in each ferry-house, at each bridge terminal and the terminal of each railroad entering The City of New York, a sufficient number of spittoons or cuspidors, made of porcelain or lined with enamel, and to contain such antiseptic solution as may be deemed expedient and designated by the Board of Health, the better to promote sanitary conditions and minimize the danger of propagating disease.

Sec. 2. So far as the provisions of the foregoing section apply, the Commissioner of Bridges is authorized to carry them into effect.

Sec. 3. Each and every company, firm, corporation, individual, person or persons owning, controlling or operating any theatre, elevated railway station, subway station or railroad terminal, for each failure to comply with the provisions of section one of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof before a City Magistrate, be punished by a fine of fifty dollars (\$50).

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 1558.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That for the purpose of giving the ordinance known as "An Ordinance regulating the carrying of loaded firearms in The City of New York," which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen and duly approved by his Honor the Mayor, the widest possible publicity, the Police Commissioner is hereby respectfully requested to have copies of the said ordinance printed and placed in every saloon and public place throughout the City.

Which was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 1559.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, }
February 27, 1905, }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—It becomes my duty to request that your Honorable Board take appropriate action on behalf of the City in reference to the death of the Hon. Edward Cooper.

Out of the fullness of his years Mr. Cooper has left to us the memory of a useful and beneficent life.

The City may well be proud of him as a product of what was best in her spirit and her education. Trained in our schools and stimulated by the example of his noble father, whose name will always be revered as that of a generous friend of public instruction, Edward Cooper freely gave of his time and his fortune to extend the field and elevate the standard of popular education. He filled the office of Mayor of New York during the years 1879 and 1880 and contributed much to the development of the City.

It is fitting therefore that the City should publicly manifest its gratitude, and pay a tribute of honor to the memory of one of her distinguished sons.

Respectfully,

GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

In connection herewith Alderman Goodman offered the following:

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen of The City of New York has learned with profound sorrow of the death of ex-Mayor Edward Cooper, our distinguished citizen, noted as merchant and man of affairs, who departed this life in the fullness of years of much fruit, in the eighty-first year of his age; therefore be it

Resolved, That we deem it eminently fit to mark our appreciation of the sterling merits of the deceased and of our sympathy with those near to him and who survive to lament his loss.

Edward Cooper was in public and private life a foremost citizen; in the business world a force of no mean order; among those who knew him, the true gentleman. He will be missed for qualities of heart and mind which made his counsel and advice most valuable. Without ostentation in his works he was deeply solicitous for the welfare and betterment of his fellow man. Son of that great philanthropist, Peter Cooper, whose benefactions have aided in building the fortunes of thousands by providing the means of technical education in that noble establishment, the Cooper Union, Edward Cooper, as President of the Institution, furthered the plans of his distinguished father and liberally added to his gifts.

In civic matters he was Street Commissioner in 1858, and in 1878 was elected Mayor of the old City of New York. He served the City and its people well in both capacities.

In business matters he shared largely in the development of the manufacturing and mercantile interests of our City by his versatile connection with many of its largest works.

Be it further Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to forward a copy of this preamble and resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated, to the family of the late ex-Mayor Edward Cooper.

Resolved, further, That, as an additional mark of respect, this Board do now adjourn.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 7, 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York, January 6, 1905.

A meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Friday morning, the 6th inst., at 9.30 o'clock.

There were present the President and Commissioner Appleton.

A letter was presented from the Department of Health, dated December 30, requesting that the classification of positions in the Exempt Class in that Department be amended by including therein the position of Inspector of Supplies. The Secretary was instructed to arrange for a public hearing under the provisions of Civil Service Rule III., to be held Friday, December 13, at 9.30 A. M.

A letter was presented from the President of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated January 3, requesting that the classification of positions in the Exempt Class in that Department be amended by increasing the number of Chaplains from two to three. The Secretary was instructed to arrange for a public hearing on the proposed amendment, to be held Friday, January 13, at 9.30 A. M.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, dated December 23, requesting that the classification of positions in the Exempt Class in the Department of Finance be amended by including therein the position of Medical Examiner. The Secretary was instructed to arrange for a public hearing to be held on Friday, December 13, at 9.30 A. M.

The matter of receiving the application of William E. Powers for the position of Inspector of Tenements, which application had been rejected by the Chief Examiner on account of the unsatisfactory character of the applicant, was again considered. A report from the Chief Examiner was read, giving his reasons for rejecting the application. The action of the Chief Examiner was sustained.

The request of James Seaton that his name be restored to the eligible list for Inspector of Tenements was considered. Mr. Seaton presented an affidavit setting forth the fact that he had been certified to the Tenement House Department for appointment and had stated that he was willing to accept appointment; that he had never heard from the Department in regard to the matter, and that the statement made to this Commission to the effect that he declined appointment was incorrect. In view of the circumstances in the case, the Secretary was instructed to restore Mr. Seaton's name to the list.

The appeal of Henry A. Leonard that he be cleared of the bad record appearing against him in this Department, and that he be permitted to enter any future examinations in which he may be qualified to compete, was again considered. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission that the statements made by Mr. Leonard's former employer containing the inference of dishonesty were not well founded, and such statements having been the sole cause of the rejection of several applications filed by him, in order to do the candidate no further injustice, the Secretary was instructed to notify him that should he desire to compete in any future examination the Commission will have no objection to his doing so.

The Commission again considered the matter of accepting the application of John O. Moran for the position of Janitor, said application having been rejected by the Chief Examiner for reason of the unsatisfactory character of the applicant. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission that the Chief Examiner was justified in his action, the Secretary was instructed to communicate with Mr. Moran, and state that the Commission declines to change its ruling.

A letter was presented from Matthias Deller, protesting against the action of the Commission in declining to place his name on the eligible list for Section Foreman for the reason that he has not served the required three years in the Department of Street Cleaning in his present position. The candidate stated that he was originally appointed in 1898, but was dismissed in 1901 and later reinstated, and requested that the length of his service in the Department of Street Cleaning be computed from the former date. The request was denied, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the applicant that in cases of dismissal from the service a candidate's seniority can only be rated from the time of his reinstatement.

The request of Peter I. Wright that his name be transferred from the list for Court Stenographer, Brooklyn, to that for Court Stenographer, Queens, in view of his having permanently removed to the latter borough, was referred to Examiner Byrne for verification.

The request of Louis Granat that his name be restored to the eligible list for fifth grade Stenographer and Typewriter was granted, it appearing that the notice sent to this office by the Commissioner of Licenses that Mr. Granat had declined appointment in his office was incorrect.

The Secretary presented a report from Examiner Byrne on the complaint made to this office by the "Eccentric Association of Engineers" against the assignment of Thomas H. Dibbins and William A. Drew, Enginemen employed in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Brooklyn, and the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Queens, respectively, to perform duties inappropriate to their title. The report of Examiner Byrne stated that William A. Drew is assigned to act as Chief or Supervising Engineman of Pumping Machinery, Boilers, etc., in the several pumping stations of the Department of Water Supply, in the Borough of Queens, such duties requiring daily visits to these stations; that in view of the fact that Mr. Drew is eligible for promotion to the position of Supervising Engineman it does not seem that the law is being violated when he is assigned to perform the duties of that position so long as he is not in receipt of a higher salary than that paid other Enginemen in the employ of the Department. With reference to Thomas H. Dibbins, the report stated that he has been detailed all of the present year and was detailed under the last administration to visit the various new buildings under construction in that Bureau to see that the steam heating and electric plants are properly installed, his duties also being more properly those of a Supervising Engineman. The Secretary stated that the Commission had been requested to consent to the transfer of Mr. Dibbins from the position of Engineman in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Brooklyn, to the same position in the Department of Education, and that the transfer had been approved by the Commission on December 1, 1904. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission that there is no violation of the Civil Service Law in the assignment of Mr. Drew to perform the duties of Supervising Engineman in view of the fact that he is receiving no higher salary than any other Engineman employed by the Department, the Department having assured the Commission that such assignment is made for reasons of economy; and it further appearing that Mr. Dibbins has been transferred to the Department of Education and is no longer performing the duties complained of, the Secretary was instructed to inform the Eccentric Association of Engineers of the facts in the case and the papers were ordered filed.

The Secretary called the attention of the Commission to a complaint from John J. Kehoe, a candidate for the position of Axeman, stating that some of his examination papers were missing. A report from the Chief Examiner stated that the candidate had withdrawn from the examination and had not completed his examination. The papers were ordered filed.

The appeal of Miss Aida M. Downing, candidate for the position of Librarian, that she be allowed a rating in "experience" and given credit for three years' service in the Queens Borough Library, which she failed to mention in that paper, was denied.

The appeal of Miss Annie E. Finan, candidate for the position of Librarian, for a rating of her examination papers was denied.

The request of the Comptroller, that the Commission hold a special examination for the position of Examiner of Sewer Claims, under the provisions of Rule VI., paragraph 6, was approved, and the Secretary was instructed to proceed with the same at an early date. The request of the Comptroller that he be permitted to appoint temporarily to that position, pending the establishment of the eligible list, the following-named persons, under Rule XII., paragraph 3, was also granted:

Mr. John Abel, No. 134 Fourth place, Brooklyn.

Mr. Charles Spicer, No. 163 Eckford street, Brooklyn.

Mr. Emanuel Lowenstein, No. 240 Twelfth street, Brooklyn.

Mr. Dean Potter, Caton avenue and Sixteenth street, Brooklyn.

The request of Mrs. Bena G. Fleming that she be appointed to the position of Monitor was denied, the Commission having in its employ at the present time a large enough number of Monitors to answer the requirements of its examinations.

The request of John H. Kelley, Junior Clerk in the office of the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, that the examination for promotion to first grade Clerk, in which he competed on February 13, 1903, be construed to have qualified him for promotion to fourth grade Clerk, was approved, upon the statement of the Chief Examiner that the same questions were submitted to candidates on that day for the first four grades of clerkship.

The application of Joseph H. M. Cook for the position of Apiarist was rejected, it appearing that the applicant was not a resident of the State of New York.

On the recommendation of the President the examination papers submitted by candidates for the following positions:

Deputy Superintendent of Training School for Nurses,

Alienist, and

Pathologist

were referred to Medical Examiners Warbasse and Kene for rating, and the papers submitted in the examination for Leveler were referred to Examiner Hildreth.

The Commission then adjourned to meet January 7, 1904, at 9 A. M.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York January 7, 1905.

A meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Saturday, January 7, 1905, at 9 A. M. All the Commissioners were present.

The Secretary presented a report of Examiner Byrne on the complaint of Carmine Sarlo of New Brighton, Staten Island, that he was dismissed from the position of Foreman of Laborers in the Borough President's office, Richmond, although he had never received any notice of his appointment to such a position and had never been employed in such capacity. The report of Mr. Byrne stated that, in addition to Mr. Sarlo, the following-named persons were also certified for appointment as Foremen of Laborers:

George H. Johnson, No. 25 Metcalf street, Stapleton.

Adam Hemmes, No. 32 New Berry avenue, Garretson.

Edward P. Fox, No. 179 Jersey street, New Brighton.

Lemuel C. Slater, No. 35 Second street, New Brighton.

Frederick Blauth, Sr., No. 39 Gordon street, Stapleton.

Joseph C. Wells, No. 46 Elizabeth street, West New Brighton.

Alonzo W. Polhemus, Pleasant Plains.

John A. Goblet, No. 206 St. Mary's avenue, Rosebank.

Of these Johnson, Slater, Wells and Goblet were appointed, and on September 28, 1904, this Department was notified that the others had been dismissed from the service owing to the fact that they had "failed to report for work." It appearing from the affidavits presented by Messrs. Hemmes, Fox, Blauth, Polhemus and Sarlo that they never had been notified for appointment and had never served as Foremen of Laborers, and it further appearing, in view of that fact, that the appointment of the other men named in the certification was not regular, on motion, the Secretary was instructed to revoke the certification and restore all the names contained therein to their original standing on the eligible list.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Monday morning, the 9th inst., at 9 A. M.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York City, January 11, 1905.

A meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Wednesday, January 11, at 9:30 A. M. All the Commissioners were present.

The minutes of the meetings held January 5, 6 and 7 were approved.

The Committee on Transfers recommended that the following requests for transfer be approved:

August Schott, from the position of Junior Clerk in the Department of Public Charities to a similar position in the Department of Docks and Ferries.

William F. Schneider, from the position of Examining Inspector to that of Inspector of Repairs and Supplies in the Department of Finance, he having formerly held that position.

Charles D. Schenck, from Examiner of Accounts to Accountant in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts (Rule XIV., 2).

The recommendation of the Committee on Transfers was adopted.

The Committee on Reinstatements recommended that the request of the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries, that the reinstatement of George S. Gaylord in the position of Watchman in that department be approved, be granted, Mr. Gaylord having resigned from that position on May 14, 1904. The recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements was adopted.

A letter was presented from the Civil Service Reform Association, complaining of the employment of persons to act as Process Servers in the Department of Taxes and Assessments who have not been appointed from the Civil Service list for that position. The Secretary stated that the persons complained of are not employed by the Department of Taxes and Assessments, but are employed in the office of the Corporation Counsel in the branch charged with the collection of arrears of personal taxes; that a complaint was made to this office last spring against such employment, by one George McFadden, of Boston road, Borough of The Bronx, and that the matter was thereupon referred to the Corporation Counsel, who advised the Commission on June 28, 1904, that the special work on which these Process Servers were employed required the services of persons having special experience; that the interests of the City were very much promoted by appointing persons temporarily, under contract, whenever the personal tax arrears notices and other work of an intermittent character demanded the employment of additional men, it often being necessary to employ such men after the business day and during the evening hours; that were these notices to be served by City employees paid an annual salary and conforming to the regular hours of employment, the numerous actions brought for the collection of arrears of personal taxes would be indefinitely delayed and a heavy loss to the City would probably ensue; that, to sum up, the matter was largely one of practicability and economy.

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to transmit copies of the communications of the Corporation Counsel and Examiner Byrne to the Civil Service Reform Association.

A letter was presented from the Civil Service Reform Association, protesting against the examination for promotion from the position of Disinfector to that of Tabu-

lator in the Department of Health, for the reason that the positions are not similar, and stating that the persons serving in the next lower grade should have been examined for such promotion. The Secretary stated that the persons employed under titles included in the same group as that of Tabulator, were five persons employed as "Assistant Registrar of Records," who were receiving an annual salary of \$3,000, and that it was therefore impracticable to examine such persons for promotion to a twelve hundred dollar position; that the persons whom the Commissioner of Health nominated for promotion to the position of Tabulator were familiar with the duties of that position, and as they were furthermore familiar with the routine work of the Health Department, he considered that the interests of the City were better subserved by promoting such persons than they would have been had an open competitive examination for the position been asked for; that there was clearly no violation of the provisions of Civil Service Rule XV, paragraph 2, for the reason that the same provides that "such examinations shall be open, in each case, to all persons who have served with fidelity for not less than six months in positions of the same group or general character in the grade next lower," and in this case there was no one serving in the Health Department in the "same group" of positions as Tabulator except the Assistant Registrars of Records before mentioned, who draw an annual salary of \$3,000. The Secretary further stated that he had communicated with the Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association and informed him of the foregoing facts. The action of the Secretary was approved.

A letter was presented from the Civil Service Reform Association, again calling the attention of the Commission to the complaint made by that Association against the employment of Girdell V. Brower as Foreman of Laborers in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The Secretary stated that he had communicated with the Department and requested that the Commission be furnished with a statement of the duties performed by Mr. Brower; that on December 24 the following report had been received from the Chief Engineer of the Department:

"Hon. THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy Commissioner:

"Dear Sir—I am in receipt of the communication addressed to you by the Commissioner, inclosing copy of letter from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and also from the State Civil Service Commission, in regard to the duties performed by Mr. Girdell V. Brower, Foreman of Laborers, and in compliance with your directions I beg to report as follows:

"Mr. Brower, as Foreman of Laborers, has charge of the various gangs of laborers, aggregating from 50 to 60 men, which are employed on the line to clean the streams, clean the screens and operate the gates, repair fences, truck and distribute material, unload coal and do all the current work required on the line and stations. He also keeps the time of the men and sees that their duties are duly performed. Mr. Brower also sees that any special laborer's work prescribed by this Bureau is properly done by the men under him.

"Yours respectfully,

(Signed) "I. M. DE VARONA, Chief Engineer."

The Secretary was instructed to forward a copy of the Chief Engineer's report to the Civil Service Reform Association.

A letter was presented from the Civil Service Reform Association, complaining of an alleged violation of the Civil Service Law in the designation of one Dennis Gerrity, Laboratory Assistant in the Department of Public Charities, to perform the duties of an Acting Chemist. The Secretary stated that he had forwarded a copy of the letter of the Association to the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities for an immediate report on the matter, and that Mr. Borden promptly assured this Department that Mr. Gerrity is employed under the title of "Laboratory Attendant," and that the memorandum in the CITY RECORD of July, 1904, to the effect that he was employed as "Acting Chemist" was incorrect. The Secretary further stated that he had forwarded a copy of Mr. Borden's letter to the Association for its information. The action of the Secretary was approved.

The report of the Committee on Appeals for the six months ending December 31, 1904, was read and ordered filed.

The report of the Chief Examiner on examinations held during the month of December, 1904, was ordered filed.

The report of the Chief Examiner on the work of the Examining Board of the Municipal Civil Service Commission for the year 1904 was ordered filed.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner on the request of the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, that the Commission hold an examination for promotion from the position of Messenger in that Department to that of fifth grade Clerk, recommending that the request be denied, in view of the fact that the positions are totally dissimilar and that the position of Messenger is of much lower a character than the position to which it is desired to make promotion. The recommendation of the Chief Examiner was adopted.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner on the appeal of I. A. Brazill, No. 131 East Forty-third street, City, that he be permitted to complete his examination for the position of Leveler by submitting at this time his experience paper, in view of the fact that he did not have time to complete same within the allotted time. The Chief Examiner recommended that the appeal be denied in view of the fact that all candidates had full instructions in the beginning of the examination as to the number of papers that would be submitted to them, and the hour of closing the examination, and for the further reason that were same granted it would give the candidate an undue advantage over the other candidates in the examination who followed the rules laid down at the beginning of same. The recommendation of the Chief Examiner was adopted.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner on the request of Joseph V. De P. Hogue that he be permitted to complete his examination for the position of Leveler by handing in at this time an experience paper, for the reason that he did not have time to complete his examination within the prescribed hours. The Chief Examiner recommended that the appeal be denied, for the same reasons set forth in the foregoing case. The recommendation of the Chief Examiner was adopted.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner with reference to the appeal of A. Merkin, candidate for the position of Leveler, asking that his application for that position be canceled, in view of the fact that he failed to hand in all the papers prepared by him in the examination. The Chief Examiner stated that the candidates were warned in their instructions that they would be held responsible for any errors or omissions in handing in their papers; that the candidate in question did not offer to hand in the sheet which he claims should have been handed in until his return to the room after luncheon; and that in such a case it is his invariable rule to refuse to accept any additional sheet. The request was denied.

A letter was presented from the Chief Examiner with reference to the request of Edward J. St. Leger, that the examination in which he competed for promotion from the position of Orderly to that of Junior Clerk, be construed to have qualified him for the position of fifth grade Clerk. The Chief Examiner stated that, in his opinion, the examination taken by Mr. St. Leger was not such as would have been set for an examination for promotion to a fifth grade clerkship. In view of this statement, the request was denied.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner with reference to the appeal of Francis M. Robinson, that the examination which he participated in for promotion to the position of second grade Clerk be construed to have qualified him for promotion to the fourth grade. On the statement of the Chief Examiner that the same examination questions were set for the first four grades of clerkship, the request was granted.

A letter was presented from Clerk Woodward, requesting the Commission to authorize him to notify the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman to appear for physical examination, they having been granted conditional notices for the mental examination by former President Ogden, subject to their later passing a physical test:

16880. Thomas F. Scanlan, No. 346 East Eighty-fourth street.

16921. Francis V. McAvinney, No. 25 First street, Brooklyn.

17011. James E. Nolan, No. 2061 Eighth avenue.

17029. James J. Kennedy, No. 335 East Twenty-seventh street.

17304. Rudolph Brodil, No. 336 East Seventy-eighth street.

17374. William Dunn, L. I. S. Hospital, Albany and Clarkson streets, Brooklyn.

17527. James H. McEntee, No. 38 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

18467. William J. Quinn, No. 183 Kingsland avenue, Brooklyn.

18533. John T. Kane, No. 229 Eighth street, Brooklyn.

18615. John J. Mullin, No. 397 Ninth avenue.

18429. Michael Casey, No. 434 West Twenty-ninth street.

—and further stating that the following-named candidates had been granted similar conditional notices for the mental examination and had also been granted a physical examination, but that the same had not yet been held:

17393. William C. Ryan, No. 1053 Park avenue.
18786. Frank Gunn, No. 681 Wales avenue.
18629. Edward C. McCormack, No. 219 East Sixty-ninth street.
16957. J. A. J. Flynn, No. 536 East One Hundred and Fifty-first street.

The Secretary was authorized to instruct the Record Clerk to notify the aforesaid candidates for a physical test, and in the event of their passing the same, to place their names upon the eligible list in accordance with their ascertained average.

A letter was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Brooklyn, requesting the Commission to hold an examination for promotion to the position of Plan Examiner in his department. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, requesting the Commission to arrange to hold an examination for promotion from the position of Transmittal and Computer to that of Assistant Engineer in his department. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, Brooklyn, requesting the Commission to arrange an examination for promotion of Mr. William W. Richards, Chief Clerk, from the eighth to the tenth grade. The Secretary stated that Mr. Richards was the only employee in that department eligible to compete in such an examination. On motion, the same was granted.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Health Department transmitting a resolution of that Board requesting approval of the Commission of its action in rescinding its resolution construing the absence of Dr. Bernard Frankel for five days in excess of the leave of absence granted him as a resignation and restoring Dr. Frankel's name to the pay-roll of the department as a Medical Inspector. On motion, the action of the department was recognized.

A letter was presented from the Supervisor of the City Record, requesting that an examination be arranged for promotion from the position of Stenographer and Book Typewriter, third grade, to that of Stenographer and Book Typewriter, fourth grade, in his office. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, requesting that the position of Messenger in the Paymaster's Office and Auditing Bureau in his department be transferred from the exempt to the competitive class. The matter was referred to the President for consideration.

A letter was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Brooklyn, requesting that the pay-roll of A. R. Townsend, for services rendered as Automobile Engineer in that Department prior to the date upon which certification was made by this office for temporary employment, pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position, be approved by the Commission. In view of the fact that the need of the services of an Automobile Engineer to operate the machine in use in the Department of Public Works was urgent, and that this Commission was unable to certify from any eligible list to fill such vacancy, the Secretary was instructed to attach a special certificate to the pay-roll and forwarded the same to the Department of Finance for auditing.

A letter was presented from the Department of Public Charities, requesting that the Commission hold an examination for promotion from the position of Trained Nurse to that of Supervising Nurse, and that such examination be limited to graduates of the Homeopathic Training School for Nurses. The request for an examination was granted, but the Secretary was instructed to notify all Trained Nurses in the Department that they will be eligible to compete.

A letter was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Brooklyn, requesting that an examination be held for promotion from the position of Stoker (labor class) to that of Stationary Engineer (competitive class) in that Department. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to admit all Stokers in the Department to the examination who have served three years in their present position.

A letter was presented from the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting approval of the following temporary appointments to the position of Machinist (Automobile Repairist):

- Henry R. Read, five days from December 10, 25, 30, January 4.
Frank Schwarz, five days from December 11, 26, 31, January 5.
C. R. Stedman, five days from December 13, 28, January 2 and 7.
The same were approved.

A letter was presented from the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting that an examination be held for promotion to the position of Stable Foreman in that Department. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting the Commission to hold a special examination for the position of Automobile Repairist. The Secretary stated that an examination had been arranged for the position of Automobile Engineer and was about to be advertised. On motion, the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to include a paper in the examination for Automobile Engineer calculated to qualify the candidates for the work of repairing, as well as operating machines, and to amend the advertisement by inserting that requirement in same; also to notify the Commissioner of Street Cleaning that, in accordance with his request, the Chief Examiner had been requested to hold a non-competitive examination to qualify an Operator for service in his Department, pending the establishment of the eligible list.

On the recommendation of the Chief Examiner, the following reports of Boards of Examiners for positions in the non-competitive class were approved:

- Department of Street Cleaning, December 21.
Department of Education, December 17.
Department of Correction, December 31.
Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, December 28.
The Commission then adjourned to meet Thursday, the 12th inst., at 9 A. M.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York, January 13, 1905.

A meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Friday, January 13, 1905, at 9.30 A. M. There were present President Coler and Commissioner Appleton.

A public hearing was held on the request of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, that the classification of positions in that Department be amended by increasing the number of Chaplains in the exempt class from two to three. Michael J. Richard, Esq., Assistant Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital, appeared in behalf of the proposed amendment. There was no opposition. The hearing then closed.

A public hearing was then held on the request of Comptroller Grout that the position of Medical Examiner be included in the exempt class in the Department of Finance. James F. McKinney, Esq., Auditor of Accounts, Department of Finance, represented the Comptroller in urging the adoption of the proposed amendment. Elliot H. Goodwin, Esq., Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, appeared in opposition to the same. George R. Crowley, Esq., President of the Association of Civil Employees, also addressed the Commission in opposition to the exemption. The hearing then closed, and the Commission adjourned to meet Saturday morning, January 14, at 9 o'clock.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York, January 14, 1905.

A meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Saturday, January 14, 1905, at 9 A. M. All the Commissioners were present.

The President presented a report on miscellaneous appeals presented by candidates in recent examinations, which had been referred to him at a previous meeting, recommending the following disposition of same:

- Watchman—Physical Re-examination.
895. August Vetting, No. 136 East Seventh street. Denied.
1066. George M. Sofield, No. 437 Essex street, Brooklyn. Denied.
1360. William P. Ayres, No. 414 West Forty-seventh street. Denied.
1164. W. J. Garry, No. 340 East Twenty-ninth street. Denied.
1148. Charles A. Essig, No. 307 West Thirtieth street. Denied.

1137. Philip McEntee, No. 325 East Thirty-sixth street. Denied.
971. George W. Smith, No. 1434 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Denied.
905. Michael H. Leach, No. 24 Clarkson street. Denied.

- Watchman—Special Physical Examination.
1278. Arnold Roger, No. 431 East Eighty-sixth street. Denied.
905. Wiltsey H. Ryan, No. 604 West One Hundred and Fortieth street. Denied.

- Watchman—Special Mental Examination.
953. Peter Harding, No. 17 Tompkins street. Denied.
Joseph G. Callahan, No. 58 Sutton street, Brooklyn. Denied.

- Engineer of Steamer—Physical Re-examination.
George E. Snider, No. 200 East Fourteenth street. Denied.
Herman F. Kuch, No. 301 East Fifty-fifth street. Denied.

- Attendant—Special Physical Examination.
899. Frank Schlegel, No. 227 Franklin street, Long Island City. Denied.
794. John Dugan, No. 738 Second avenue. Denied.

604. William R. O'Brien, No. 401 West Forty-second street. Denied.
370. James E. Morgan, No. 83 Division avenue, Brooklyn. Denied.

- Attendant—Special Mental Examination.
470. John McMullin, No. 1454 Fulton street, Brooklyn. Denied.
335. Thomas F. Murphy, No. 789 Columbus avenue. Denied.

- Matron—Special Mental Examination.
768. Eva Carney, No. 1497 Lexington avenue. Denied.

- Janitor—Physical Examinations.
831. William Hall, No. 422 East Fifty-second street, care of Harvey. Granted.
918. Martin Grant, No. 254 West One Hundred and Forty-third street. Denied.

805. David D. Thompson, No. 1039 Third avenue. Denied.
750. George F. Sloane, No. 233 Bridge street, Brooklyn. Denied.
714. John S. Conlon, No. 107 Second street. Granted.

692. William A. LePard, No. 270 West Eleventh street. Granted.
754. George F. Carroll, No. 154 Russell street, Brooklyn. Granted.
903. William J. Schaffner, Westchester avenue and Avenue C. Granted.

1061. Adolphus Held, Sutter avenue, Middle Village, Queens. Granted.
1017. Matthew Dempsey, No. 471 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn. Granted.
1181. John W. Hungad, No. 515 Lexington avenue. Granted.

928. Thomas Owens, No. 1052 Park avenue. Granted.
650. Louis J. Oliver, No. 243 Bay Thirty-fifth street, Bensonhurst. Granted.

- Matron—Physical Re-examinations.
332. Katherine C. Stevens, No. 336 State street, Flushing. Denied.
835. Jennie Ewing, No. 685 Fifth avenue. Denied.

- Matron—Special Physical Examination.
502. Elena A. Smith, No. 374 Tenth avenue. Denied.
Attendance Officer—Physical Re-examination (Sicilian Dialect).

1770. Agatha Genouese, No. 280 Tenth avenue. Denied.
1786. Maria G. P. Tuzza, No. 191 Prince street. Denied.

- Inspector Tenements—Special Mental Examination.
2560. Abraham A. Mullins, No. 236 West Sixty-seventh street. Denied.
Roundsman.

1165. James A. Donoghue, No. 929 Amsterdam avenue, 84.12 per cent. Denied.
Axeman—Special Examination on Experience.
1109. John J. Kehoe, No. 696 East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street. Denied.

- Janitor—Special Mental Examination.
856. Charles C. Read, No. 358 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn. Denied.
Inspector Licenses—Special Examination on Experience.

969. Henry B. Boyle, No. 10 Seventh street, Williamsbridge. Denied.
Messenger—Special Mental Examination.
2092. Thomas F. Donohue, Jr., No. 2216 Broadway. Denied.

- Patrolman—Change of Date of Birth.
18420. Michael M. O'Donnell, No. 273 Nassau avenue, Brooklyn. Granted.
14532. John F. Walsh, No. 236 Sackett street, Brooklyn. Denied.

12831. Patrick Coogan, No. 324 East Fortieth street. Granted.
On motion, the report was adopted, except as to the case of Herman F. Kuch, candidate for Engineer of Steamer, who requests a physical re-examination, which was laid over pending the receipt of further information from the Fire Commissioner.

The Committee on Transfers recommended that the following requests for transfer be granted:

Tobias Hochlerner, from the position of Leveler in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to a similar position in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Herbert C. Alden, from the position of Assistant Engineer in the Aqueduct Commission to a similar position in the office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx.

The recommendation of the Committee on Transfers was adopted.

The Committee on Reinstatements recommended that the request of the Police Commissioner for the reinstatement of William H. Conley in the position of Patrolman in his Department be denied, it appearing from the records of this office that Mr. Conley resigned during his probationary period, having been appointed on July 12, 1904, and having resigned from said position on July 19, 1904.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the classification of positions in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, in the exempt class, be and the same is hereby amended by changing the line "two Chaplains" to read "three Chaplains."

On motion, the question as to the desirability of eliminating question 10 from the application form at present in use in this department was referred to the Assistant Secretary for a report.

The action of the Chief Examiner in rejecting the applications of the following-named persons for various positions in the City service, was sustained, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission that his reasons for such action were well founded:

Joseph Brazill, Topographical Draughtsman; misstatement in answer to question 10.

Lorenzo Cioffii, Interpreter; unsatisfactory character.
Thomas J. Mangin, General Inspector of Construction, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals; unsatisfactory character.

James F. Gallagher, Watchman; unsatisfactory character.
Sandwell Goldberg, Clerk, Building and Tenement House Department, and Inspector of Tenements; unsatisfactory character.

A report was presented from Examiners Conway and Murray on the rating of the record of Michael J. Gannon, candidate for promotion to the position of Roundsman, Police Department, as follows:

"On the rating of the record of Michael J. Gannon, candidate for Roundsman, who originally received 81 per cent. instead of 82. The candidate had a long record of delinquencies which made calculations difficult. On an appeal, the papers were marked as referred to Mr. Murray and myself, but for some reason they never reached us, and the error remained uncorrected.

"The candidate has called at this office several times for the purpose of having the matter attended to. Mr. Murray and I went carefully over the record to-day, and agreed that the rating should be 82. We, therefore, respectfully recommend that it be changed accordingly.

"Respectfully,

"J. P. CONWAY.

"THOMAS C. MURRAY."

On motion, the recommendation of Examiners Conway and Murray was adopted. The recommendation of the Labor Clerk that the salary of Harry Somerville, Office Boy, be increased, was laid over.

A letter was presented from Henry J. Lynch, requesting that he be permitted to file a duplicate of an appeal handed in at this office on December 8, 1904, in view of the fact that the same has been mislaid. It appearing from Mr. Lynch's sworn statement that on the aforesaid date he filed his appeal in this office, and that through some error or oversight the same has been lost track of. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from William Van den Dries, Jr., requesting that his technical paper in the recent examination for Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving be rated. It appearing that the candidate, in spite of the warning given to all competitors in the examination by the Chief Examiner, that they would be held responsible for any errors or omissions in their examination papers, did not hand in any part of his technical paper until he returned to the examination room after luncheon. The request was denied.

The Secretary called the attention of the Commission to the appeals of the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman, who signed their names to their experience papers, that their papers be rated and their names placed upon the eligible list in accordance with the percentages obtained by them in such examination:

17877. George W. Creighton, Tottenville, S. I.
16873. Charles A. Walsh, No. 222 Harrison street, Brooklyn.
18540. Henry A. Harrison, Jr., No. 142½ Newell street, Brooklyn.
18335. Benjamin J. Armbruster, No. 346 Marion street, Brooklyn.

It appearing that the experience papers in the examination for Patrolman were not rated by the Examiners who rated the other papers, and that, therefore, the Examiners who marked the technical and other sheets of the candidates were not familiar with their identity; and it further appearing that all of the said papers were rated before it was discovered that the candidates had made the mistake of signing their names to the experience papers, and that, therefore, it remains now but to compute their percentages on experience, the Secretary was directed to instruct the Chief Examiner to do so, and place the candidates' names on the eligible list in the order of their ascertained percentages.

An affidavit was presented from Andrew B. Keating, No. 20 Manhattan street, New York City, to the effect that on June 14, 1904, he mailed a written application for the position of Fireman to this office, but never received notice to appear for examination, and requests an opportunity to qualify for the position of Fireman. In view of the fact that the application was never received at this office, and that, therefore, it was not the fault of the Commission that Mr. Keating had no opportunity to enter the examination for the position of Fireman, the request was denied, and the Secretary was instructed to call his attention to the provisions of Rule VII., paragraph 11.

A letter was presented from Charles J. Heed, Chairman of a Committee representing the New York Fire Department Benevolent Association, requesting the Commission to set a date on which it will confer with such Committee on an important matter. The letter was referred to the President for disposition.

Letters from the following-named employees of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, requesting an increase in salary, were laid over:

- Examiners Smith, Upshaw and Evans.
George H. Eberle, Pay-roll Clerk.
Elias B. Brindley, Junior Clerk.
John W. Woodward, Clerk.
Henry B. Boudinot, Clerk.
Emil Back, Clerk.

The request of Patrick Ryan, No. 76 East One Hundred and Fifth street, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Building Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, was denied, it appearing that when Mr. Ryan was offered appointment in the Department of Education on November 7, 1904, he declined to consider the same for the reason that he already had a permanent position.

The request of Edward N. Raleigh, No. 123 Madison street, New York City, that his name be restored to the eligible list for the position of Leveler was granted, it appearing that the letter of the President of the Borough of Richmond, notifying this Department that he failed to answer to the notice sent him, was an error, the candidate having made a sworn statement that he replied to same the next day and gave his reason for declining as "location."

On motion, the request of Mrs. Frances Gest, No. 144 East Sixtieth street, that her name be restored to the preferred eligible list for Temporary Clerk was granted.

On motion, the request of Francis A. Smith, No. 109 West One Hundred and Fourth street, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Temporary Clerk was granted.

The request of P. O'K. McGauran, No. 369 Bridge street, Brooklyn, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Temporary Clerk was granted.

The request of James F. Logan, Williamsbridge, New York City, that he be restored to eligibility for appointment to the position of Stationary Engineer at any salary was granted, it appearing from the letter of the candidate that the notification sent to this office by the Department of Correction, to the effect that he had declined appointment on account of insufficiency of salary, was incorrect, and that his real reason for declining was on account of location.

On motion, the action of the President in admitting Alexander Nagy, No. 30 Garden place, Brooklyn, to the examination for promotion to the position of Assistant Engineer in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond on January 11, was approved, it appearing that Mr. Nagy will have served the required six months in his present grade before the rating of the papers is completed.

The President presented a report on the following applications for change of title, transfer and reinstatement in the labor service, acted on by him:

Change of Title.

Request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, dated December 30, 1904, for authority to change the title of John Kyle from Laborer to Assistant Foreman, Bureau of Sewers.

Request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, dated December 30, 1904, for authority to change the title of William Cannon from Driver to Assistant Foreman, Bureau of Sewers.

Request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for authority to transfer Owen Moran from the Department of Street Cleaning to his Department and change his title from Sweeper to Laborer.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 3, 1905, for authority to change the title of the following persons in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn:

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- Jacob Eitel, Mechanics Helper to Tinsmith.
Steven Smith, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
James Reilly, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
William McDonald, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
Peter Martin, Sweeper to Blacksmith's Helper.

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- Thomas Sullivan, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
Thomas A. Kennedy, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
Michael F. Gunn, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
Joseph Burnett, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
August Kohler, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
John L. Reeg, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.
Peter J. Peterson, Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.

Request of the Dock Department, dated January 5, 1905, for authority to change the title of Lawrence J. Halloran from Dock Builder to Ship Carpenter.

Request of the Department of Docks, dated December 29, 1904, for authority to change the title of Thomas O'Neill from Laborer to Dock Builder.

Request of the Department of Docks, dated December 23, 1904, for authority to change the title of Michael Lynch from Deckhand to Laborer.

Request of the Bridge Department, dated December 29, 1904, for authority to change the title of James Gunn from Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning, to Laborer, Department of Bridges.

Request of the Bridge Department, dated December 27, 1904, for authority to transfer Edward Matthews from Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, to Laborer, Department of Bridges.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 6, 1905, for authority to change the title of John Wheelin from Laborer to Painter, Borough of Brooklyn.

Request of the Dock Department, dated December 14, 1904, for authority to transfer James E. Clifford from Foreman of Laborers, Park Department, Brooklyn, to Foreman of Laborers, Dock Department, Manhattan.

Reinstatements.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 6, for authority to reinstate Giuse Scala as Sweeper and transfer him to the position of Driver, Borough of Manhattan.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 6, for authority to reinstate Antonio LiCastri as Sweeper, in the Borough of Manhattan, and transfer him to the position of Driver.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 6, for authority to reinstate Patrick Howard, a Sweeper, Borough of Brooklyn.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated December 27, 1904, for authority to reinstate Thomas Feeney as Driver in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated December 23, 1904, for authority to reinstate Louis Plump as Sweeper in the Borough of Manhattan.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated December 30, for authority to reinstate William McGeehan as Driver in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated December 30, for authority to reinstate Timothy Fogarty as Sweeper and transfer him to the position of Driver, Borough of Brooklyn.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 3, for authority to reinstate Samuel Reggell as Sweeper in the Borough of Manhattan.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated December 31, for authority to reinstate Cornelius Grinnon as Driver in the Borough of Manhattan.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 6, for authority to reinstate William Roberts as Driver in the Borough of The Bronx.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated December 31, for authority to reinstate Charles Large as Driver in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Reassignments.

Request of the Dock Department, dated December 29, for authority to reassign to duty as Laborer, Michael Gorman.

Request of the Dock Department, dated January 6, for authority to reassign to duty as Laborer, Dennis Forbes.

Request of the Dock Department, dated January 3, for authority to reassign to duty as Laborer, John Corrigan.

Request of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated December 29, for approval of the rescinding of his action of the 17th ult., in removing Patrick J. McMahon, a Laborer.

Transfers.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 6, for authority to transfer George E. Dixon, a Painter, and Alban A. Murphy, a Letterer, from the Department of Parks, The Bronx, to the Department of Street Cleaning.

Request of the Bridge Department, dated December 30, for authority to transfer Owen McManus, a Laborer, from the Department of Docks to the Department of Bridges.

Request of the Bridge Department, dated December 29, for authority to transfer John Finland and Joseph Holien, Laborers, from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx to the Department of Bridges.

Emergency Appointments.

Notice from the Bridge Department, dated December 24, of the employment of Ml. Cuch and 90 others for shoveling snow on Williamsburg Bridge; also 239 others.

Notice from Department of Bridges, dated December 29, of the temporary employment of James Miller and 25 others for removing snow from Williamsburg Bridge.

Notice from the Department of Bridges, dated December 28, of the temporary employment of Michael Ryan and 41 others, for removing snow from the Harlem river bridges.

Notice from the Department of Bridges, dated December 30, of the temporary employment of Toni Ferraro and 95 others for shoveling snow on Brooklyn Bridge.

Notice from the Bridge Department, dated January 4, of the temporary employment of Toni Daton and 140 others for shoveling snow on Williamsburg Bridge.

Denied for Lack of Power.

Request of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 3, for authority to change the title of John A. Halpin from Mechanic's Helper to Plumber, and James Mulrain from Driver to Blacksmith's Helper.

Request of the Bridge Department, dated December 29, for authority to transfer Thomas J. King and Robert McCaffrey from Dock Laborer to Laborer, Department of Bridges.

Request of the Fire Commissioner, dated January 5, for authority to transfer Michael Dinan, a Stoker, from Department of Charities to the Fire Department.

On motion, the action of the President was approved.

The Commission then adjourned to meet on Monday, January 16, 1905, at 9 A. M.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

An abstract of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York for the week ending February 5, 1905 (section 1546, Greater New York Charter).

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Removal of Incumbrances.

(Section 545, Greater New York Charter.)

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand January 28, 1905.....	1,682
Incumbrances seized during the week.....	7
	1,689
Incumbrances redeemed and released.....	19
Unredeemed incumbrances on hand.....	1,670

Bills and Pay-Rolls Transmitted to Comptroller as Follows:

Schedule No. 17—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	\$18,507 90
Schedule No. 18—	
Sundry items amounting to:	
Account of 1904.....	\$795 00
Account of 1905.....	70 00
	\$865 00
Schedule No. 21—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	\$8,053 00
Schedule No. 23—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	\$1,368 76
Schedule No. 22—	
Sundry items amounting to:	
Account of 1904.....	\$1,186 86
Account of 1905.....	148 14
	\$1,335 00
Schedule No. 24—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Wages of Firemen, etc., week ending January 29, 1905.....	\$259 00
Schedule No. 26—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Salaries of Masters, etc., for month of January, 1905.....	\$1,186 00

Schedule No. 25— Sundry items amounting to.....	\$560 00
Schedule No. 27— J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending February 2, 1905.....	\$29,967 99
Schedule No. 28— J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Wages of Department Cart Drivers, week ending February 2, 1905.....	\$15,781 21
Account of 1904.....	.
Schedule No. 340— Sundry items amounting to.....	\$13,834 65
Schedule No. 341— Sundry items amounting to.....	\$9,318 87
Schedule No. 342— Sundry items amounting to.....	\$897 23

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending February 5, 1905
(January 30 to February 5, inclusive):

	Cart-loads Ashes.	Cart-loads Rubbish.	Cart-loads Garbage.	Cart-loads Total.
Department carts	33,203 1/4	2,053 3/4	2,662	37,918 1/2
Permit carts	11,014	706	287	12,007 ..
	44,217 1/4	2,759 1/4	2,949	49,925 1/2

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Bills and Pay-Rolls Transmitted to Comptroller as Follows:

Schedule No. 13— Sundry items amounting to.....	\$21,000 00
Schedule No. 17— Sundry items amounting to.....	\$170 00
Schedule No. 18— J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending February 2, 1905.....	\$11,224 68
Schedule No. 19— J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Wages of Department Cart Drivers, week ending February 2, 1905.....	\$9,445 03
Schedule No. 20— J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Wages of Laborers on Snow, week ending January 31, 1905.....	\$32,987 75
Account of 1904.....	.
Sundry items amounting to.....	\$3,916 39

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending February 5, 1905
(January 30 to February 5, inclusive):

Ashes	14,182 1/4
Paper and rubbish.....	1,963 3/4
Permit material	821
	16,967

F. M. GIBSON.
Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 18, 1905.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

During the week ending February 18, 1905, seventy-two orders—forty-one for supplies and thirty-one for repairs—were issued by the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Bills aggregating \$414.48 were signed and forwarded to the Commissioner for transmission to the Department of Finance for audit and payment.

Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.

Complaint Department—	
Mail	5
Office	3
Inspectors	4
Police Department	1
Total.....	13

Classification and Disposal—

Sidewalk signs found removed upon reinspection	4
Boulders removed by Incumbrances	3
Trees and limbs	13
Coal boxes removed and coal holes found covered	2
Miscellaneous removed by Incumbrance Bureau	8
Posts, stumps, etc.	3
Total.....	33

Inspectors' Department—

Complaints made	4
Complaints settled	22
Slips settled	29

Permit Department—

Permits Passed:	
Builders	4
Crosswalk	3
Vault	1
Vault repairs	5
Corporations, gas, electric, etc.....	54
Specials:	
Stoop stands	6
Tar kettles	4
Move or demolish buildings	3

Open street, water service	2
Material on street	2
Miscellaneous	9
	26

Total..... 93

Tap water pipes	4
Repair water connections	43
Sewer connections	3
Sewer connection repairs	3
Total.....	53

Cashier's Department—

Moneys Received:

Repaving over water connections	\$133 00
Repaving over sewer connections	23 00
Inspection of work done by corporations	1 77
Vault	16 20
Total.....	\$173 97

Bureau of Sewers.

February 23, 1905.

	Number of.	Amount.	Appropriations.	Funds.
Moneys Received.				
For sewer permits.....		\$60 00		
Number of permits issued.....	7			
For new sewer connections.....	4			
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	3			
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller.....	3		\$5,908 56	\$1,959 50
Linear feet sewer built, 24 inches to 90 inches	15			
Linear feet pipe sewer built.....	130			
Total number of feet sewer built.....	145			
Number of basins repaired.....	2			
Linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned.....	4,000			
Linear feet of large sewers cleaned.....	1,000			
Number of basins cleaned.....	31			
Number of basins relieved.....	8			
Number of basins cleared of snow.....	1,351			
Manhole covers put on.....	4			
Number gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	21,320,640			
Number gallons sewage pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	34,275,234			
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	48,320			
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	14,208			

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

Sewer Repairing and Cleaning—Pay-rolls and Supplies—

Foremen	8
Mechanics	2
Laborers	40
Horses and carts.....	19

Street Improvement Fund—

Inspectors of Construction.....	21
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Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works—

Laborers	11
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Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works—

Foremen	2
Laborers	13

Bureau of Highways—Division of Street Repairs.

Force employed on repairs to street pavements:

Mechanics	1
Laborers	51
Horses and Wagons.....	12
Foremen	14

Work done by connection gangs:

Dangerous holes repaired and made safe.....	14
Complaints received	17
Defects remedied	21

Work done by repair gangs:

Stone crushed, 80 cubic yards.....	
Removed snow from sidewalks, gutters and roadways, 5.2 miles.....	
Roadways sanded, 6.3 miles.....	
Building shed, Sixty-seventh Street Yard.....	
Building shed and shelter machinery at Wallabout Yard.....	
Force employed on macadam and unimproved roadways:	
Mechanics	1
Laborers	31
Horses and wagons	6
Teams	1
Horses and carts	7
Foremen	8

OPERATIONS OF THE BUREAU OF BUILDINGS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 18, 1905.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$245,750).....	31
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$78,400).....	29
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$20,755).....	36
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$8,690).....	43
Plumbing slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$2,000).....	9
Bay window permits issued (estimated cost, \$1,900).....	7
Unsafe cases filed.....	3
Violation cases filed.....	33
Unsafe notices issued.....	3
Violation notices issued.....	33
Complaints received	27

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for Corresponding Week Ending February 20, 1904.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$212,250).....	40
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$138,550).....	42
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$428,153).....	47

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President, Borough of Brooklyn.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a brief extract of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending January 28, 1905, as required by section 1546 of the Greater New York Charter:

Note—(The City of New York, or the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, is defendant, unless otherwise mentioned).

SCHEDULE "A."

Suits and Special Proceedings Instituted.

Court.	Register and Folio.	When Commenced.	Title.	Nature of Action.
Supreme, Queens...	51 150	Jan. 23, 1905	Whymys, Charlotte, executrix, etc. (Matter of)	To set aside taxes on property owned by St. Peter's M. E. Church.
Supreme...	51 148	Jan. 23, 1905	Ewen, Louis T., et al. (ex rel.) vs. Edward M. Grout, etc.	Mandamus to compel acceptance of \$972.65 as taxes for years 1880 to 1882.
Supreme...	51 149	Jan. 23, 1905	Ewen, Louis T., et al. (ex rel.) vs. Edward M. Grout, etc.	Mandamus to compel acceptance of \$839.60 as taxes for years 1883 to 1885.
Supreme...	51 151	Jan. 23, 1905	Manhattan and Bronx Electric Company (ex rel.) vs. Charles V. Fornes et al.	Mandamus to compel action on ordinance granting right to lay wires, erect poles, etc.
Supreme...	51 152	Jan. 23, 1905	La Chicotte, Henry A. (ex rel.), vs. George E. Best, etc.	Mandamus to compel reinstatement as Principal Assistant Engineer.
Supreme...	51 153	Jan. 23, 1905	Albertson, Charles L. (ex rel.), vs. William McAduo, etc.	Mandamus to compel reinstatement as Inspector of Police.
Supreme...	51 154	Jan. 23, 1905	Dillon, James, vs. The City of New York et al.	For loss of services of son, injured, thrown from automobile, obstruction, Seventh avenue, \$5,000.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 155	Jan. 23, 1905	Apel, Huldreich	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$250.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 156	Jan. 23, 1905	Baruth, Samuel	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$165.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 156	Jan. 23, 1905	Baskerville, Alfred	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$125.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 156	Jan. 23, 1905	Blene, Bruen	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$395.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 157	Jan. 23, 1905	Bishoff, George	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$120.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 157	Jan. 23, 1905	Bruno, Michael	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$417.50.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 157	Jan. 23, 1905	Cowley, Thomas, and another	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 158	Jan. 23, 1905	De Valve, Sarah	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$450.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 158	Jan. 23, 1905	De Valve, Sarah	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$425.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 158	Jan. 23, 1905	Dowd, Charles J.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$285.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 159	Jan. 23, 1905	Edelman, Adam	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 159	Jan. 23, 1905	Hoffman, Henry	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$151.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 159	Jan. 23, 1905	Kraft, William	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$211.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 160	Jan. 23, 1905	Kestel, Barbara	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$228.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 160	Jan. 23, 1905	Menninger, August	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$304.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 160	Jan. 23, 1905	Murray, Martin J.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$427.45.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 161	Jan. 23, 1905	McCabe, Anna L., and another	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 161	Jan. 23, 1905	Niepols, Chias	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 161	Jan. 23, 1905	Bahner, Jacob	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$275.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 162	Jan. 23, 1905	Brothers, Rosie	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 162	Jan. 23, 1905	Russell, Robert	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$497.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 162	Jan. 23, 1905	Russell, Robert	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$400.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 163	Jan. 23, 1905	Schaerr, Emilie	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$146.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 163	Jan. 23, 1905	Schwartzberg, Nathan	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 163	Jan. 23, 1905	Shaefer, Otto M.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$487.64.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 164	Jan. 23, 1905	Schaefer, John	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$236.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 164	Jan. 23, 1905	Skidmore, Catherine	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$400.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 164	Jan. 23, 1905	Sudmann, Henry	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$164.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 165	Jan. 23, 1905	Trizzo, Michael	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 165	Jan. 23, 1905	Twohie, Margaret	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$275.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 165	Jan. 23, 1905	Ulinger, Charles	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$462.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 166	Jan. 23, 1905	Vogt, Anna	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$370.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 166	Jan. 23, 1905	Walsh, Ellen	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$400.
Supreme...	51 167	Jan. 23, 1905	Bernreither, Martin	Personal injuries, fall, ice, Thirty-ninth street, \$5,000.

Court.	Register and Folio.	When Commenced.	Title.	Nature of Action.
Supreme, Queens Co.	51 168 40 430	Jan. 24, 1905	Touhy, Thomas F., and another vs. The City of New York and H. R. Heinicke	To foreclose lien on contract of Heinicke for erecting chimney, Bay-side Pumping-station.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 169	Jan. 24, 1905	Woodbury, John McG. (Matter of)	For permission to sell carts, trucks, etc.
Supreme, Kings Co.	51 170	Jan. 24, 1905	Tschinkel, Louis, infant, by guardian, etc.	Personal injuries, fall, Fort Greene Park, \$40,000.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 171	Jan. 24, 1905	Collimore, Julia (No. 1)	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$365.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 172	Jan. 24, 1905	Collimore, Julia (No. 2)	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$200.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 172	Jan. 24, 1905	Collimore, Julia (No. 3)	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$240.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 172	Jan. 24, 1905	Collimore, Julia (No. 4)	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$445.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 173	Jan. 24, 1905	Collimore, Julia (No. 5)	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$410.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 173	Jan. 24, 1905	Collimore, Julia (No. 6)	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$500.
Supreme...	51 174	Jan. 24, 1905	Weinstein, Charles I. (Matter of)	For order directing cancellation of a mortgage.
Municipal, Queens Co.	51 175 40 429	Jan. 24, 1905	Smith, Mary	For services rendered as Janitress of Town Hall, \$75.
Supreme...	51 176	Jan. 24, 1905	Quinn, Thomas	Personal injuries, fall, hole in sidewalk, East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, \$15,000.
Supreme...	51 179	Jan. 25, 1905	Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn	Summons only served.
Municipal, Queens Co.	51 177 40 431	Jan. 25, 1905	Towle, Stevenson	For services rendered as surveyor, \$160.38.
Municipal, Brooklyn...	51 178	Jan. 25, 1905	Stern, Herman	For injury to horse, fall, Thirty-fourth street, \$350.
Supreme, Queens Co.	50 180	Jan. 26, 1905	Dinger, Frederick	Damage to land, operation of Spring Creek Pumping-station, \$750.
Supreme, Queens Co.	51 181	Jan. 26, 1905	Dinger, August	Damage to land, operation of Spring Creek Pumping-station, \$1,500.
Supreme, Queens Co.	51 182	Jan. 26, 1905	Westphal, August, and another	Damage to land, operation of Spring Creek Pumping-station, \$1,500.
Supreme, Queens Co.	51 183	Jan. 26, 1905	Lupo, Lucia P., vs. Manhattan Consumers' Brewing Company and The City of New York.	Personal injuries, fall, hole in sidewalk, West Fifty-sixth street, \$5,000.
Supreme, Queens Co.	51 184	Jan. 26, 1904	Lupo, Giovanni, vs. Manhattan Consumers' Brewing Company and The City of New York.	For loss of services of wife, fall, West Fifty-sixth street, \$1,500.
Supreme...	51 185	Jan. 26, 1905	O'Neill, Katie T., vs. Owen Costello et al.	To foreclose mortgage on property, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, east of Leggett avenue.
Supreme...	51 186	Jan. 26, 1905	Antes, Paula (Richard) (Matter of) ..	For order dispensing with a lost mortgage.
Supreme...	51 187	Jan. 26, 1905	Roethlisberger, Robert (Matter of) ..	For order dispensing with a lost mortgage.
Supreme...	51 188	Jan. 27, 1905	Heller, Isaac S. (Matter of)	For order dispensing with a lost mortgage.
Supreme, Westchester County...	51 189	Jan. 27, 1905	Payne, Adelaide E., vs. John W. Whelan et al.	To foreclose mortgage on property No. 384 Atlantic avenue.
Supreme...	51 190	Jan. 27, 1905	Ahern, Michael J., and another	To recover assessment paid for paving South street, \$135.05.
Supreme...	51 191	Jan. 27, 1905	Arthur Company, a corporation	To recover assessment paid for paving Front street, \$222.90.
Supreme...	51 191	Jan. 27, 1905	De Lancey, Elizabeth D.	To recover assessment paid for paving Water street, \$88.88.
Supreme...	51 191	Jan. 27, 1905	Farrell, Frank	To recover assessment paid for paving Twenty-eighth street, \$453.05.
Supreme...	51 192	Jan. 28, 1905	The City of New York (Matter of) ..	To acquire title to wharf property, Gouverneur slip, Pier, old 52, East river, for improvement of water front.
Supreme...	51 194	Jan. 28, 1905	The City of New York (Matter of) ..	To acquire title to wharf property, Gouverneur slip, Pier, old 51, East river, for improvement of water front.
Supreme...	51 196	Jan. 28, 1905	The City of New York (Matter of) ..	To acquire title to wharf property, Pier, old 36, East river (Market Pier Slip, West), for improvement of water front.
Supreme...	51 198	Jan. 28, 1905	The City of New York (Matter of) ..	To acquire title to lands, etc., Arlington avenue, Ashford street and Warwick street, Brooklyn, for a public library site.

SCHEDULE "B."

Judgments, Orders and Decrees Entered.

People ex rel. John S. Ryan vs. J. F. Ahearn; People ex rel. Joseph Ramsey vs. Same—Entered orders denying relators' motions for peremptory writs of mandamus.

Mary E. Coolidge, as administratrix, etc., vs. The City of New York et al.—Entered Appellate Division order reversing judgment in favor of plaintiff and granting a new trial with costs to each appellant to abide the event.

Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

Sam Kamsey vs. T. F. O'Connor, etc.—Entered order opening default of defendant and setting case down for trial.

People ex rel. Patrick A. Meehan vs. F. V. Greene—Order entered directing defendant to file further return to writ of certiorari.

People ex rel. Louis Wisansky vs. E. M. Grout—Order entered granting relator's motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus, with \$60 costs.

People ex rel. Clifford L. Miller vs. M. Featherson et al.—Order entered granting relator's motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus, with \$50 costs.

John Kehoe; People ex rel. Continental Asphalt Paving Company vs. L. F. Haffen—Orders entered discontinuing actions without costs.

People ex rel. August Oppenheimer vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Order entered referring cause to C. F. Bacon, Esq.

William E. Burke—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

People ex rel. John Robins Company vs. F. A. O'Donnel et al.—Order entered referring cause to E. J. Byrne, Esq.

People ex rel. Israel Rosenberg vs. F. V. Greene—Entered Appellate Division order dismissing writ of certiorari and affirming proceedings of defendant, with \$50 costs and disbursements. Entered judgment on Appellate Division order dismissing writ of certiorari for \$61.80 costs in favor of defendant.

People ex rel. Daniel E. Hanrahan vs. W. McAdoo—Entered order denying relator's motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus.

Henry Hoops—Entered order denying defendant's motion for a new trial.

Mayer Rosenstock and another; Chapman & Co.—Orders entered granting leave to plaintiffs to appeal to Court of Appeals.

Harry Crossley—Entered judgment in favor of the defendant dismissing the complaint, and for \$109 costs.

People ex rel. John O. Regan vs. W. McAdoo—Order entered denying relator's motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus, but ordering that an alternative writ issue.

Judgments Were Entered in Favor of the Plaintiffs in the Following Actions.

Date.	Name.	Register and Folio.	Amount.
Jan. 18, 1905	Birnbaum, Fannie, infant.....	48 179	\$119 65
Jan. 18, 1905	Birnbaum, Israel	48 180	64 65
Jan. 19, 1905	McLoughlin, Rosetta M.....	50 345	160 09
Jan. 19, 1905	Bauer, Valentine	42 135	224 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Jablin, Morris	42 142	224 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Kuhn, August	42 146	199 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Lewinson, Elias	42 136	399 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Lewis, Rebecca	42 144	324 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Markowitz, Joseph	42 140	224 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Nevin, James	42 141	199 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Stander, Mary	42 139	199 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Zinn, Barnett	42 143	184 35
Jan. 19, 1905	Chovey, Charles L., et al.....	36 488	3,798 17
Jan. 19, 1905	Beck, Joseph, et al.....	36 489	626 83
Jan. 20, 1905	Borchert, Frederick	47 2	109 23
Jan. 24, 1905	Hoops, Henry	30 360	1,823 95

SCHEDULE "C."

Record of Court Work.

People ex rel. Edwin F. Merwin vs. J. H. Tully—Motion for final order dismissing alternative writ of mandamus argued before Bischoff, J. Decision reserved. W. B. Crowell for the City.

People ex rel. August Oppenheimer vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Motion for reference submitted to Bischoff, J., and granted. E. C. Kindleberger for the City.

Patrick Kearney—Complaint dismissed by default before Giegerich, J. A. Sweeney for the City.

George O. Sayre—Tried before Joseph, J. Complaint dismissed. I. T. Burden, Jr., for the City.

Jose G. Garcia—Tried before Seaman, J. Decision reserved. I. T. Burden Jr., for the City.

People ex rel. Lewis M. Segee vs. N. J. Hayes—Motion to quash alternative writ of mandamus argued before Leaventritt, J. Decision reserved. M. Hare for the City.

William R. Hearst vs. G. B. McClellan et al.—Argued at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. T. Connolly for the City.

People ex rel. Stuyvesant Real Estate Company vs. F. A. O'Donnel et al.; People ex rel. Pennsylvania, New York and Long Island Railroad Company vs. Same—Motions for reference submitted to Bischoff, J., and granted. C. A. Peters for the City.

Frederick W. Fischer, as administrator, etc.—Tried before Nash, J., and a jury. Complaint dismissed. J. A. Stover for the City.

People ex rel. Bella N. Beer vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Reference proceeded and adjourned. C. A. Peters for the City.

Samuel B. Kohn vs. T. F. O'Connor—Motion for order of interpleader argued before Fallon, J., and granted. S. P. Danzig for the City.

In re petition of Charles I. Weinstein—Motion for order directing Register to discharge mortgage submitted to Scott, J. Decision reserved. C. A. O'Neil for the City. "Motion denied with leave to renew."

People ex rel. Charles Parsons vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Motion to confirm Referee's report submitted to Bischoff, J., and granted. E. C. Kindleberger for the City.

People ex rel. Max Herzog, as executor, etc., vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Motion for reference submitted to Bischoff, J., and granted. E. C. Kindleberger for the City.

Georgiana Dickermann vs. The City of New York et al.—Tried before Truax, J., and a jury. Complaint dismissed. J. F. O'Brien for the City.

American Rubber Tire Company—Tried before Davis, J., and a jury. Verdict for defendant on counterclaim for \$216. L. H. Hahlo for the City.

Botto Stephano—Tried before Hoyer, J. Decision reserved. I. T. Burden, Jr., for the City.

Dora E. Morris, as administratrix, etc.—Motion to resettle order submitted at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. J. H. Greener for the City.

Lillian A. Beane, an infant, etc.—Tried before Amend, J., and a jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$600. J. A. Stover for the City.

William Doyle—Tried before Van Wart, J. Decision reserved. J. W. Covert for the City.

People ex rel. Rose M. Finigan vs. Board of Education—Argued at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. J. D. Bell for the City.

John Lilley; Frank Andrea; Adolph Goldstein; Frank Panasci; Frank Panasci and another; Joe Sykin; Bernard Cohen; Joseph Reichert; Joseph Joseph—Tried before Walsh, J. Decision reserved. J. T. O'Neill for the City.

Chapman & Co.; Mayer Rosenstock and another—Motions for leave to appeal to Court of Appeals submitted at Appellate Division, and granted. J. D. Bell for the City.

Veronica Gorney—Argued at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. J. D. Bell for the City.

Harry Crossley—Complaint dismissed by default before Dickey, J. C. R. Hartmann for the City.

Barbara Walters—Complaint dismissed by default before Walsh, J. J. T. O'Neill for the City.

Luigi Sine; Augustus Bauer; George H. Ward; Benjamin W. Harris; Samuel Auerbach; Olga Keil; Julia Adams; Sarah E. Gutfleisch—Tried before Walsh, J. Decision reserved. J. T. O'Neill for the City.

People ex rel. Owen McElearney vs. R. G. Monroe; People ex rel. Patrick Fogarty vs. Same—Submitted at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. J. D. Bell for the City.

Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company—Tried before Kelly, J., and a jury. Verdict directed for plaintiff. Motion to dismiss complaint argued. Decision reserved. P. E. Callahan for the City.

Thomas G. Carlin—Reference proceeded and closed. P. E. Callahan for the City. Jessie Agne—Complaint dismissed by default before Garretson, J. E. S. Malone for the City.

Rockaway Park Improvement Company et al. vs. The City of New York et al.—Motion for leave to discontinue action argued before Marean, J., and denied. D. O'Leary for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Eighteenth to Twenty-third Streets, North River, Dock, three hearings; Fifteenth to Eighteenth Streets, North River, Dock; Forty-second and Forty-third Streets, North River, Dock; Pier 18, East River, Dock, one hearing each. C. D. Olendorf for the City.

Forsyth and Hester Streets School Site, two hearings; Bellevue Hospital Addition; West One Hundred and Nineteenth Street School Site, one hearing each. C. N. Harris for the City.

One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first Streets School Site; Wendover Avenue School Site; Danube Avenue School Site; Canal and Brook Streets Library Site; Twentieth and Twenty-second Streets, North River, Dock, one hearing each. F. C. Hoyt for the City.

SCHEDULE "D."

Contracts Drafted, Examined and Approved as to Form.

Department.	Contracts Approved as to Form.	Contracts Examined and Returned for Revision.	Advertisements Approved as to Form.
Education	8	..	2
Police	6	..	..
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	6	..	1
Health	7	..	..
Docks	2	..	1
Borough Presidents	2	1	..
Charities	1	..	..
Correction	1	..	1
Parks	1	..	1
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	1	..	..
City Record .....	..	2	..
Total.....	35	3	6

Bonds Approved.

Finance

Leases Approved.

Docks

Street Cleaning

Total.....

Agreements Approved.

Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....

SCHEDULE "E."

Opinions Rendered to the Various Departments.

DEPARTMENT.	NUMBER OF OPINIONS.
Finance	23
Education	3
Borough Presidents	3
Correction	3
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	3
Police	2
Bridges	2
Public Works	2
Fire	2
Taxes and Assessments.....	1
Bureau of Licenses.....	1
Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission.....	1
Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys.....	1
Total.....	47

JOHN J. DELANY, Corporation Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, February 14, 1905.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner William McAdoo:

Approved.

Recommendation of Inspector William W. McLaughlin that Patrolmen Otto E. Wagner, Seventeenth Precinct, and James E. McKeown, Twenty-second Precinct, procure a new sleeve for their uniform overcoat and then present bill of same for approval.

Recommendation of Sergeant Richard Coffy, in charge of horses and equipments, that the 20 horses placed on probation January 4, 1905, be accepted and assigned to duty in precincts.

Application of Captain Martin Handy, Fourteenth Precinct, to be excused for 12 hours from 5 p. m., the 14th inst.

Application of Sergeant William McCullagh, Third Precinct, for transfer and assignment of Patrolmen.

Application of Captain Nathaniel Shire, Twenty-first Precinct, to be excused for 12 hours on the 14th inst.

Application of Captain Edward Gallagher, Sixtieth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman John J. Diffley, Eighteenth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes and for clerical duty.

Application of Captain Miles O'Reilly, Fifty-fourth Precinct, for assignment of Patrolman George F. Smith from telephone table to clerical duty, and assignment of Patrolman Albert R. Smith to telephone table.

Application of Captain Edward J. Kenney, Fifty-second Precinct, for detail of Patrolman James Millar to plain clothes and clerical duty.

Referred to the Trustees, Riot Relief Fund.

Communication from Louisa Eagan, asking that she be granted relief from the Riot Relief Fund, together with copy of report and record of officer.

Dismissed the Force.

Patrolman Thomas S. Day, Seventy-fourth Precinct, on the charge of conduct unbecoming an officer. Tried before Second Deputy Commissioner Thomas F. Farrell.

Retired on Surgeon's Certificate.

Patrolman John S. Clancy, Children's Court Squad, on \$350 per annum. Appointed November 18, 1897.

Patrolman Richard T. Post, Fourth Precinct, on \$365 per annum. Appointed January 21, 1895.

Detective Sergeant James F. Vallely, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, on \$1,000 per annum. Appointed August 12, 1876.

Retired on Application.

Doorman Almeran Garrison, Sixty-third Precinct, on \$500 per annum. Appointed January 3, 1889.

Concert License Granted.

Charles E. Blaney, Garden Theatre, Nos. 741 and 743 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, for three months from date; fee \$150, without permission to sell wine, beer, etc.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted.

Suesskind & Rehfeldt, Lexington Opera House, Manhattan, February 21, fee \$25.

R. Linkiewicz, New York Turn Hall, Manhattan, February 18, fee \$25.

R. Linkiewicz, New York Turn Hall, Manhattan, February 16, fee \$25.

Jacob Posner, Murray Hill Lyceum, Manhattan, February 21, fee \$25.

W. J. Behrens, Lion Palace, Manhattan, February 22, fee \$10.

Catherine Fink, New York Maennerchor Hall, Manhattan, February 18, fee \$25.

Michael Heumann, Harlem Casino, Manhattan, February 18, fee \$25.

Michael Heumann, Harlem Casino, Manhattan, February 27, fee \$25.

F. J. Barbanes, Washington Hall, The Bronx, February 11, fee \$10.

F. J. Barbanes, Washington Hall, The Bronx, February 21, fee \$10.

John E. Zeltner, Zeltner's Hall, The Bronx, February 18, fee \$25.

John E. Zeltner, Zeltner's Hall, The Bronx, February 21, fee \$25.

G. W. Muller, Bronx Casino, The Bronx, February 18, fee \$10.

G. W. Muller, Bronx Casino, The Bronx, February 21, fee \$10.

G. W. Muller, Bronx Casino, The Bronx, February 25, fee \$10.

Karn Bros., Dramatic Club, Brooklyn, February 13, fee \$5.

K. M. Ruddy, Arena Hall, Brooklyn, February 22, fee \$5.

W. Hammond, Imperial Hall, Queens, February 13, fee \$5.

Special Patrolmen Appointed.

Seymour Singer, for S. Schnur, Manhattan.

Frank Empie, for Yorkville Bank, Manhattan.

Louis Izzo, for E. Friedlander, Manhattan.

Robert Morse, for Lamchick Bros., Manhattan.

Appointment of Special Patrolmen Revoked.

Frank E. Roth, employed by Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, Brooklyn.

Joseph F. Byrnes, employed by Henry Connors, Brooklyn.

William Stayskell, employed by American Theatre, Manhattan.

Disapproved.

Application of George V. Collins to be appointed as Special Patrolman.

Approved (Additional).

Application of Captain John F. Flood, Twenty-second Precinct, to be excused for 12 hours from 4 P. M., the 14th inst.

Ordered to Be Paid.

William Howell, \$75, account Contingent Expenses, Central Department, etc., 1905, amount advanced by order of the Commissioner.

Resignation Accepted.

Thomas J. Bannon, as Secretary to the Third Deputy Police Commissioner, to take effect March 1, 1905.

Granted.

Permission to Patrolman William L. Purcell, Fortieth Precinct, to bring suit against Union Railway Company for injuries received.

Permission to Detective-Sergeant Daniel J. Farrell, Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, to receive reward of \$25 from National Storehouse Company for recovery of quantity of cotton. With usual deduction.

Application of Patrolman George Trojan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, to be reimbursed for pair of winter uniform trousers destroyed.

Full Pay Granted.

Patrolman Dennis E. Brassill, Twenty-eighth Precinct, from January 22 to February 1, 1905.

Patrolman William A. Borst, Twenty-eighth Precinct, from January 12 to January 28, 1905.

Captain James B. Ferris, Thirty-seventh Precinct, from January 25 to February 1, 1905.

Patrolman George Trojan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, from January 21 to January 28, 1905.

Referred to the Chief Inspector.

Communication from Property Owners' Association, asking that a new station-house be established in the vicinity of the Vyse estate. For report.

Communication from B. E. McGuire, commending Officer Rhatigan, Eighteenth Precinct, for arrest of a burglar. For report.

Communication from Meyer Hersh, commending Officer 6423 for stopping a team of runaway horses. For report.

Application of New Orpheum Theatre, for appointment of William H. Genet, Jr., as Special Patrolman.

Application of G. Dochtermann for appointment of Isaac Cohen as Special Patrolman.

Application of John A. Noethiger, and others, for appointment of Rud. Noethiger as Special Patrolman.

Application of Lyceum Theatre, Brooklyn, for appointment of Charles McAvoy as Special Patrolman.

Application of American Theatre, Manhattan, for appointment of Thomas McGrew as Special Patrolman.

Referred to the Third Deputy Commissioner.

Petition for increase of pension of Alice McDermott, widow of Charles A. McDermott.

Communication from Simpson-Crawford Company asking if they have been placed on competitive list for supplies.

Communication from Remington Typewriter Company asking that Department equip the Remington machines in use in the Department with the standard type brush.

Chief Clerk to Answer.

H. C. Weber, asking for criminal statistics for the last 15 or 20 years.

Department of Public Safety, Pittsburgh, Pa., asking for copy of ordinance regulating cabs and express wagons.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Communication from Francis J. Hughes, asking pay for difference in salary between Patrolman and Detective-Sergeant from July 17, 1902, to September 12, 1902. For opinion.

On File, Send Copy.

Notice from Finance Department that on February 6, 1905, \$600 was deposited in the City Treasury to credit of Revenue Bond Fund for salaries of additional Patrolmen for 1904. Copy to the Bookkeeper and to the Auditor.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint twenty-five (25) Patrolmen, and that the said Commission be respectfully requested to include in such list the names of Thomas F. R. McGuire and James P. Le Strange.

Ordered, That the Second Deputy Commissioner be and is hereby directed to report what immediate repairs are required upon station-houses in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, with specifications and the approximate cost in each case, with a view to having such repairs made after advertisement for bids.

Ordered, That the Chief Inspector be and is hereby directed to report what immediate repairs are required upon station-houses in the boroughs of Manhattan and The

Bronx, with specifications and the approximate cost in each case, with a view to having such repairs made after advertisement for bids.

Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given to the substitution of the Empire State Surety Company as surety in the place of Myron A. Francis and Henry Schnetzler in the proposal of A. Pearsons' Sons, to furnish the Police Department with Doorman's and stable supplies.

Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given to the substitution of the Empire State Surety Company as surety in the place of Lewis W. Ludlow and William J. Shea in the proposal of Joseph N. Early, to furnish the Police Department with Doorman's and stable supplies.

Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given to the substitution of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as surety in the place of H. P. Dunham and William Jacques, Jr., in the proposal of Thomas C. Dunham, Incorporated, to furnish the Police Department with Doorman's and stable supplies.

Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given to the substitution of the Empire State Surety Company in the place of H. W. Buckley and E. R. Nevins as surety in the proposal of J. W. Buckley to furnish the Police Department with Doorman's and stable supplies.

Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given to the substitution of the Aetna Indemnity Company as surety in the proposal of D. J. Barry & Co. to furnish the Police Department with Doorman's and stable supplies in the place of M. O'Connor and J. W. Felch.

On reading and filing report of Chief Inspector Moses W. Cortright, dated February 11, 1905.

Ordered, That Captain John W. O'Connor, Thirtieth Precinct, be and is hereby suspended from duty, without pay, as of 5.15 P. M., January 30, 1905, and until further orders.

On File.

Communication from John J. Delany, Corporation Counsel, stating that in his opinion section 1489 of New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, regarding acceptance of bail from a member of the Police Force, Keeper of a Prison, etc., is still in force.

Acknowledgment from C. W. Andrews, Librarian, the John Crerar Library, of receipt of annual reports.

Report of Captain Charles A. Formosa, Forty-fifth Precinct, relative to injuries to Patrolman Patrick O'Hara.

Report of Inspector M. F. Schmittberger, relative to complaint against Special Officer William White by Moritz Tolk.

Report of Captain Jefferson Deevy, Forty-first Precinct on communication from W. H. Birchall, relative to renting of stable on Pelham parkway by the Police Department. Chief Clerk to acknowledge.

Notice from Finance Department, approving of sureties in the proposals of Studebaker Bros., R. C. Ogden, G. E. Henry, Remson Manufacturing Company, G. Reichard & Son, M. C. Landan, O'Kane-Stillings Company, I. Newton Van Ness Company, Cavanagh Bros., C. Daly, Mehlbach Saddle Company, G. Worthington and A. C. Jacobson & Sons.

The following advance to grades were ordered by the Commissioner:

To \$1,400 Grade, from \$1,350.

Patrolman John F. Hagerty, Thirtieth Precinct, December 20, 1904.

Patrolman John F. McLaughlin, Fortieth Precinct, January 12, 1905.

To \$1,400 Grade from \$1,350, January 9, 1905.

Patrolman Thomas F. Flynn, Third Precinct.

Patrolman Michael McConnell, Eighteenth Precinct.

Patrolman John W. Frazer, Thirty-sixth Precinct.

Patrolman Philip J. Bickelhaupt, Thirty-eighth Precinct.

Patrolman Walter F. Shea, Forty-first Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Hines, Sixty-seventh Precinct.

Patrolman Patrick F. Murphy, Eighth Precinct.

To \$1,350 Grade.

Patrolman Charles P. Vosburgh, Thirty-third Precinct, November 15, 1904.

Patrolman David F. Lawlor, Twenty-ninth Precinct, January 13, 1905.

To \$1,350 Grade, January 20, 1905.

Patrolman William H. Brown, Fourteenth Precinct.

Patrolman John C. McCormick, Forty-ninth Precinct.

Patrolman Gilbert M. Meelian, Fifty-third Precinct.

Patrolman Samuel P. DuBois, Central Office.

To \$1,150 Grade.

Patrolman John McSharry, Forty-sixth Precinct, September 7, 1904.

Patrolman Benj. V. Merritt, Seventeenth Precinct, December 23, 1904.

Patrolman Monroe Merritt, Thirty-third Precinct, December 23, 1904.

Patrolman Michael J. Seery, Fifty-fourth Precinct, December 23, 1904.

Patrolman John J. Tackney, Eighty-first Precinct, January 12, 1905.

Patrolman James Duffy, Sixth Precinct, January 13, 1905.

Patrolman Christopher J. Ellsworth, Sixty-second Precinct, January 13, 1905.

Patrolman James J. Mackenzie, Thirty-first Precinct, January 17, 1905.

Patrolman David Kuhn, Eighteenth Precinct, January 26, 1905.

To \$1,150 Grade, January 11, 1905.

Patrolman John D. Cahill, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Hartwig, Fourteenth Precinct.

Patrolman Jere M. Barber, Nineteenth Precinct.

Patrolman Hugh J. O'Donnell, Twenty-first Precinct.

Patrolman Patrick Shanley, Twenty-first Precinct.

Patrolman George T. Mulrooney, Thirty-seventh Precinct.

Patrolman Stephen A. Niland, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Patrolman William Ryan, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Patrolman Cornelius Carroll, Thirtieth Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Scanlon, Thirtieth Precinct.

Patrolman George A. Stack, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

Patrolman William H. Hopkins, Forty-first Precinct.

Patrolman Lawrence P. Langer, Forty-sixth Precinct.

Patrolman Simon Heher, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

Patrolman James H. Coleman, Eighty-fourth Precinct.

Patrolman Hugh F. McGrath, Twenty-fourth Precinct.

To \$1,000 Grade.

Patrolman M. Neumuller, Seventh Precinct, November 28, 1904.

Patrolman Michael E. Farrell, Sixth Precinct, January 9, 1905.

Patrolman John Jennings, Forty-seventh Precinct, January 9, 1905.

Patrolman Hugh Gilroy, Sixty-second Precinct, January 9, 1905.

Patrolman George W. Johnston, Sixty-fifth Precinct, January 12, 1905.

Patrolman David Mackrell, Thirtieth Precinct, January 16, 1905.

Patrolman John Fitzsimons, Eightieth Precinct, January 23, 1905.

Patrolman Joseph Probst, Jr., Seventy-eighth Precinct, January 25, 1905.

To \$1,000 Grade, January 30, 1905.

Patrolman Bernard J. O'Connor, First Precinct.

Patrolman Alexander T. McGivney, Fifty-first Precinct.

Patrolman William D. Keneally, Nineteenth Precinct.

Patrolman William R. Black, Second Precinct.

Patrolman George Devine, Fifty-second Precinct.

Patrolman Joseph L. McGrath, Twenty-second Precinct.

Patrolman John A. Stein, Fifth Precinct.

Patrolman William H. Hand, Fifty-sixth Precinct.

Patrolman William J. Marion, Twenty-fourth Precinct.

Patrolman Walter J. Walsh, Seventh Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Gallagher, Fifty-sixth Precinct.

Patrolman Matthew J. McGrath, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Patrolman Charles A. Elias, Seventh Precinct.

Patrolman Edward Whalen, Fifty-seventh Precinct.

Patrolman Rudolph Tesiny, Thirty-second Precinct.

Patrolman Andrew Vertenfenille, Eighth Precinct.

Patrolman Walter W. Dodd, Sixty-second Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Foley, Thirty-seventh Precinct.

Patrolman James J. Brenick, Seventeenth Precinct.

Patrolman James J. Fitzpatrick, Sixty-fourth Precinct.
 Patrolman Michael Mealli, Central Office.
 Patrolman Michael O'Dea, Seventeenth Precinct.
 Patrolman William P. Maxey, Seventy-second Precinct.
 Patrolman John J. Caffrey, Forty-eighth Precinct.
 Patrolman George I. Goldberg, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman George F. Ferre, Eightieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Michael Radigan, Fiftieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Patrick Reilly, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Otto H. Hanisch, Eightieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Arthur Strauss, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Edward M. Carrette, Second Precinct.
 Patrolman William J. Madden, Fifty-second Precinct.
 Patrolman Harry E. Sanderson, Twenty-second Precinct.
 Patrolman Stephen J. Finnegan, Second Precinct.
 Patrolman Frank E. White, Fifty-fourth Precinct.
 Patrolman Edward Beron, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
 Patrolman Daniel J. Curtayne, Fifth Precinct.
 Patrolman Martin F. W. Wolff, Fifty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrolman Jacob Strubel, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
 Patrolman Edgar P. Crouse, Seventh Precinct.
 Patrolman John W. Sperr, Fifty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrolman William W. Drastal, Thirty-first Precinct.
 Patrolman Patrick Walsh, Eighth Precinct.
 Patrolman Francis Scholle, Sixty-first Precinct.
 Patrolman William W. V. Keeling, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Patrolman Henry Jarrell, Eleventh Precinct.
 Patrolman Michael Woods, Sixty-second Precinct.
 Patrolman Thomas S. Martin, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
 Patrolman Herman C. Stapi, Eighty-fourth Precinct.
 Patrolman James F. Rice, Seventy-second Precinct.
 Patrolman Ira A. Ferris, Forty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrolman Thomas M. Clancy, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Fred Ebberts, Seventy-eighth Precinct.
 Patrolman Jacob Dilleuth, Forty-ninth Precinct.
 Patrolman John J. Pierce, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Henry B. Winant, Eightieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Michael J. Hoynes, Fifty-first Precinct.
 Patrolman James F. McGrath, Eighty-first Precinct.

To \$1,000 Grade, January 31, 1905.

Patrolman Patrick J. Gannon, Fifth Precinct.
 Patrolman Timotay J. Gleason, Tenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Thomas O'Flaherty, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Peter P. McDermott, Sixty-second Precinct.
 Patrolman Christian A. Pflug, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman John Devlin, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 Patrolman Francis E. Mamwaring, Thirty-first Precinct.

To \$900 Grade.

Patrolman Stephen S. Walsh, Sixteenth Precinct, September 11, 1904.
 Patrolman Charles Bruggemann, Seventh Precinct, November 14, 1904.
 Patrolman Jeremiah J. Haggerty, Thirteenth Precinct, December 16, 1904.
 Patrolman John F. Drucker, Thirty-first Precinct, January 4, 1905.
 Patrolman James McDonald, Thirty-first Precinct, January 4, 1905.
 Patrolman John J. Murphy, Second Precinct, January 15, 1905.
 Patrolman John A. McNeill, Sixty-third Precinct, January 15, 1905.
 Patrolman William A. Brazier, Ninth Precinct, January 18, 1905.
 Patrolman Michael F. McNamara, Thirty-first Precinct, January 18, 1905.
 Patrolman Matthew F. McCormack, Sixty-first Precinct, January 18, 1905.
 Patrolman James H. Fitzgerald, Seventeenth Precinct, January 20, 1905.
 Patrolman Philip Wagner, Nineteenth Precinct, January 20, 1905.
 Patrolman Charles R. Rinker, Twenty-second Precinct, January 28, 1905.
 Patrolman Daniel J. McIsaac, Thirty-first Precinct, January 29, 1905.

To \$900 Grade, December 28, 1904.

Patrolman Patrick J. Bligh, Eleventh Precinct.
 Patrolman Patrick J. Kenney, Twenty-first Precinct.
 Patrolman John C. Millar, Thirty-second Precinct.
 Patrolman Albert J. McDonald, Thirty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrolman John O'Dea, Thirty-seventh Precinct.

To \$900 Grade, January 13, 1905.

Patrolman Patrick J. Killelea, Fifth Precinct.
 Patrolman James L. Hunter, Nineteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Daniel McGlinchy, Twenty-second Precinct.
 Patrolman William J. Auld, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 Patrolman Henry J. Flanagan, Thirtieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Jeremiah Byrne, Thirty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrolman John F. Hanley, Thirty-sixth Precinct.
 Patrolman Peter F. Essig, Sixtieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Harry W. Goodale, Sixtieth Precinct.
 Patrolman John J. G. Gerhard, Eighty-first Precinct.
 Patrolman Thomas F. O'Connor, Tenth Precinct.

Denied.

Patrolman George Wagner, Fourteenth Precinct.
 Patrolman Howard W. Stratton, Sixty-fifth Precinct.

Trial having been had of charges against members of the force, the following fines, etc., have been imposed by the Commissioner:

Before Second Deputy Commissioner Thomas F. Farrell:

Patrolman Frank Dukes, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman Francis Fearon, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman Julius F. Schultz, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman Patrick J. Hunt, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman August G. Seidler, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman Bernard C. Downs, Fifty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.
 Patrolman George W. Bates, Fifty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.
 Patrolman Herbert P. Ritter, Fifty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman Henry R. Pfister, Fifty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman Edward F. Lang, Fifty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.
 Patrolman James Gallagher, Fifty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman William Blanchard, Sixty-first Precinct, violation of rules, fined fifteen days' pay.
 Patrolman William R. Brennan, Sixty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.
 Patrolman David H. Kiersted, Sixty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined five days' pay.
 Roundsman Michael W. McGuire, Seventieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, fined two days' pay.
 Patrolman Herman C. Kuntz, Seventieth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one-half day's pay.
 Patrolman James Robinson, Seventieth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one-half day's pay.
 Patrolman John A. Tennant, Seventy-third Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one day's pay.

Patrolman John A. Tenant, No. 2, Seventy-third Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one day's pay.

Patrolman Robert Pawson, Seventy-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.

Patrolman George Selby, Seventy-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, fined one day's pay.

Patrolman Joseph M. Kouril, Seventy-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, fined one day's pay.

Reprimanded.

Patrolman George D. Barnitz, Forty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Daniel Maloney, Fifty-first Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John Flynn, Fifty-first Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Herbert Greene, Fifty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.

Complaint Dismissed.

Patrolman James Bolton, Forty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Thomas McLoughlin, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Patrick J. Ansbro, Forty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John Beringer, Fifty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Joseph H. Rosener, Fifty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman James Gallagher, Fifty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman George English, Fifty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman James J. Fannon, Sixtieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Patrolman James J. Collins, Sixty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Sergeant John L. Zimmerman, Sixty-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Patrolman James Dooley, Sixty-eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Roundsman Edward R. Friday, Seventy-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Roundsman Edward R. Friday, No. 2, Seventy-seventh Precinct, violation of rules.

Patrolman Charles M. Smith, Eighty-third Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Sergeant Thomas H. Lynch, Eighty-third Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Ordered, That the Board of Surgeons be and is hereby directed to convene at

Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry street, Manhattan, at 1 P. M., Wednesday,

February 15, 1905, for the purpose of examining such members of the police force as

may be designated by the Commissioner, in reference to their physical condition and

ability to perform full police duty.

The following named officers are hereby ordered to report in person to the Board

of Surgeons at 1 P. M., February 15, 1905:

Captain Henry C. Velsor, Fifty-eighth Precinct.

Captain Bernard J. Hayes, Sixty-third Precinct.

Captain John F. Gardiner, Eighty-fourth Precinct.

Captain William Knipe, Sixty-second Precinct.

Captain Owen Rooney, Sixty-fifth Precinct.

Captain Michael Devanney, Fourth Precinct.

Captain Alexander Pinkerton, Sixty-seventh Precinct.

The Board will examine each officer as to his strength, endurance and agility, and

make a thorough and complete physical test of the eyesight and hearing, heart, lungs

and kidneys; and after so doing, the Board is hereby directed to certify, through its

President and Secretary, whether or not, in the case of each officer, he is permanently

disabled, physically or mentally, so as to be unfit for duty.

The following transfers, etc., were ordered by the Commissioner, to take effect

4 P. M., the 12th inst.:

Patrolman Jeremiah J. Murphy, Twenty-ninth Precinct, House Detective.

Patrolman David Hoar, House Detective, Fifteenth Precinct.

In effect 8 A. M., the 15th inst.:

Patrolman Walter J. Walsh, from Seventh Precinct to Third Precinct, crossing,

Broadway and Chambers street, south side.

Patrolman John J. O'Brien, from Twenty-first Precinct to Third Precinct, assigned

to Broadway and University place.

Patrolman John Ryan, First Precinct, temporarily assigned to Property Clerk's

office.

In effect 4 P. M., the 15th inst.:

Patrolman John J. Diffley, from Eighteenth Precinct to Sixtieth Precinct, for

plain clothes and clerical duty.

Patrolman James Millar, Fifty-second Precinct, for plain clothes and clerical duty.

Patrolman Albert R. Smith, Fifty-fourth Precinct, assigned to duty at telephone

table.

Patrolman Geo. F. Smith, Fifty-fourth Precinct, remanded from telephone table

and assigned to clerical duty.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, February 15, 1905.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner William

McAdoo:

Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Summons, complaint, affidavits and order of injunction, case, Supreme Court,

Kings County, James R. Cullen against Edward J. Bourke. With request that counsel

be assigned to defend.

Ordered, That the following named persons whose names appear upon eligible list

of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated February 14, 1905, be and are hereby

directed to appear before the Board of Surgeons on Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at

1 o'clock P. M., for examination as to their fitness for appointment as Patrolmen:

James P. Le Strange,

James F. Gilroy,

Max E. O. Ermisch,

Timothy O'Shea, Jr.,

Louis J. Price,

Frank C. Ebert,

James J. Holland,

Walter V. Weaver,

Thomas F. R. McGuire,

Brooks Gulagher,

Charles Schick,

Thomas J. Bowes,

Patrick Reilly,

William J. McGough,

Alexis Kleinmeier,

William Dunn,

Peter Begina,

William Hogan,

George H. Gick,

Thomas F. Conlon,

John Kirwin,

John P. Dunbar.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

City of New York, February 20, 1905.

Operations for the Week Ending February 18, 1905.

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$1,290,300).....	37
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$159,410).....	48
Buildings reported as unsafe, but not serious.....	49
Buildings reported for additional means of escape.....	3
Other violations of law reported.....	44
Unsafe building notices issued.....	82
Fire-escape notices issued.....	5
Violation notices issued.....	97
Fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution.....	3
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	44
Iron and steel inspections made.....	1,507

BERNARD J. GORMAN,

Chief Inspector and Acting Superintendent of Buildings,

Borough of Manhattan.

William H. Class, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

New York, January 3, 1905.

Meeting of the Board of Assessors held this 3d day of January, 1905.
Present—Robert Muh, President; Antonio Zucca, Chas. A. O'Malley.

The following assessments were confirmed:

List 7908. Sewers in Eighty-eighth street, between First and Fifth avenues, etc., Brooklyn.

List 7638. Regrading, paving and curbing Park place, between Classon and Franklin avenues.

The following assessments were transmitted to the Board of Revision:

List 8057. Regulating and paving Third avenue, from Sixtieth street to Shore road, Brooklyn.

List 8170. Paving, curbing, etc., Westchester avenue, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard.

List 8207. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue.

List 8235. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue.

List 7549. Grading, paving, etc., Osborn street, between Blake and Sutter avenues.

On motion, a pro rata reduction of 10 per cent. was made in the assessment for sewer in Wicker place, etc., Manhattan.

The Board adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.



CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

February 28—John J. Brice has been transferred from the position of Topographical Draughtsman in the Department of Parks to a similar position in the Department of Docks and Ferries, with compensation at the rate of \$1,600 per annum, to take effect as soon as he reports and is assigned to duty.

The action of the Commissioner on November 9, 1904, in discharging Joseph A. Ganey, Recreation Pier Attendant, has been rescinded, and Ganey has been reinstated as Recreation Pier Attendant and transferred by the Commissioner to the position of Watchman, with compensation at the rate of 25 cents per hour while employed, the regular rate paid to Watchmen.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

February 28—Transferred: Michael A. Sullivan, No. 417 East Eightieth street, City, Clerk, salary \$1,050 per annum. This transfer to take effect at the close of the day, February 28, 1905; said Clerk to report to the Department of Docks and Ferries on March 1, 1905.

Appointments to the service of the Tenement House Department:

Kate Miller, No. 724 Third avenue, City, Cleaner, salary \$360 per annum. This appointment to take effect on February 25, 1905.

Frank L. Ryan, No. 901 Morris avenue, City, Office Boy, salary \$300 per annum. This appointment to take effect on February 25, 1905.

John P. Kennedy, No. 932 Trinity avenue, City, Office Boy, salary \$300 per annum. This appointment to take effect on February 25, 1905.

Peter J. A. Diekhous, No. 534 Hudson street, City, Office Boy, salary \$300 per annum. This appointment to take effect on February 27, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

February 21—Edward Mountain, No. 977 Eighth avenue, Manhattan, is appointed Foreman Lineman in this Department, at a compensation of \$1,500 per annum, to date from February 21, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

February 28—Salary fixed at \$100 per month to take effect February 28, 1905: Charles Drechsel, Rodman, No. 712 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

Transferred from Department of Parks to Department of Bridges, February 27: Kathrynne McCarthy, Attendant, No. 56 East Houston street.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as the places where such offices

are kept and such Courts are held, together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor.
John H. O'Brien, Secretary.
Thomas Hassett, Assistant Secretary.
James A. Rierdon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.

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

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall; Gaetano D'Amato, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; Daniel J. Griffin, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I.; William R. Woelfe, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City; Charles H. Smith, Financial Clerk, Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.
Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row, Entrance Room 803, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 1505 and 1506 Cortlandt. Supply Room, No. 2 City Hall.
Patrick J. Tracy, Supervisor; Henry McMillen, Deputy Supervisor; Carolyn McKemie, Secretary.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 11 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
Charles V. Fornes, President.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

City Hall, Rooms 11-12, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
Thomas Murphy, First Deputy City Clerk.
Michael F. Blake, Chief Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
Joseph V. Scully, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Brooklyn.
Thomas J. McCabe, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of The Bronx.
William R. Zimmerman, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Queens.
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

KINGS COUNTY OFFICES.**COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.**

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 19, 29 and 33. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I Room No. 23; Part II, Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 19 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Joseph Aspinall and Frederick E. Crane, County Judges.
Charles S. Devoy, Chief Clerk.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.
James C. Church, Surrogate.
William P. Pickett, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.
Court opens at 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, N. Y.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Henry Hesterberg, Sheriff.

COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Henry Hesterberg, Sheriff.
William McLaughlin, Warden.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn. Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
John F. Clarke, District Attorney.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August; then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.
Matthew E. Dooley, Register.
Patrick H. Quinn, Deputy Register.
Augustus W. Maul, Assistant Deputy Register.
John B. Shanahan, Counsel.
John H. McArdle, Secretary.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Edward Kaufmann, County Clerk.
Dennis Winter, Deputy County Clerk.
Joseph P. Donnelly, Assistant Deputy County Clerk.
Telephone call, 1151 Main.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

County Court-house.
Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.
Jacob A. Livingston, Deputy Commissioner.
Albert E. Waldron, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Office hours during July and August, 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
John K. Neal, Commissioner.
D. H. Raiston, Deputy Commissioner.
Thomas D. Mossop, Superintendent.
William I. Beattie, Assistant Superintendent.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 26 Court street (Garfield Building), Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Henry Bristow, Public Administrator.

QUEENS COUNTY OFFICES.**SURROGATE.**

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.
Office at Jamaica.
Except on Sundays, holidays and half holidays the office is open between March 31 and October 1 from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; on Saturdays from 8 A. M. to 12 M.; between September 30 and April 1, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
The calendar is called on Tuesday of each week at 10 A. M., except during the month of August, when no court is held, and the court sits every day thereafter until all contested cases have been disposed of.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City.
County Court opens at 10 A. M. and adjourns at 5 P. M.
County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.
Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Joseph Meyerrose, Sheriff.
Henry W. Sharkey, Under Sheriff.
William Kepper, Chief Deputy.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
George A. Gregg, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.

Jamaica, N. Y.: Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.
Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, to 12 M.
David L. Von Nostrand, County Clerk.
Charles Downing, Deputy County Clerk.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
John P. Balbert, Commissioner of Jurors.
Rodman Richardson, Assistant Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Charles A. Wadley, Public Administrator.

RICHMOND COUNTY OFFICES.**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1905.
County Courts—Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge.
First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury;
First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury;
Fourth Thursday of February, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury;
—All at the Court-house at Richmond.
Surrogate's Court—Stephen D. Stephens, Surrogate.
Mondays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
Tuesdays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M.
John J. Kenny, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
C. L. Bostwick, County Clerk.
County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Charles H. McCormack, Sheriff.
Thomas A. Banning, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.
John J. McCaughy, Assistant Commissioner.
Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

THE COURTS.**APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.****FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.**

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
Charles H. Van Brunt, Presiding Justice; Edward Patterson, Morgan J. O'Brien, George L. Ingraham, Chester B. McLaughlin, Edward W. Hatch, Frank C. Laughlin, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk; William Lamb, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office open at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, 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. 33.
Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part II. Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part III. Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part IV. Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part V. Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part VI. Room No. 35.
Trial Term, Part VII. Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VIII. Room No. 27.
Trial Term, Part IX. Room No. 26.
Trial Term, Part X. Room No. 28.
Trial Term, Part XI. Room No. 37.
Trial Term, Part XII. Room No. 26.
Trial Term, Part XIII. and Special Term VII. Room No. 36.
Appellate Term, Room No. 31.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.
Clerks in attendance from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner mezzanine floor.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southwest corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.
Justices—Charles H. Truax, Francis M. Scott, Charles F. MacLean, Henry Bischoff, Jr.; Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, Henry A. Gildersleeve, James Fitzgerald, David Leventritt, James A. O'Gorman, George C. Barrett, James A. Blanchard, John Proctor Clarke, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Victor I. Dowling.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Courts open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Six jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 A. M.
Thomas L. Hamilton, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.
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.
Rufus B. Cowing, City Judge; John W. Goff, Recorder; Joseph E. Newburger, Martin T. McMahon and Warren W. Foster, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Part V.
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; John H. McCarty, Lewis J. Conlan, Theodore F. Hascall, Francis B. Dechanty, Samuel Seabury, Joseph L. Green, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 A. M.
Justices—First Division—Elizur B. Hinsdale, William E. Wyatt, John B. McKean, Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, William M. Fuller, Clerk; Joseph H. Jones, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—John Courtney, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan Edmund C. Lee, Clerk.
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn, Robert J. Wilkin, Justice. James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Charles A. Flammer, Clarence W. Meade, John M. Mott, Joseph Pool, John B. Mayo, Peter P. Harlow, Matthew P. Breen, Seward Baker, Alfred E. Ommen, Charles S. Whitman, Joseph F. Moss, Henry Steinert.
Philip Bloch, Secretary.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 65 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.**Borough of Brooklyn.**

City Magistrates—Alfred E. Steers, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., James G. Tighe, Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, E. G. Higgenbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, Henry J. Furlong.
President of Board, James G. Tighe, No. 184½ Bergen street.
Secretary to the Board, Lawrence F. Carroll, No. 269 Bedford avenue.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.
Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Luke J. Conorton, Edmund J. Healy.
First District—Long Island City.
Second District—Flushing.
Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—John Croak, Nathaniel Marsh.
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**Borough of Manhattan.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
Daniel E. Finn, Justice. Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, 59 Madison street.
John Hoyer, Justice. Francis Mangin, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens daily at 9 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
George F. Roesch, Justice. Andrew Lang, Clerk.

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

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until 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.
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.

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

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

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street. 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. Michael Skelly, Clerk.

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

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

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Leon Sanders, Justice. James J. Devlin, Clerk.
Court-room, No. 300 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.
William W. Penfield, Justice. Thomas F. Delchanty, 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 Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M. John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
John J. Walsh, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room, located at No. 495 Gates avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 9 o'clock A. M.
Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. William H. Allen, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
William J. Lynch, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.
Clerk's Office from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens at 9 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.
G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk.
R. M. Bennett, 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. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.
Cornelius Furgueson, 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 Saturdays, closing at 12 M. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. Thomas F. Kennedy, Clerk.

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

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former towns and villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.
James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock A. M.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
George W. Snake, Justice. Peter Tiernan, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens at 9 A. M. Calendar called 10 A. M. Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 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, at call of the Mayor.
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Board of City Record meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.
PATRICK J. TRACY,
Supervisor, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 28, 1905.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by a resident of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements for the repair of sidewalks, where necessary, on Broadway, east and west sides, between West One Hundred and Nineteenth street and West One Hundred and Forty-third street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1905, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.
BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 28, 1905.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, recommending that curbs be set and reset and part of sidewalks (for a width of 16 feet) be rerelated and regraded, on both sides of Broadway, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, to conform with the new roadway and sidewalk widths established by ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen on December 20, 1904, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1905, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.
BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 1, 1905.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by a resident of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements for the laying of sidewalks, where necessary, on Broadway, east and west sides, from West One Hundred and Nineteenth street to West One Hundred and Forty-third street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1905, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.
BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

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 of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
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. 269 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOSEPH J. CAREY,
Deputy Property Clerk.

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 assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
MORRIS AVENUE—SEWER and appurtenances, from the existing sewer in East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to a point about 280 feet southerly therefrom. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors February 28, 1905, and entered on February 28, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessments 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 W. One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1905.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 7; TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 4; TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the north side of LEXINGTON AVENUE, between Classon and Franklin avenues; on the north side of LEXINGTON AVENUE, between Franklin and Bedford avenues; on the west side and east side of ASHFORD STREET, between Liberty and Atlantic avenues; on the northwest side of DE SALES PLACE, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen Cemetery; on the southeast side of Greene avenue, between Hamburg and Myrtle avenues; on the southeast side of HARMAN STREET, between Myrtle and Knickerbocker avenues; on the south side of MYRTLE AVENUE, between Suydam street and Wiloughby avenue; on the northeast side of WYCKOFF AVENUE, between Flushing avenue and Jefferson street; southeast side of FLUSHING AVENUE, between St. Nicholas and Wyckoff avenues; southwest side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Flushing avenue and Jefferson street; and on the east side of VERMONT STREET, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Lexington avenue, between Classon and Franklin avenues, on Block 1967, Lot No. 56; north side of Lexington avenue, between Franklin and Bedford avenues, on Block 1968, Lot No. 41; west side of Ashford street, between Liberty and Atlantic avenues, on Block 352, Lots Nos. 9, 10, 11, 18, 19, 20, 47 and 48; east side of Ashford street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues, on Block 356, Lots Nos. 29, 30 and 39; northwest side of De Sales place, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen Cemetery, on Block 3469, Lot No. 37; southeast side of Greene avenue, at the corner of Myrtle avenue, on Block 3298, Lot No. 25; southeast side of Harman street, on Block 3288, Lot No. 13; corner of Myrtle avenue and Suydam street, on Block 3205, Lot No. 26; northeast side of Wyckoff avenue, between Flushing avenue and Jefferson street; southeast side of Flushing avenue, between St. Nicholas avenue and Wyckoff avenue; southwest side of St. Nicholas avenue, between Flushing avenue and Jefferson street, Block 3168, Lots Nos. 1, 18 and 19; northeast corner of Vermont street and Pitkin avenue, Block 376, Lot No. 20.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURB, between east side of First avenue and west side of First avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-third street, extending about 350 feet both east and west from First avenue, and both sides of First avenue, extending about 100 feet north and south from Forty-third street.

THIRTY-NINTH STREET—GRADING A LOT on the south side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Thirty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, Block 913, Lot No. 32.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3, AND THIRTIETH WARD.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the south side of TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET and the north side of TWENTY-NINTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; on the north and south sides of FIFTY-FIRST STREET and the north and south sides of FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; on the north and south sides of FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, between First and Second avenues; on the south side of SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, and on the south side of SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Twenty-eighth street and north side of Twenty-ninth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, on Block 664, Lots Nos. 24, 26, 29, 1, 37, 54 and 57; south side of Fifty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 800, Lots Nos. 18 and 19; north side of Fifty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 792, Lots Nos. 38, 40, 42, 43, 46, 47, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 55 and 57; south side of Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, Block 808, Lots Nos. 11 and 12; northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Fifty-second street, Block 800, Lot No. 1; south side of Fifty-seventh street, between First and Second avenues, Block 844, Lots Nos. 2, 13, 23, 27 and 38; north side of Fifty-seventh street, between First and Second avenues, Block 836, Lots Nos. 46 and 48; south side of Seventy-ninth street, between Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues.

FENCING LOTS on the north side of FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; on the south side of FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; on the east side of FIFTH AVENUE, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets; on the north side of FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; on the north side of FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; on the east side of FIFTH AVENUE, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets; on the south side of SIXTIETH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; on the west side of SIXTH AVENUE, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets; on the south side of THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets; and on the west side of THIRD AVENUE, between Sixty-fifth street and Wakeman place. Area of assessment: North side of Forty-eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 765, Lot No. 48; south side of Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 808, Lots Nos. 11 and 12; east side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets, on Block 808, Lots Nos. 7 and 8; north side of Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; and east side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, on Block 800, Lots Nos. 1 and 2; north side of Fifty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 830, Lots Nos. 1, 45, 62, 63; south side of Sixtieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 916, Lots Nos. 20, 21 and 22; west side of Sixth avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, on Block 800, Lot No. 44; south side of Thirty-sixth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 697, Lots Nos. 10 and 12; west side of Third avenue, between Wakeman place and Sixty-fifth street, on Block 957, Lot No. 4, and Block 958, Lot No. 21; and the land included within the lines of the proposed Sixty-sixth street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2; TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; NINTH WARD, SECTION 4; TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTIONS 3 AND 4.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the southeast corner of COFFEE AND CONOVER STREETS; on the south side of NELSON STREET, between Hamilton avenue and Clinton street; on the southeast corner of SULLIVAN AND RICHARDS STREETS; on the north side of PACIFIC STREET, between Rochester and Buffalo avenues; on the south side of ST. MARK'S AVENUE, between Grand and Classon avenues; on the west side of GRAND AVENUE, between Dean and Bergen streets; on the north side of TWENTIETH STREET, between Sixth

and Seventh avenues; on the south side of PROSPECT PLACE, between Vanderbilt and Carlton avenues; and on the northeast side of Hamilton avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of Conover and Coffee streets, Block 597, Lot No. 7; south side of Nelson street, between Hamilton avenue and Clinton street, Block 378, Lot No. 8; north side of Pacific street, between Rochester and Buffalo avenues, Block 1338, Lot No. 1; southeast corner of Richards and Sullivan streets, Block 567, Lot No. 5; south side of St. Mark's avenue, extending about 225 feet east of Grand avenue; west side of Grand avenue, between Bergen and Dean streets, Block 1140, Lots Nos. 34 and 38; north side of Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, Block 886, Lot No. 74; south side of Prospect place, between Carlton and Vanderbilt avenues, Block 1158, Lot No. 42; northeast side of Hamilton avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, Block 1038, Lots Nos. 8, 20 and 24.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; TWENTY-NINTH WARD; THIRTIETH WARD; SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 7.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the south side of ST. JOHN'S PLACE, between St. Charles' place and Bedford avenue; on the south side of Parkside avenue, between Ocean avenue and St. Paul's place; on the north side of EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues; on the south side of EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues; on the west side of GRAND AVENUE, between Flushing and Park avenues; on the south side of PARK AVENUE, between Grand avenue and Steven street. Area of assessment: South side of St. John's place, between Bedford avenue and St. Charles' place, Block 1252, Lots Nos. 74 and 75; south side of Parkside avenue, between Ocean avenue and St. Paul's place, Block 188, Lots Nos. 1 and 2; northwest corner of Nineteenth avenue and Eighty-fourth street, Block 726, Lot No. 23; southwest corner of Nineteenth avenue and Eighty-fourth street, Block 727, Lot No. 26; west side of Grand avenue, between Park and Flushing avenues, Block 1877, Lot No. 44; south side of Park avenue, between Grand avenue and Steuben street, Block 1893, Lots Nos. 23, 24, 25 and 29.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3; TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6, AND TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

FENCING VACANT LOTS on the east side of FRANKLIN AVENUE, between St. John's place and Degraw street; on the north side of DEGRAW STREET, between Franklin avenue and St. Francis place; on the south side of St. John's place, between Franklin avenue and St. Francis place; on the south side of TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; on the south side of PUTNAM AVENUE, between Howard avenue and Broadway; on the east side of HOWARD AVENUE, between Putnam and Jefferson avenues; on the south side of FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; on the west side of FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; on the north side of BERGEN STREET, between Classon and Franklin avenues; on the north side of TWELFTH STREET, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park, West; on the south side of Eleventh street, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park, West; on the south side of NINETEENTH STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; on the north side of NINETEENTH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Franklin avenue, from St. John's place to Degraw street, Block 1252, Lots Nos. 1 and 2; south side of Twenty-seventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues, Block 660, Lot No. 17; south side of Putnam avenue, between Howard avenue and Broadway, Block 1486, Lots Nos. 6, 15, 19, 20 and 21; south side of Forty-seventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and west side of Fourth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street, Block 764, Lots Nos. 36 and 37; south side of Bergen street, between Classon and Franklin avenues, Block 1149, Lots Nos. 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29; south side of Eleventh street and north side of Twelfth street, between Prospect Park, West, and Eighth avenue, on Block 1097, Lots Nos. 31, 38, 53 and 56; south side of Nineteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, Block 885, Lot No. 19; north side of Nineteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, Block 880, Lot No. 49.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

HERKIMER STREET—FENCING LOT, on the south side, between Eastern parkway and Sherbrook place. Area of assessment: South side of Herkimer street, between Eastern parkway and Sherbrook place, on Block 1571, Lot No. 17.

SOMERS STREET—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, from Eastern parkway extension to Broadway, and SACKMAN STREET—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, from Somers street to a point 80 feet south. Area of assessment: Both sides of Somers street, from Broadway to Eastern parkway, and both sides of Sackman street, from Somers street to a point about 100 feet southerly, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6, AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on SUMPTER STREET, south side, between Rockaway and Stone avenues; on the southwest side of BROADWAY, between Greene and Lexington avenues; on the west side of Saratoga avenue, between Prospect and Park places; on the east side of Albany avenue, between St. John's place and Degraw street; on the south side of DEGRAW STREET, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues; on the east side of KINGSTON AVENUE, between St. Mark's avenue and Prospect place; on the south side of BERGEN STREET, between Buffalo and Ralph avenues; on the south side of ST. MARK'S AVENUE, between Howard and Ralph avenues; on the north side of ST. MARK'S AVENUE, between Howard and Ralph avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Sumpter street, extending about 54 feet east of Rockaway avenue; southwest side of Broadway, between Greene and Lexington avenues, Block 1623, Lots Nos. 41 and 45; west side of Saratoga avenue, from Prospect place to Park place; east side of Albany avenue, between Degraw street and St. John's place, Block 1382, Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 9; south side of Degraw street, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues, Block 1261, Lots Nos. 11 and 46; east side of Kingston avenue, between Prospect place and St. Mark's avenue, Block 1230, Lot No. 7; south side of Bergen street, between Ralph and Buffalo avenues, Block 1357, Lots Nos. 7 and 22; south side of St. Mark's avenue, between Howard and Ralph avenues, Block 1457, Lot No. 25; north side of St. Mark's avenue, between Howard and Ralph avenues, Block 1451, Lots Nos. 49, 51 and 69.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6; TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; THIRTIETH WARD; EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the east side of RALPH AVENUE, between Herkimer

street and Atlantic avenue; on the east side of RALPH AVENUE, between Pacific and Dean streets; on the east side of RALPH AVENUE, between Dean and Bergen streets; on the east side of RALPH AVENUE, between Bergen street and St. Mark's avenue; on the west side of RALPH AVENUE, between Pacific and Dean streets; on the west side of RALPH AVENUE, between Dean and Bergen streets; on the west side of RALPH AVENUE, between Bergen street and St. Mark's avenue; on the south side of SIXTIETH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; on the south side of THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; on the north side and south side of THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; and on the north side of FORTIETH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Northeast corner of Ralph avenue and Atlantic avenue, Block 1556, Lot No. 40; east side of Ralph avenue, from Dean to Pacific street; east side of Ralph avenue, from Dean to Bergen street; east side of Ralph avenue, between St. Mark's avenue and Bergen street, Block 1451, Lots Nos. 2 and 6; west side of Ralph avenue, between Dean and Pacific streets, Block 1345, Lot No. 49; west side of Ralph avenue, between Dean and Bergen streets, Block 1351, Lot No. 53; west side of Ralph avenue, between Bergen street and St. Mark's avenue, Block 1357, Lots Nos. 49 and 55; south side of Sixtieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 916, Lot No. 22; south side of Thirty-third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, Block 685, Lots Nos. 11, 12, 14, 16 and 35; north side of Thirty-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, Block 684, Lots Nos. 44, 46, 51, 54, 58, 59 and 60; south side of Thirty-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, Block 688, Lots Nos. 1, 10, 23, 27 and 31; north side of Fortieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, Block 709, Lots Nos. 31, 36 and 67.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

HILL STREET—PAVING, between Railroad avenue and Euclid avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hill street, from Railroad avenue to Euclid avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD AND TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 11.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the west side of LINWOOD STREET, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on the north side of ATLANTIC AVENUE, between Elton and Linwood streets; on the northeast side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Flushing avenue and Jefferson street; on the southeast side of FLUSHING AVENUE, between St. Nicholas and Cypress avenues; on the northeast side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Jefferson and Troutman streets; on the northeast side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Starr street and Willoughby avenue; on the northeast side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Willoughby avenue and Suydam street; on the northeast side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Suydam and Hart streets; on the northeast side of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Hart street and DeKalb avenue. Area of assessment: West side of Linwood street, between Atlantic avenue and Fulton street, on Block 319, Lots Nos. 20, 24 and 25; south side of Flushing avenue, from Cypress avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, and north side of St. Nicholas avenue, from Flushing avenue to Jefferson street, on Block 3169, Lots Nos. 1 and 9; north side of St. Nicholas avenue, from Jefferson street to a point distant about 100 feet west of DeKalb avenue.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

EAST TWELFTH STREET—CONSTRUCTING SEWER, between Beverley road and Avenue C; and AVENUE C—OUTLET SEWER, north side, between East Twelfth and East Fourteenth streets; also EAST FOURTEENTH STREET—SEWER, between Beverley road and Avenue C; and AVENUE C—OUTLET SEWER, north side, between East Fourteenth and East Fifteenth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth streets, from Beverley road to Cortelyou road; and north side of Cortelyou road, from East Eleventh street to East Fifteenth street.

THIRTIETH WARD.

SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-second street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

OVINGTON AVENUE—CONSTRUCTING SEWER, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and FIFTH AVENUE—OUTLET SEWER, between Ovington avenue and Bay Ridge avenue, and BAY RIDGE AVENUE—OUTLET SEWER, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ovington avenue, from Fourth to Fifth avenue; both sides of Fifth avenue, between Ovington avenue and Bay Ridge avenue; both sides of Bay Ridge avenue, from Fourth avenue to Sixth avenue; east side of Fourth avenue, from Ovington avenue to Bay Ridge avenue, and both sides of Ovington avenue, extending about 240 feet east of Fifth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors February 28, 1905, and entered February 28, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. until 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1905.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET—OPENING, between Eleventh avenue and Fort Washington avenue. Confirmed January 3, 1905; entered March 1, 1905. 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 midway between Fort Washington avenue and Boulevard Lafayette on the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; running thence northerly to the intersection of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street with the westerly line of Haven avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Haven avenue to the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventieth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Eleventh avenue and Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventieth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Audubon avenue and Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said middle line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.; and all payments made thereon on or before May 1, 1905, 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, March 1, 1905.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON APRIL 1, 1905, on the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1905.

The interest due on April 1, 1905, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on April 1, 1905, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 27, 1905.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

FIFTH WARD, SECTION 1.

CAROLINE STREET—REPAVING, from Duane street to Jay street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Caroline street, from Duane street to Jay street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the north side, between Lexington and Third avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and First street, commencing 100 feet west of Third avenue and extending about 240 feet westerly.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING-BASINS, at the intersection of ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND EDGEcombe AVENUE, and southeast corner of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND COLUMBUS AVENUE. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Morningside avenue; also triangle bounded by St. Nicholas avenue, Edgecombe avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE—PAVING, from one Hundred and Twenty-seventh to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of St. Nicholas terrace, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND RECURBING, from Lenox avenue to a point 450 feet easterly therefrom. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Lenox avenue to a point distant about 450 feet easterly, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 21, 1905, and entered on February 21, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before April 22, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 21, 1905. f24,m9

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

RECEIVING BASINS and appurtenances at the northwest corner of NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET; southwest corner of NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET; northeast corner of NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET; southeast corner of NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Nelson avenue to Ogden avenue; west side of Nelson avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fourth to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; east side of Ogden avenue, extending about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; both sides of Nelson avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Nelson avenue to Woodycrest avenue, and west side of Woodycrest avenue, extending about 169 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

RECEIVING BASIN and appurtenances at the northeast corner of TEASDALE PLACE AND CAULDWELL AVENUE. Area of assessment: East side of Cauldwell avenue, from Teasdale place to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, and north side of Teasdale place, from Cauldwell avenue to Trinity place.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTIONS 10 AND 11.

RECEIVING BASINS on PROSPECT AVENUE, at the southeast corner of KELLY STREET, at the northeast corner of MACY PLACE, the northeast corner of WESTCHESTER AVENUE, on the northwest corner of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, and the southwest corner of CROTONA PARK, SOUTH. Area of assessment: East side of Prospect avenue, from Macy place to Longwood avenue; west side of Avenue St. John, from Kelly street to Beck street, and south side of Kelly street, from Prospect avenue to Avenue St. John; east side of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Sixtieth to One Hundred and Sixty-second street; west side of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third street; east side of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Freeman street; west side of Prospect avenue, from Boston road to Crotona Park, South, and north side of Boston road, from Prospect avenue to One Hundred and Seventieth street.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

RECEIVING BASINS and appurtenances at the southeast corner of CLARKE PLACE AND JEROME AVENUE; southeast corner of MARCY PLACE AND JEROME AVENUE; intersection of the west side of JEROME AVENUE with the east side of MACOMB'S DAM ROAD; JEROME AVENUE, southeast corner of ELLIOTT PLACE; JEROME AVENUE, northwest corner of BELMONT STREET; west side of JEROME AVENUE, opposite CLIFFORD PLACE; southwest corner of JEROME AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET; northwest corner of JEROME AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD. Area of assessment: Triangle bounded by Macomb's Dam road, Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Seventieth street, south side of Elliott place, south side of Marcy place and south side of Clarke place, from Walton avenue to Jerome avenue; west side of Walton avenue, from Marcy place to Elliott place; north side of Belmont street, from Jerome avenue to Inwood avenue; east side of Inwood avenue, from Belmont street to Featherbed lane; west side of Jerome avenue, from Clifford place to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Grant avenue, and west side of Jerome avenue, from Kingsbridge road to One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

HUGHES AVENUE—RECEIVING-BASIN, at the northwest corner of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Arthur avenue to Hughes avenue; south side of Oak Tree place, extending 195 feet west of Hughes avenue, and west side of Hughes avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Oak Tree place.

RECEIVING-BASINS on PROSPECT AVENUE, between CROTONA PARK, NORTH AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, at the following locations: Northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest corners of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, northeast corner of OAKLAND PLACE, northeast and northwest corners of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET, northeast, northwest and southwest corners of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, northeast and northwest corners of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, southwest corner of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, and southwest corner of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET. Area of assessment: Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Seventy-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets, Clinton avenue and Prospect avenue; both sides of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to a point distant about 320 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Clinton avenue to Mapes avenue; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Crotona avenue to Southern Boulevard; both sides of Prospect avenue and west side of Southern Boulevard, from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Garden street; also block bounded by Grote street, East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, Prospect avenue and Crotona avenue, and south side of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Prospect avenue to Crotona avenue.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

JEROME AVENUE AND TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET—RECEIVING-BASINS, at the northeast and southeast corners. Area of assessments: Block bounded by Two Hundred and Fourth and Two Hundred and Fifth streets, Jerome avenue and Villa avenue; east side of Jerome avenue, from Two Hundred and Two Hundred and Fourth street, and south side of Two Hundred and Fourth street and north side of Two Hundred and Fourth street, from Jerome avenue to Villa avenue.

RECEIVING BASINS on MOSHOLU PARKWAY, SOUTH, at the southwest corner of DECATUR AVENUE, opposite DECATUR AVENUE; southwest corner of MARION AVENUE; southeast corner of PERRY AVENUE; southeast and southwest corners of BAINBRIDGE AVENUE; northeast corner of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, opposite East Two Hundred and Third street; southwest and northwest corners of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET; southwest and northwest corners of LISBON PLACE; northwest corner of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET; northwest corner of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET; southwest and northwest corners of VAN CORTLANDT AVENUE; southeast and northeast corners of JEROME AVENUE; and west side of JEROME AVENUE, opposite Mosholu parkway, South; blocks bounded by Decatur avenue and Briggs avenue, Two Hundred and First street and Mosholu parkway, South; also blocks bounded by Two Hundred and Second and Two Hundred and Fourth streets, Valentine avenue and Mosholu parkway, South; also blocks bounded by Two Hundred and Fourth and Two Hundred and Sixth streets, Grand Boulevard and Concourse and Mosholu parkway, South; also block bounded by Two Hundred and Sixth street and Van Cortlandt avenue, St. George's Crescent and Mosholu parkway, South; also blocks bounded by Van Cortlandt avenue, Jerome avenue and Mosholu parkway, South; also north side of Jerome avenue, extending about 1,190 feet west of Mosholu parkway, North, and east side of Mosholu parkway, South, extending from Jerome avenue to Decatur avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 21, 1905, and entered on February 21, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before April 22, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 21, 1905. f24,m9

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 26, 1905.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture, with patented articles.....	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt).....	15,000
Not over 2 years.....	5,000
School building repairs.....	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus.....	5,000
New buildings—New docks.....	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water mains—	
Not over 2 years.....	10,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

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 8246, No. 1. Sewer basin on the northwest corner of Linden and Nostrand avenues.

List 8247, No. 2. Sewer in Ninetieth street, from Fourth avenue westerly to the crown of said Ninetieth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

List 8258, No. 3. Sewer basins at the northerly and westerly corners of Sixth avenue and Fourth street.

List 8260, No. 4. Sewer in Third avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets.

List 8261, No. 5. Sewer in Third avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.

List 8270, No. 6. Sewer in Bay Eighth street, between Bath and Croysey avenues, with temporary connection at Croysey avenue.

List 8271, No. 7. Sewer basins on all the four corners of Sutter and Saratoga avenues, all the four corners of Sutter avenue and Douglass street, northeast and northwest corners of Sutter avenue and Ames street, northeast and northwest corners of Sutter avenue and Amboy street, and northeast and northwest corners of Sutter avenue and Hopkinson avenue.

List 8272, No. 8. Sewer in St. Paul's place, from Caton to Church avenue.

List 8299, No. 9. Paving with asphalt pavement on concrete base Seventy-third street, between Sixth and Tenth avenues.

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. Blocks bounded by Nostrand avenue, Rogers avenue, Linden avenue and Lenox road, on Block 365, Lots Nos. 5 to 10, inclusive; 36, 37, 38, 42, 43, and Block 377, Lots Nos. 4 to 9, inclusive; 12 to 17, inclusive, and 22.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninetieth street, extending about 275 feet west of Fourth avenue.

No. 3. West side of Sixth avenue, from Third to Fifth street.

No. 4. Both sides of Third avenue, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street.

No. 5. Both sides of Third avenue, from Eighty-fifth to Eighty-sixth street.

No. 6. Both sides of Bay Eighth street, from Bath to Croysey avenue.

No. 7. Blocks bounded by Barrett street, Bristol street, Sutter avenue and Pitkin avenue, excepting the east side of Barrett street and the west side of Bristol street, from Pitkin avenue to Sutter avenue; also south side of Sutter avenue, from Barrett street to Ames street; both sides of Douglass street, extending about 230 feet south of Sutter avenue, and both sides of Saratoga avenue, from Blake to Sutter avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of St. Paul's place, from Caton avenue to Church avenue, on Block 209, Lots Nos. 1 and 3; Block 210A, Lots Nos. 4 and 15, and Block 210, Lots Nos. 2, 13 and 17.

No. 9. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from Sixth to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 28, 1905, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH, ANTONIO ZUCCA, CHARLES A. O'MALLEY, Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, } March 3, 1905. f24,m13

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 8121, No. 1. Regulating, grading, paving with granite block pavement, setting and resetting curb and paving the sidewalks with cement in Hamburg avenue, between Cornelia and Moffat streets.

List 8342, No. 2. Sewer in Furman avenue, from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen Cemetery.

List 8343, No. 3. Sewer-basin on the northwest corner of East Eighteenth street and Cortelyou road (Avenue C).

List 8344, No. 4. Sewer-basins on the northeast and northwest corners of Sherman street and Vanderbilt street.

List 8345, No. 5. Sewer-basin on the southwest corner of Tompkins avenue and Hopkins street.

List 8346, No. 6. Sewer-basin on the southwest corner of Warwick street and Fulton street.

List 8349, No. 7. Fencing lots on the east side of Bradford street, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues; southeast side of Bleeker street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues; west side of Grand avenue, between Park and Myrtle avenues; southeast side of Lynch street, between Lee and Bedford avenues; south side of Richardson street, between Kingsland avenue and Humboldt street; northeast side of Metropolitan avenue, between Berry street and Bedford avenue; south side of Wyckoff street, between Nevins street and Third avenue; south side of Madison street, between Stuyvesant and Lewis avenues, and west side of Stuyvesant avenue, between Madison street and Putnam avenue.

List 8350, No. 8. Fencing lots on the north side of Blake avenue, between Schenck avenue and Barbey street; northwest side of Eldert street, between Central and Hamburg avenues; Melrose street; southeast side of Evergreen avenue and Melrose street; southeast side of Linden street, between Myrtle and Myrtle avenues; south side of Myrtle avenue, between Linden street and Gates avenue; north-west side of Gates avenue, between Irving and Myrtle avenues, and north side of Metropolitan avenue, between Orient avenue and Olive street.

List 8351, No. 9. Fencing lots on the southeast side of Grove street, between Myrtle and Wyckoff avenues; north side of Myrtle avenue, between Grove and Linden streets; northwest side of Linden street, between Myrtle and Wyckoff avenues; west side of Pennsylvania avenue, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, and east side of Rockaway avenue, between Belmont and Sutter avenues.

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 Hamburg avenue, from Cornelia to Moffat street, and to the extent of

half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Furman avenue, from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen Cemetery.

No. 3. West side of East Eighteenth street, from Cortelyou road to Beverley road; south side of Beverley road and north side of Cortelyou road, from East Seventeenth street to East Eighteenth street.

No. 4. Both sides of Sherman street, from Vanderbilt to Seely street, and south side of Seely street, from Prospect avenue to Sherman street.

No. 5. West side of Tompkins avenue, from Ellery to Hopkins street.

No. 6. West side of Warwick street, from Atlantic avenue to Fulton street, and south side of Fulton street, from Jerome to Warwick street.

No. 7. East side of Bradford street, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, Block 3708, Lots Nos. 2 and 3; southeast side of Bleeker street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues, Block 3310, Lots Nos. 23, 24 and 25; west side of Grand avenue, between Myrtle and Park avenues, Block 1892, Lots Nos. 62, 63, 66 and 70; southeast side of Lynch street, between Lee and Bedford avenues, Block 2235, Lot No. 3; south side of Richardson street, between Kingsland avenue and Humboldt street, Block 2857, Lots Nos. 30 and 31; northeast side of Metropolitan avenue, between Berry street and Bedford avenue, Block 2359, Lots Nos. 24, 25 and 26; south side of Wyckoff avenue, between Nevins street and Third avenue, Block 394, Lot No. 5; south side of Madison street, between Stuyvesant avenue and Lewis avenue; west side of Stuyvesant avenue, between Madison street and Putnam avenue, Block 1645, Lots Nos. 35, 36 and 37.

No. 8. Northwest corner of Blake avenue and Barbey street, Block 433, Lot No. 28; northwest side of Eldert street, between Central and Hamburg avenues, Block 3411, Lots Nos. 52, 57 and 62; northwest corner of Melrose street and Evergreen avenue, Block 3152, Lot No. 41; north side of Myrtle avenue, between Linden street and Gates avenue; southeast side of Linden street, between Myrtle and Wyckoff avenues, Block 3337, Lots Nos. 1, 5 and 6; north side of Gates avenue and south side of Linden street, between Myrtle and Irving avenues; south side of Myrtle avenue, between Linden street and Gates avenues, Block 3336, Lots Nos. 3, 24 and 25; north side of Metropolitan avenue, between Olive street and Orient avenue, Block 2912, Lots Nos. 30, 31, 32 and 33.

No. 9. Southeast side of Grove street, between Myrtle and Wyckoff avenues; north side of Myrtle avenue, between Grove and Linden street, Block 3328, Lots Nos. 1, 16 and 26; west side of Pennsylvania avenue, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, Block 3720, Lots Nos. 30, 31, 32 and 33; east side of Rockaway avenue, between Belmont and Sutter avenues, Block 3526, Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 28, 1905, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH, ANTONIO ZUCCA, CHARLES A. O'MALLEY, Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, } February 24, 1905. f24,m7

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15 1905.

FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF NINE MONTHS AND SIXTEEN DAYS, FROM MARCH 16, 1905, TO DECEMBER 31, 1905, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

For lighting streets, public buildings and parks in The City of New York.

No. 1. Borough of Manhattan.
No. 2. Borough of The Bronx.
No. 3. Borough of Brooklyn.
No. 4. Borough of Queens.
No. 5. Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED) AND FOR MAKING CERTAIN REPAIRS TO LAMP-POSTS, AND FOR FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING, FOR THE TERM OF NINE MONTHS AND SIXTEEN DAYS, FROM MARCH 16, 1905, TO DECEMBER 31, 1905, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

On the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places.

No. 6. Borough of Manhattan.
No. 7. Borough of The Bronx.
No. 8. Borough of Brooklyn.
No. 9. Borough of Queens.
No. 10. Borough of Richmond.

The amount of security required is twenty-five (25) per cent. 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, per lamp, lamp-post, column, service-pipe, stand-pipe, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department, Room 1325.

JOHN T. OAKLEY, Commissioner.
NEW YORK, March 1, 1905.

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE OF SALE AT AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1905, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, by William H. Smith, auctioneer, at premises formerly occupied by this Department as a storehouse, situate corner of Park and Clinton avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, two old safes.

TERMS OF SALE.
The upset price at which these two safes will be sold is \$25 each. No bid below this price will be considered or accepted. Successful bidders must make cash payment in bankable funds

at the time and place of sale. No bid will be considered or accepted for less than the two safes. The purchaser must remove both safes from the place of sale within seven days after the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the money paid at the time of sale and the ownership to the safes, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the City.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas
and Electricity. f27,m10

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM NO. 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1905.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) AUTOMOBILE CARRIAGE.

The time for the delivery of the automobile and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days from date of signing contract. The amount of the security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Bidders must state the trade names of the vehicle bid for by them as to the type and position of the engine, brake, horse-power and weight of the complete vehicle.

Each bidder must submit along with and attached to his bid his own particular specification, describing accurately and in detail the kinds and quantities of the materials used and the construction in all its parts of the automobile carriage that he proposes to furnish, if the contract for which his bid is made shall be awarded to him. The said particular specification must comply with the general specification in all respects.

Blank forms, specifications and any further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bureau of Lamps and Gas, Room No. 1328, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner, Department of Water
Supply, Gas and Electricity. f23,m8

Dated FEBRUARY 21, 1905. f23,m8
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM NO. 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1905.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING (1,050) FOUR NOZZLE POST HYDRANTS AND (40) TWO NOZZLE FIRE-BOAT CONNECTION HYDRANTS FOR HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE MAINS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be three hundred and forty (340) calendar days.

The security required will be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

Bidders must deliver a sample four-nozzle hydrant at the Pipe Yard, East Twenty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, before the time set for the submission of their bid, and each bid must be accompanied by a receipt for such sample hydrant, signed by the foreman in charge at the Pipe Yard. No bid will be received unless accompanied by such receipt. Where bidders have already delivered a sample hydrant under the advertisement of February 1, 1905, for high pressure fire hydrants for the Borough of Brooklyn, they will not be required to furnish an additional sample hydrant, but may, if they so desire, furnish new parts for the hydrants already delivered, these parts to be delivered to the foreman in charge of the Pipe Yard, and be placed in the hydrant, after the hydrant has been delivered to the Pipe Yard in the Borough of Manhattan. The Department will deliver all sample hydrants at present in the Borough of Brooklyn, to the Yard in the Borough of Manhattan, at its own cost and expense, if bids are submitted for the Borough of Manhattan. If there is any difference, except in the nozzles, between the four-nozzle hydrant and the two-nozzle fire-boat connection hydrant, a sample of each hydrant must be furnished. This hydrant will be considered a standard of workmanship and design, and the hydrants furnished under this contract must be in accordance with the sample submitted.

The sample hydrant or hydrants furnished by the successful bidder will be retained and paid for at the price specified under this contract (unless this hydrant is retained and paid for on the contract for the Borough of Brooklyn), and all other hydrants will be returned after the award of the contract. These hydrants will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders at their own cost and expense.

Bidders will write out the total amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. All bids or estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids or estimates for all items for which bids or estimates are called.

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, NOS. 13-21 Park row, Chief Engineer's office, where any additional information required will be given.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner. f18,m8

Dated FEBRUARY 17, 1905. f18,m8
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

MONDAY MARCH 13, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN DEWITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL ON WEST SIDE OF TENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTY-EIGHTH AND FIFTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 150 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Forty-five Thousand Dollars.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 3. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 37, ON ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREETS, ABOUT 175 FEET EAST OF WILLIS AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$1,500 00
Item 2..... 1,500 00
Item 3..... 1,400 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

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

On Contract No. 3 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated MARCH 2, 1905. m1,13

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

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

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

MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR THE COMPLETION AND FINISHING OF THE UNFINISHED WORK FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 31, ON SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF MONROE AND GOUVERNEUR STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO WILLIAMS & GERSTLE, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The work in question is for the completion of the said abandoned contract.

The full and final completion of the whole work will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the printed amendment which is inserted in the specifications.

The quantities of work to be done, and the materials to be furnished, is the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate, and must examine the addenda attached to the contract and specifications.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the original 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 MARCH 2, 1905. m1,13

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

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

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR SANITARY WORK AND GAS FITTING OF DE WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, ON THE WEST SIDE OF TENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTY-EIGHTH AND FIFTY-NINTH STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 120 working days.

The amount of security required is Thirty Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 15, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF EAST FOURTH STREET, ABOUT 256 FEET WESTERLY OF AVENUE D, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work in the new additions will be 30 working days, as provided in the contract.

The work in the old building shall be completed on or before September 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ITEM 1; ALSO PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE, ITEM 2, OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 65, ON FORSYTH AND ELDRIDGE STREETS, ABOUT 125 FEET NORTH OF CANAL STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$200,000 00
Item 2..... 1,400 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award made thereon.

No. 4. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 104, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, ABOUT 160 FEET EAST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work in new building will be 30 working days, as provided in the contract.

The entire work in old building shall be completed on or before September 1, 1905. The amount of security required is Eleven Thousand Dollars.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 5. FOR THE SANITARY WORK AND GAS-FITTING OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 41, ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF RICHARD AND TWO HUNDRED AND NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 90 working days. The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 1, 2, 4 and 5 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contract No. 3 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated FEBRUARY 23, 1905. f23,m6

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

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

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 6. FOR THE ERECTION OF OUTSIDE IRON STAIRS AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 56, NO. 351 WEST EIGHTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days. The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars.

On Contract No. 6 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

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 FEBRUARY 23, 1905. f23,m6

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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, JACKSON AVENUE AND FIFTH STREET, 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

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING ALL MATERIALS AND LABOR AND CONSTRUCTING AND DELIVERING A PLANT FOR THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF GARBAGE, RUBBISH AND LIGHT REFUSE TO BE COLLECTED IN THE FOURTH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimate upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, and any further information, can be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Jackson Avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

JOS. CASSIDY,
President, Borough of Queens. f21,m6

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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NO. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, JANUARY 6, 1905.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by the Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising The City of New York" will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the

FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1905.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection, application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson Avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Masonic Building, Stapleton. Corporations in all the Boroughs must make application only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed, at the office of the Department in the Borough where such person resides, and in the case of a non-resident carrying on business in the City of New York, at the office of the Department in the Borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

FRANK A. O'DONNELL,
President;

JAMES B. BOUCK,
SAMUEL STRASSBURGER,
EDWARD TODD,
F. RAYMOND,
N. MULLER,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments. f17,m1

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF LATTICE RAILING ON THE FOOTWALKS OF THE WILLIAMSBURG (New East River) BRIDGE, OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The railing on the single footwalks and on one of the double footwalks shall be complete in place by June 1, 1905, and the contract shall be entirely completed by July 1, 1905.

The amount of security required to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

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

GEO. E. BEST,
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated FEBRUARY 16, 1905. f17,m2

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1905.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, FROM SECOND AVENUE TO THIRD AVENUE, WITH OUTLET SEWERS IN THIRD AVENUE, ETC.

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

290 linear feet 42-inch reinforced concrete sewer.
266 linear feet 36-inch reinforced concrete sewer.
1,665 linear feet 30-inch reinforced concrete sewer.
45 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
710 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
27 manholes.
5 sewer basins.
13,500 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
54 cubic yards concrete cradle.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 50 working days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen 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 linear foot, foot B. M., cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated FEBRUARY 21, 1905. m2,15

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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, MARCH 15, 1905.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN BEVERLY ROAD, FROM OCEAN PARKWAY TO EAST SECOND STREET.

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

510 linear feet 24-inch pipe sewer.
260 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.
35 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
265 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
10 manholes.
7 sewer basins.
9,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
119 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN BEVERLY ROAD, FROM EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET TO BEDFORD AVENUE.

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

260 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.
260 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
5 manholes.
3 sewer basins.
4,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
49 cubic yards concrete cradle.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 45 working days.

The amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SACKETT STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

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

1 sewer basin.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

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, cubic yard, cubic foot, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated FEBRUARY 18, 1905.

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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, MARCH 8, 1905.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BAINBRIDGE STREET, from a point 158 feet east of Saratoga avenue to Broadway.

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

5,560 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
910 cubic yards of concrete.
2,500 linear feet of new curbstones.
280 linear feet of old bluestone curb, to be reset.

15 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BERGEN STREET, from Fourth avenue to Flatbush avenue, and BERGEN STREET, from Carlton avenue to Franklin avenue.

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

10,060 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
2,060 cubic yards of concrete.
9,800 linear feet of new curbstones.
1,090 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, to be reset.

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

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAYS OF BUTLER STREET, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, and STERLING PLACE, from Sixth avenue to Flatbush avenue.

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

6,320 square yards of asphalt pavement.
6,320 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.
3,390 linear feet of new curbstones.
380 linear feet of old bluestone curb, to be reset.

17 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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 Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CORNELIA STREET, from Central avenue to Knickerbocker avenue, except where now paved with asphalt.

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

3,430 square yards of asphalt pavement.
10 square yards of adjacent pavement.
580 cubic yards of concrete.
1,850 linear feet of new curbstones.
210 linear feet of old bluestone curb, to be reset.

9 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTIETH STREET, Sixth avenue to Eighth avenue.

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

5,110 square yards of asphalt pavement.
710 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

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

2,450 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
10 square yards of adjacent pavement.
380 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.
300 linear feet of new curbstones.
1,170 linear feet of old bluestone curb, to be reset.

7 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CON-

CRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FOUNTAIN AVENUE, from Belmont avenue to Atlantic avenue.

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

7,810 square yards of asphalt pavement.
1,990 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HALSEY STREET, from Stuyvesant avenue to Broadway.

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

9,110 square yards of asphalt pavement.
20 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,690 cubic yards of concrete.
7,760 linear feet of new curbstones.
860 linear feet of old curbstones, to be reset.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HANCOCK STREET, from Central avenue to Knickerbocker avenue.

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

4,170 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
700 cubic yards of concrete.
2,250 linear feet of new curbstones.
250 linear feet of old curbstones, to be reset.

10 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON HEMLOCK STREET, from Jamaica avenue to Etna street.

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

1,874 linear feet of new curbstones, to be set in concrete.
153 cubic yards of earth excavation.
4,909 cubic yards of filling, to be furnished.
90 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

9,360 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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 One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON AVENUE I, from Gravesend avenue to Ocean parkway.

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

2,758 linear feet of new curbstones, to be set in concrete.
136 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

12,390 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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 One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LAFAYETTE AVENUE, from Waverly avenue to St. James place, and LAFAYETTE AVENUE, from Grand avenue to Bedford avenue.

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

9,590 square yards of asphalt pavement.
9,590 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.
4,350 linear feet of new curb.
480 linear feet of old curb, to be reset.

19 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON LIVONIA AVENUE, from Rockaway avenue to Stone avenue.

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

1,762 linear feet of new curbstones, to be set in concrete.
1,805 cubic yards of earth excavation.
932 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

87 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

8,330 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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 Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LYNCH STREET, from Bedford avenue to Broadway.

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

9,990 square yards of asphalt pavement.
20 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,650 cubic yards of concrete.
4,730 linear feet of new curbstones.
520 linear feet of old curbstones, to be reset.

15 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 15. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON MILFORD STREET, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road.

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

3,653 linear feet of new curb, to be set in concrete.
10 linear feet of old curbstones, to be reset in concrete.
180 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

18,150 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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 Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING NORMAN AVENUE, from the end of the Belgian pavement about 100 feet west of Morgan avenue to Bridgewater street.

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

1,009 linear feet of new curbstones, to be set in concrete.
2,785 cubic yards of earth excavation.

5,483 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

50 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PINE STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Pitkin avenue.

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

1,413 square yards of asphalt pavement.
242 cubic yards of concrete.
824 linear feet of new curbstones.
131 cubic yards of earth excavation.
18 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

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 One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PRESIDENT STREET, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

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

4,710 square yards of asphalt pavement.
4,710 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.
2,540 linear feet of new curb.
280 linear feet of old curb, to be reset.

16 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEABRIDGE STREET, from Van Brunt street to Columbia street.

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

2,990 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
590 cubic yards of concrete.
1,630 linear feet of new curb.
180 linear feet of old curb, to be reset.

360 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 20. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SHERLOCK PLACE, from Herkimer street to Atlantic avenue.

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

1,200 square yards of asphalt pavement.
170 cubic yards of concrete.
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 One Thousand Dollars.

No. 21. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SIXTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue, ALSO REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SIXTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Prospect Park, West.

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

4,810 square yards of asphalt pavement.
2,420 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.
400 cubic yards of concrete.
2,450 linear feet of new curb.
430 linear feet of old curb, to be reset.

16 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 22. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND GUTTERING SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

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

332 square yards of brick gutters, on a concrete foundation.
1,495 linear feet of new curb, set in concrete.
2,310 cubic yards of earth excavation.
520 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

110 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 23. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF VARET STREET, from Broadway to Bogart street.

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

10,870 square yards of asphalt pavement.
50 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,830 cubic yards of concrete.
5,670 linear feet of new curb.
630 linear feet of old curb, to be reset.

33 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 24. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF WEST NINTH STREET, from Columbia street to Hamilton avenue.

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

4,080 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.
50 square yards of adjacent pavement.
840 cubic yards of concrete.
2,550 linear feet of new curb.
280 linear feet of old curb, to be reset.

590 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

290 square feet of old bridgestones, to be relaid.

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 Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 25. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150 TONS (GROSS) OF THE BEST ANTHRACITE COAL.

Time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies is on or before May 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 26. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 300 CUBIC YARDS OF PAVING GRAVEL.

Time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before October 31, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 27. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150,000 POUNDS OF PAVING PITCH.

Time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before October 31, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 28. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

Time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before October 31, 1905.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

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, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated FEBRUARY 20, 1905.

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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, MARCH 8, 1905.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Sixth avenue.

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

815 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.
45 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
810 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
16 manholes.
3 sewer basins.

12,000 feet B. M., foundation planking.

146 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF BARBEY STREET AND ARLINGTON AVENUE.

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

1 sewer basin.
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE WEST-ERLY CORNER OF PALMETTO STREET AND EVERGREEN AVENUE.

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

1 sewer basin.
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF OAKLAND AND ASH STREETS.

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

1 sewer basin.
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,700 GROSS TONS (2,240 POUNDS TO A TON) OF THE BEST GRADE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, PEA SIZE, TO THE SEVERAL SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS IN THE TWENTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-FIRST WARD, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The amount of security required is Seventeen Hundred 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, linear foot, foot, board measure, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

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

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated FEBRUARY 9, 1905.

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK, CITY OF NEW YORK.

JAMES McCAULEY, AUCTIONEER.

ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF Parks, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following property, which is of no further use to this Department:

- Lot No. 1. 1 automobile lawn mower.
- Lot No. 2. 10 one-horse carts.
- Lot No. 3. 12 truck horses.
- Lot No. 4. 3 driving horses.

The sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M.,

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1905.

at the Park Stables in Bronx Park. Each lot will be sold separately. The right to reject all bids is reserved. All property must be paid for in cash at the time and place of sale.

All property must be removed within five (5) days after sale; on failure to do so, the purchaser will forfeit the money paid on day of sale and the property will be resold on account of the purchaser, less cost of sale and maintenance.

All of the above property may be seen at any time before the day of sale, at Bronx Park.

HENRY C. SCHRADER,
Commissioner of Parks,
Borough of The Bronx.
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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE STEAM ROAD ROLLER AND ONE ROAD SCARIFIER, FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty days.

The amount of security shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN J. PALLAS,
President;
HENRY C. SCHRADER,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1905.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED (100) TONS WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is, as required, before May 1, 1905.

The amount of security shall be Three Hundred Dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN J. PALLAS,
President;
HENRY C. SCHRADER,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated FEBRUARY 16, 1905.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HORSES.

The time for delivery will be 15 days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 500 CUBIC YARDS OF BLUE LIME-STONE SCREENINGS AND 500 CUBIC YARDS TRAP-ROCK SCREENINGS.

The time for delivery will be, as required, before October 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 300,000 SQUARE FEET OF GRASS SOD. The time allowed to complete the contract will be, as required, before December 31, 1905.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 10,000 CUBIC YARDS OF GARDEN MOLD.

The time allowed for delivery will be, as required, before December 31, 1905.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

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

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

JOHN J. PALLAS,
President;
HENRY C. SCHRADER,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners.

New York, February 16, 1905.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PLUMBING MATERIALS.

The time of delivery will be, as required, before December 31, 1905.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

JOHN J. PALLAS,
President;
HENRY C. SCHRADER,
M. J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated FEBRUARY 15, 1905.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT HORSES.

The time of delivery will be within fifteen working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

JOHN J. PALLAS,
President;
HENRY C. SCHRADER,
M. J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated FEBRUARY 15, 1905.

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRITAIN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1905.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND CUBIC YARDS OF 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE, OF TRAP ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE, FIVE HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF 3/4-INCH SIZE OF THE SAME MATERIAL, AND FIFTEEN HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF SCREENINGS OF THE SAME MATERIAL, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH POINTS AND IN SUCH QUANTITIES, FROM TIME TO TIME, AS THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS MAY DIRECT UPON THE ROADS OF THE PORTION OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS, AND KNOWN AS STONE DISTRICT NO. 1:

NORTH BY KILL VON KULL, EAST BY BARD AVENUE AND CLOVE ROAD, SOUTH BY THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF RICHMOND TURNPIKE, WEST BY STATEN ISLAND SOUND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until November 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND (3,000) CUBIC YARDS OF 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE OF TRAP ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE, FIVE HUNDRED (500) CUBIC YARDS OF 3/4-INCH SIZE OF THE SAME MATERIAL, AND FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) CUBIC YARDS OF SCREENINGS OF THE SAME MATERIAL, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH POINTS AND IN SUCH QUANTITIES, FROM TIME TO TIME, AS THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS MAY DIRECT UPON THE ROADS WITHIN THE PORTION OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS, AND KNOWN AS STONE DISTRICT NO. 2: NORTH BY KILL VON KULL,

EAST BY NEW YORK BAY, SOUTH BY SAND LANE AND CLOVE AVENUE, AND WEST BY CLOVE ROAD AND HARD AVENUE. ALL BOUNDING ROADS NAMED IN THE ABOVE DESCRIPTION ARE INCLUDED WITHIN THE DISTRICT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until November 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND CUBIC YARDS OF 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE OF TRAP ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE, ONE HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF 3/4-INCH SIZE OF THE SAME MATERIAL, AND TWELVE HUNDRED CUBIC YARDS OF SCREENINGS OF THE SAME MATERIAL, AT SUCH POINTS AND IN SUCH QUANTITIES, AS THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS MAY DIRECT FROM TIME TO TIME, UPON THE ROADS WITHIN THE PORTION OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS: NORTH BY THE SOUTHERLY LINES OF RICHMOND TURNPIKE, CLOVE ROAD, CLOVE AVENUE, FINGERBOARD ROAD AND SAND LANE, EASTERLY AND SOUTHERLY BY NEW YORK BAY, PRINCE'S BAY AND RARITAN BAY, WEST BY STATEN ISLAND SOUND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until November 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SPRINKLING PARTS OF CERTAIN HIGHWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND (SCHEDULE A).

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

19.59 miles of road to be sprinkled once or twice per day.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until December 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SPRINKLING PARTS OF CERTAIN HIGHWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND (SCHEDULE B).

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

15.19 miles of road to be sprinkled once or twice per day.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until December 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

GEORGE CROMWELL,
President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 20, 1905.

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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 345. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for First street, from Green avenue to Main street, Westchester, Borough of The Bronx.

No. 346. Laying out on the map of The City of New York a widening of Locust avenue, from White Plains road to Elm street, in Bronxwood Park, from 50 feet to 100 feet.

No. 347. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Locust avenue, one hundred feet in width, from White Plains road to Elm street, in Bronxwood Park, and request that the area of assessment for the legal opening of said Locust avenue be limited to the land lying within the Bronxwood Park.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Chester, Twenty-fifth District, on March 11, 1905, at 10.30 A. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1905.

LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 340. For regulating and grading, setting curbs, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary, in Cromwell avenue, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Jerome avenue.

No. 341. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Brown place, between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

No. 342. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in the Grand Boulevard and Concourse (both sides), between East One Hundred and Eighty-third and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; and in Field place, between Ryer avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

No. 343. Constructing receiving-basins and appurtenances at the southeast corner East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Brook avenue; northwest corner Longwood avenue and Hewitt place; southwest corner Longwood avenue and Kelly street; southeast corner Longwood avenue and Kelly street; southwest corner Longwood avenue and Beck street; southeast corner Longwood avenue and Beck street.

No. 344. Laying out on the map of The City of New York of Mohegan avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and the change of grade of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Marmion avenue to Southern Boulevard.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Morrisania on March 11, 1905, at 11 A. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1905.

LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
f28,m1,6,11

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 340. For regulating and grading, setting curbs, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary, in Cromwell avenue, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Jerome avenue.

No. 341. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Brown place, between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

No. 342. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in the Grand Boulevard and Concourse (both sides), between East One Hundred and Eighty-third and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; and in Field place, between Ryer avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

No. 343. Constructing receiving-basins and appurtenances at the southeast corner East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Brook avenue; northwest corner Longwood avenue and Hewitt place; southwest corner Longwood avenue and Kelly street; southeast corner Longwood avenue and Kelly street; southwest corner Longwood avenue and Beck street; southeast corner Longwood avenue and Beck street.

No. 344. Laying out on the map of The City of New York of Mohegan avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and the change of grade of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Marmion avenue to Southern Boulevard.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Morrisania on March 11, 1905, at 11 A. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1905.

LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
f28,m1,6,11

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 337. Constructing a temporary sewer and appurtenances in White Plains road, between Two Hundred and Eighth street (Elizabeth street) and Two Hundred and Fifth street (King street).

No. 338. Regulating and grading, setting curbs, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Morris street, between the Bronx river and the Boston road.

No. 339. Paving and repaving White Plains road, from Morris street to the City line, with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation, the cost of the same to be apportioned between The City of New York, the property benefited and the railway company.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Chester, Twenty-fifth District, on March 11, 1905, at 10.30 A. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 27, 1905.

LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
f28,m1,6,11

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A PETITION has been presented to me and is on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 336. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the legal opening of Bronx street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City and County of New York, from Tremont avenue, or One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, to One Hundred and Eightieth street.

The petition for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on March 2, 1905, at 2.30 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 17, 1905.

LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
f18,20,27,m2

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 318. Regulating and grading, setting curbs, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Kelly street, between Westchester avenue and Intervale avenue, north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

No. 319. Constructing receiving basins and appurtenances, as follows:

Northwest corner Marmion avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street;

Southwest corner Marmion avenue and Fairmount place;

Northeast corner Arthur avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street;

Northeast corner Third avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;

Southwest corner Belmont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;

Northwest corner Belmont avenue and East One Hundred and Eightieth street;

Southwest corner Belmont avenue and East One Hundred and Eightieth street;

Northeast corner Hughes avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street;

Northwest corner Vyse avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street;

Southwest corner Vyse avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street;

Southwest corner Vyse avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street;

North side East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, opposite Vyse avenue;

Northwest corner Boston road and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street;

Southwest corner Boston road and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street;

Northwest corner Boston road and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;

Southwest corner Boston road and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;

McClellan street, between Morris avenue and Grand Boulevard and Concourse;

East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between Morris avenue and Grand Boulevard and Concourse;

East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Findlay avenue and Morris avenue;

East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between Morris avenue and Grand Boulevard and Concourse;

Grant avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventieth street;

Sherman avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street;

Sheridan avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 328. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Grant avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

No. 329. Laying out on the map of The City of New York a widening of East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Morris avenue to Courtlandt avenue, on the north side, in order to conform to the north line of former Mary street.

No. 330. Laying out on the map of The City of New York of Lafayette street, with an outlet through to East One Hundred and Seventieth street, of not less than thirty (30) feet wide, in accordance with accompanying sketch, in the block bounded by One Hundred and Seventieth street, Boston road, Prospect avenue, Crotona Park, South, and Crotona avenue.

No. 331. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for opening Seabury place, from Charlotte street to Boston road.

No. 332. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for opening East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Boston road to the Southern Boulevard.

No. 333. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from a point about 100 feet west of Cypress avenue to Locust avenue.

No. 334. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Albany road, between Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Van Cortlandt Park line.

No. 335. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Sedgwick avenue and Ogden avenue, and constructing steps, and appurtenances thereto, where necessary.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on March 2, 1905, at 2.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 16, 1905.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A PETITION has been presented to me and is on file in my office for inspection for:

No. 317. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the legal opening of Bronx Boulevard, from Old Boston Post road to East Two Hundred and Forty-second street (Demilt avenue), in accordance with a map approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 23, 1904, and approved by the Mayor on January 9, 1905.

The petition for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, and the Local Board of Chester, Twenty-fifth District, in joint session, on March 2, 1905, at 2 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 16, 1905.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

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

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before ten days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item. The bids on lumber will be compared and 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 Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 25, 1905.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT public auction, by order of the Commissioner of Correction, at the Kings County Penitentiary, No. 245 Crown street, Brooklyn,

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1905.

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz.:

Borough of Brooklyn.

The miscellaneous articles to be accumulated by the Department during the year 1905, estimated

more or less, to be received at Kings County Penitentiary, Brooklyn, bones to be taken away not less than three times weekly in a covered wagon, the Commissioner reserving the right to order more frequent removal of the bones if deemed necessary.

Bones, about 1,500 pounds more or less.

Old iron, steel clippings, about 2,500 pounds, more or less.

Tea lead, about 200 pounds, more or less.

Rags, about 500 pounds, more or less.

Also about 5,000 yards Broken Stone, now at the Kings County Penitentiary, No. 245 Crown street, Borough of Brooklyn. The broken stone will be sold by the yard.

All quantities to be "more or less." All quantities to be "as are." All the above to be received by the purchaser at Kings County Penitentiary, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to the Warden at the Kings County Penitentiary, in cash or certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioner reserves the right to order resale of any goods that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Department of Correction the TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at the Kings County Penitentiary by intending bidders on any week day before the day of sale.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner.
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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

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before ten days.

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

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

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, except lumber, the bids on which will be compared, and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 2, 1905.

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

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

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TELEPHONE SERVICE DURING YEAR 1905.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is December 31, 1905.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 20, 1905.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1905.

Borough of Richmond.

CONTRACT NO. 896.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND REMOVING THE PRESENT FERRY STRUCTURES AT ST. GEORGE, STATEN ISLAND, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, AND BUILDING NEW FERRY STRUCTURES IN CONNECTION WITH THE NEW ST. GEORGE FERRY TERMINAL AND FOR DREDGING THEREAT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 150 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Ninety

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

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

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

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1905.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 897.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND REMOVING THE PRESENT PIER OLD NO. 19, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, AND BUILDING A NEW PIER BETWEEN MAIDEN LANE AND BURLING SLIP, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER NO. 15, OR BURLING SLIP PIER, WEST.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of seventy-five calendar days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-three Thousand Dollars.

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

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

CONTRACT NO. 902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 750 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 270 calendar days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars.

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

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

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

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated FEBRUARY 17, 1905.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, March 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,
Secretary.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts). Designation by Board of City Record April 26, 1904. Amended July 22 and September 16, 1904, and February 7, 1905.

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 change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the location and grades of certain streets necessitated by the change of line of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on March 3, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 17, 1905, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the location and grades of certain streets necessitated by the change of line of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown upon map and profile

on file in the office of the Assistant Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated February 9, 1905.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 3d day of March, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 3d day of March, 1905.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.
Telephone 3454 Franklin.

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BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Board of Trustees at the above office until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1905.

FOR HOISTING, WEIGHING, TRIMMING, CARTING, ETC. OF ABOUT 5,500 TONS COAL FROM PIER FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, SOUTH SIDE, TO BIN AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, A DISTANCE OF ABOUT 500 FEET.

The security required shall be not less than fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

The time for the completion of the work is as required, and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1905.

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and award made to the lowest bidder.

Execution of work will be required at the time and in the manner and for such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Auditor and Contract Clerk, No. 419 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,

President, Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated FEBRUARY 20, 1905.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees at the above office until 3.30 o'clock P. M. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1905.

FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE EXCAVATION, MASON, CARPENTER, STEEL, PLUMBING, ELECTRIC, HEATING AND VENTILATING AND OTHER WORK FOR THE AMBULANCE STATION AND POWER HOUSE FOR THE NEW HARLEM HOSPITAL, SITUATED ON LENOX AVENUE, AND BOUNDED BY ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREETS, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within 365 days.

The amount of security required is Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000).

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 Auditor and Contract Clerk, No. 419 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,

President of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated FEBRUARY 17, 1905.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, CITY, February 24, 1905.

THE MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION has been requested to amend the classification of positions in the Exempt Class in the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission by including therein the position of Consulting Engineer.

A public hearing will be held on the proposed amendment to the classification at the office of the Commission, No. 61 Elm street, on Friday, March 3, 1905, at 9.30 A. M.

HENRY BERLINGER,
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, CITY, February 10, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for the position of Patrolman, Police Department, will be received from February 15 to March 15, both dates inclusive.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Physical development	20
Strength	20
Experience	10
Mental examination	50
Candidates must obtain 70 per cent. each on physical development, strength and written examination, and 70 per cent. on all.	
The subjects and weights of the mental examination are as follows:	
Government	3
Localities	3
Memory test	2
Arithmetic	2

The dates of the physical and mental examinations will be announced later.

Applicants must be over twenty years of age, and less than thirty.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,

President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the CITY RECORD for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
President;
R. ROSS APPLETON,
ALFRED J. TALLEY,
Commissioners.

HENRY BERLINGER,
Secretary.
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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 OF THE LAWS OF 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, March 26, 1904.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, pursuant to a final order directing a sale of certain property described in the petition of the undersigned Commissioner of Street Cleaning, filed in the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Second District of Manhattan, on the 2d day of February, 1905, which final order was entered on the 23d day of February, 1905, I shall cause to be sold at public auction at Yard No. 2 of the Street Cleaning Department, in West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, on the 2d day of March, 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, each and every item of the aforesaid property, consisting generally of unharmed trucks, carts, wagons, vehicles, boxes, barrels, bales and other things more fully set forth and described in the aforesaid petition; which were seized and removed from in front of the premises in said petition described, in The City of New York, where the same were unlawfully allowed to remain and be without authority of law.

Dated NEW YORK, February 27, 1905.
JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock M. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 210 PIPE HORSE COLLARS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 60 days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pipe horse collar, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder 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.

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 20, 1905.
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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING IRON.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is the year 1905.

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 or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The awards will be made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 15, 1905.
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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is the year 1905.

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

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

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

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

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated FEBRUARY 15, 1905.
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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock A. M. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1905.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARNESS HANGERS, CEILING SPRINGS AND FIRE EXTINGUISHERS.

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 fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIX WAGONS FOR CHIEF OFFICERS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900).

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 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 Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.
Dated FEBRUARY 24, 1905.
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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1905.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND FEET OF UNDERGROUND CABLE FOR FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is forty (40) days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.
Dated FEBRUARY 21, 1905.
123,m7

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

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The Morning Telegraph."

Evening—"The Globe and Commercial Advertiser," "The Daily News."

Weekly—"The Sunday Democrat," "The New York Realty Journal."

German—"The New Yorker Herald."

Designated by the Board of City Record, February 7, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health, held February 15, 1905, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 108 of the Sanitary Code of the Department of Health of The City of New York be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 108. It shall be the duty of every owner, tenant, lessee, occupant or person in charge of any and every building or place of business in the generally built-up portions of The City of New York, forthwith to provide or cause to be provided, and at all times thereafter to keep and cause to be kept and provided, within such building or place of business, and for the exclusive use of such building or place of business, separate receptacles for receiving and holding, without leakage, all the ashes, garbage and liquid substances that may accumulate during thirty-six hours, from said building or place of business, or the portion thereof of which such person may be the owner, tenant, lessee, occupant, or in charge, and every such receptacle designed and used to hold ashes shall be made of or lined with some suitable metal.

"And it shall be the duty of every owner, lessee or agent of any such building or place of business to cause to be separated and put into their respective receptacles, all such materials and substances, and such receptacles shall not be filled to within four inches of the top thereof. And such receptacles, as well as any light refuse or rubbish to be removed, shall be kept within the premises until the proper time for removal and shall then be placed in the area, or within the stoop-line only and shall there remain until such materials or substances are removed by the Department of Street Cleaning, but in no case shall such receptacles be placed where they shall be or become a nuisance. All light refuse or rubbish, likely to be scattered or blown about, shall, before being placed outside of any building or premises for removal, be properly bundled, packed or otherwise secured."

A true copy.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT AND DELIVER, COMPLETE, A STEEL TWIN-SCREW PROPELLING STEAMBOAT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded 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 Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D.,
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM McADOO,
President;
Board of Health.
Dated FEBRUARY 7, 1905.
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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the northeastern corner of JORALEMON and FURMAN STREETS, and also lands situated at the northwesterly corner of WILLOUGHBY and ST. EDWARDS STREETS, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected for the purpose of constructing thereon pumping-stations for high pressure fire system, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held on the 24th day of March, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel No. 1.

Beginning at a point on the northeastern corner of Joralemon and Furman streets and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Furman street one hundred and five (105) feet; thence easterly one hundred and seventeen and sixteen one-hundredths (117.16) feet; thence southerly ninety and fifty-two one-hundredths (90.52) feet to the northerly side of Joralemon street; and thence westerly along the northerly side of Joralemon street one hundred and twenty-eight and thirteen one-hundredths (128.13) feet to the point or place of beginning; the premises contained in the said area being known by the Nos. 305 to 313, inclusive, Furman street, and Nos. 25 and 27 Joralemon street.

Parcel No. 2.

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly corner of Willoughby street and St. Edwards street and running thence northerly along the westerly side of St. Edwards street one hundred and thirty-five and seventeen one-hundredths (135.17) feet to land of The City of New York; thence westerly along the land of The City of New York seventy-four and fifty one-hundredths (74.50) feet; thence in a southwesterly direction one hundred and seventeen and sixty-eight one-hundredths (117.68) feet to the northerly side of Willoughby street; thence easterly along the northerly side of Willoughby street ninety-nine and eighty-six one-hundredths (99.86) feet to the point or place of beginning.

—said parcels being shown on two maps thereof filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 2d day of February, 1905.

Dated NEW YORK, January 31, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
19,16,23,m2,9,16

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREETS, SEVENTH AVENUE AND EIGHTH AVENUE, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public library, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1905, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 20th day of February, 1905, Louis A. Doyle, Arthur S. Cosby and Samuel Green were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that said Louis A. Doyle, Arthur S. Cosby and Samuel Green will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1905, at the opening of Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person having an interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated NEW YORK, February 24, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
128,m10

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIERS, OLD NOS. 9 AND 10, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said Borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier No. 7 and the westerly side of Pier Old No. 9, and between the easterly side of Pier Old No. 9, and the westerly side of Pier Old No. 10, and appurtenant to the westerly one-half part of the bulkhead, dock or wharf property, between the easterly side of Pier Old No. 10, and the westerly side of Pier Old No. 11, East River, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 16th day of January, 1905, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 20th day of February, 1905, John H. Judge was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Alton B. Parker, resigned.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that said John H. Judge will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1905, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in the said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated NEW YORK, February 25, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
128,m10

COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF FIFTH STREET AND THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FOURTH STREET, 237.10 feet east of Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Sanders Shanks, John J. Brennan and John H. Campbell, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated February 21, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 10th day of March, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to be examined by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person interested in such proceedings as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, February 25, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
127,m9

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 land and premises required for the opening and extending of WOLCOTT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Boulevard to Purdy street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 27, 1905.

THEO. B. GATES,
WILLIAM J. KENNY,
FRED E. GUNNISON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIERS, OLD NUMBERS 9 AND 10, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges, appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier No. 7 and the westerly side of Pier old number 9, and between the easterly side of Pier, old number 9, and the westerly side of Pier, old number 10, and appurtenant to the westerly one-half part of the bulkhead, dock or wharf property, between the easterly side of Pier, old number 10, and the westerly side of Pier, old number 11, East river, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1905, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 20th day of February, 1905, Benno Lewinson was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Edward Cahill, resigned.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that the said Benno Lewinson will attend at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1905, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in the said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated New York, February 23, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF WENDOVER AVENUE AND WASHINGTON AVENUE, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, for the inspection of whomsoever it might 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, February 25, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of March, 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, February 24, 1905.

J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN,
WILLIAM G. FISHER,
ALBERT ELTERICH,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made for the discontinuance and closing of CYPRESS AVENUE, between the northerly line of the

property of the Harlem River and Port Chester Railroad and the Bronx kills, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to the statutes thereto relating and to a certain agreement with reference to the discontinuance and closing of Cypress avenue, between the northerly line of the property of the Harlem River and Port Chester Railroad and the Bronx kills, and made and entered into on the 21st day of December, 1904, by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, a steam surface railroad corporation, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Connecticut, to and with The City of New York, that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III. thereof, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three discreet and disinterested persons, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who are to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made to the several owners, lessees and parties respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises or rights or interests therein taken, affected or damaged, extinguished or destroyed by the discontinuance and closing of that part of Cypress avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Cypress avenue distant one hundred and forty feet and sixty-eight one-hundredths of a foot (140.68) southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth (130th) street and the westerly side of Cypress avenue at the point of intersection of the northerly line of land of the Harlem River and Port Chester Railroad Company and the westerly side of Cypress avenue; running thence southerly along the said westerly side of Cypress avenue three hundred and thirty-four feet and twenty-three one-hundredths of a foot (334.23) to the bulkhead-line of the Bronx kills, as established by the United States Government; thence easterly deflecting to the left 88 degrees 36 minutes and 59 seconds along said bulkhead-line and across said Cypress avenue eighty feet and two one-hundredths of a foot (80.02) to the easterly side of said Cypress avenue; thence northerly deflecting to the left 91 degrees 23 minutes and 01 second along said easterly side of Cypress avenue three hundred and forty-six feet and eighteen one-hundredths of a foot (346.18) to the point of intersection of said easterly side of Cypress avenue and the aforesaid northerly line of land of the Harlem River and Port Chester Railroad Company, which said point of intersection is distant one hundred and forty-five feet and thirty-four one-hundredths of a foot (145.34) along the easterly side of Cypress avenue from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth (130th) street and the easterly side of Cypress avenue; thence westerly across said Cypress avenue eighty feet and sixty-four one-hundredths of a foot (80.64) to the point or place of beginning, be said several distances and dimensions more or less; being a portion of the land acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York upon the 26th day of June, 1896, upon the confirmation of the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in a proceeding entitled 'In the matter of acquiring title to Cypress avenue, from St. Mary's Park to Bronx kills, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.'

The map or plan of The City of New York was duly changed so as to discontinue and close the aforesaid part of Cypress avenue by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on the 23d day of December, 1904; approved by the Mayor on the 28th day of December, 1904, and the maps showing such part of Cypress avenue to be discontinued and closed were filed in the following offices: One copy thereof in the office of the Register of the County of New York on February 14, 1905; one copy thereof in the office of the Corporation Counsel on February 15, 1905; one copy thereof in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on February 20, 1905.

Dated New York, February 25, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of POMEROY STREET (Eighth avenue) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Riker avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of March, 1905, 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 20th day of March, 1905, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 27th day of March, 1905.

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 Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between Webster avenue and Washington avenue with the middle line of the blocks between Seventh avenue (Blackwell street) and Eighth avenue (Pomeroy street); running thence northerly along the last-mentioned middle line of the blocks to the northerly line of Riker avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Riker avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and 60 feet westerly from the westerly

line of Seventh avenue (Blackwell street); thence northerly along said parallel line to the United States pierhead and bulkhead line; thence in a northerly and easterly direction following the said pierhead and bulkhead line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Ninth avenue (Kouwenhoven street) and Tenth avenue (Stein way avenue); thence southerly along said middle line of the block to the northerly line of Riker avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Riker avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Eighth avenue (Pomeroy street) and Ninth avenue (Kouwenhoven street); thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to the southerly line of Washington avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Ninth avenue (Kouwenhoven street), thence on a straight line to the point of intersection of the southerly line of Jackson avenue with the westerly line of Harold avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Harold avenue to the northerly right of way of the Long Island Railroad; thence westerly along said northerly right of way to the easterly line of Moore street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Moore street to the southerly line of Jackson avenue; thence on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Freeman avenue and a line parallel to and 60 feet westerly from the westerly line of Sixth avenue (Bartow street); thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Webster avenue and Washington avenue; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1904.

EUGENE V. DALY,
Chairman;
NICHOLAS GROSKINSKY,
JOSEPH MAHONEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of COLLEGE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Teller avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of March, 1905, 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 16th day of March, 1905, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 23d day of March, 1905.

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 parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue with a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; running thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Grant avenue and Sherman avenue; thence northerly along said middle line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with the easterly line of Sheridan avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Sheridan avenue and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and one hundred feet northerly from the northerly line of Belmont street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant two hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southerly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street with a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said last mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 15, 1905.

W. W. NILES,
Chairman;
JOHN COTTER,
CHAS. W. HALLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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COUNTY OF QUEENS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the WESTERLY SIDE OF OLMSTEAD PLACE, formerly Webster avenue, one hundred and twenty-five feet north of Central avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Joseph Fitch, Leander W. Faber and John B. Merrill, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated February 21, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions at the County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 10th day of March, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to be examined by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person interested in such proceedings, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, February 25, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHEASTERLY CORNER OF BERGEN AVENUE AND HENRY STREET, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damages to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, for the inspection of whomsoever it might 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, February 21, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 6th day of March, 1905, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, February 20, 1905.

HARRISON S. MOORE,
JOSEPH FITCH,
JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET, between Audubon avenue and Wadsworth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 21, 1905.

EUGENE H. POMEROY,
CHAS. H. HOLLAND,
GUY VAN AMRINGE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST-CHESTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx river to Main street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of March, 1905, 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 9th day of March, 1905, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have

been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of March, 1905.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of the Bronx river with a line drawn midway between West Farms road and Westchester avenue; running thence easterly along said line to its intersection with the northeasterly line of Green lane; thence northeasterly and parallel with Westchester avenue to its intersection with the southerly line of Main street; thence on a straight line to the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Pelham road and the southerly line of Emily street; thence easterly along the said southerly line of Emily street to the northwesterly boundary line of the Jas. Ferris estate; thence southeasterly on a straight line to a point in the southerly line of Middletown road midway between Pelham road and the Eastern Boulevard; thence southerly on a straight line to the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of the Eastern Boulevard with the westerly boundary line of the H. B. Crosby property; thence still southerly along said property line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of the Eastern Boulevard; thence southeasterly and northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Sixth street; thence still westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Virginia avenue; thence still westerly and parallel to Westchester avenue to the easterly line of the Bronx river; thence northerly along said easterly line of the Bronx river to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 3, 1905.

JNO. F. COFFIN,
Chairman;
EDWARD L. GODFREY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

f14,m4

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHWESTERLY LINE OF DANUBE AVENUE AND THE SOUTH-EASTERLY LINE OF RHINE AVENUE, west of Steuben street, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at their office, at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, February 21, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 6th day of March, 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated NEW YORK, February 20, 1905.
ALBERT E. HADLOCK,
CHARLES L. HUBBELL,
AUGUSTUS ACKER,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

f21,m4

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to REMSEN AVENUE, from Utica avenue to Canarsie Bay Park, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 19th day of February, 1900, 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 1st day of March, 1900, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section No. 15, Blocks Nos. 4591, 4592, 4593, 4606, 4607, 4608, 4609, 4624, 4625, 4626, 4643, 4644, 4645, 4663, 4664, 4665, 4685, 4686, 4687, 4710, 4711, 4749, 4750; section No. 24, Blocks Nos. 7914, 7926, 7946, 7968, 7994, 8010, 8026, 8041, 8055, 8068, 8080, 8086, 8108, 8116, 8124, 8141, 8160, 8179, 8198, 8217, 8236, 8255, 8274, 8293, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of March, 1905, 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, will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 23, 1905.
JAMES HARDIE,
CHAS. M. RUSSELL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

f23,m17

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the NORTHWEST CORNER OF CLASON AVENUE AND ST. MARK'S AVENUE, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JOHN H. Kemble, David S. Skinner and Daniel G. Campion, Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, have made and signed their final report herein and on February 18, 1905, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County in the Hall of Records in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house in Kings County, March 3, 1905, at 10.30 A. M.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 18, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF CONOVER STREET, between Wolcott street and Sullivan street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, February 18, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the Franklin Trust Company Building, No. 166 Montague street, Room 92, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office, on the 6th day of March, 1905, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 18, 1905.

JOHN H. KEMBLE,
FRANK J. ULRICH,
EUGENE B. HOWELL,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

f18,m2.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of widening LIVINGSTON STREET from 50 to 80 feet, between Court street and Flatbush avenue, in the First and Third Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Saturday, the 4th day of March, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the widening of a certain street or avenue known as Livingston street, between Court street and Flatbush avenue, in the First and Third Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Court street with the southern line of Livingston street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City.

1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Court street 30 feet;
2. Thence easterly deflecting 89 degrees 17 minutes 53 seconds to the right 529.19 feet to the western line of Boerum place;
3. Thence easterly deflecting 6 degrees 33 minutes 9 seconds to the left 61.93 feet;
4. Thence easterly deflecting 14 degrees 7 minutes 58 seconds to the right 2,879.46 feet to the western line of Flatbush avenue;
5. Thence southerly along the western line of Flatbush avenue 53.81 feet;
6. Thence westerly deflecting 146 degrees 7 minutes 7 seconds to the right 2,923.14 feet to the eastern line of Boerum place;
7. Thence westerly deflecting 14 degrees 7 minutes 58 seconds to the left 61.93 feet;
8. Thence westerly 525.45 feet to the point of beginning.

Note—All these dimensions and angles are approximate. The lands required for the purpose of widening Livingston street, from Court street to Flatbush avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the widening of Livingston street, from Court street to Flatbush avenue, in the First and Third Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York," prepared by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, and filed in the offices of the Register of the County of Kings, Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, and President of the Borough of Brooklyn, on or about the 30th day of March, 1904.

Dated NEW YORK, February 20, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIERS, OLD NOS. 16 AND 17, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers, or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said Borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier, old No. 16, and the westerly side of Pier, old No. 17, and between the easterly side of Pier, old No. 17, and the westerly side of Pier, old No. 18, East river, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1905, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 20th day of February, 1905, Wilbur Larremore was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Alton B. Parker.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that the said Wilbur Larremore will attend at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1905, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in the said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated NEW YORK, February 25, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the EASTERLY SIDE OF BARRETTO STREET AND THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FOX STREET, adjoining Public School No. 20, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY virtue of an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1905, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 20th day of February, 1905, Ernest Hall, J. Fairfax McLaughlin and Michael B. Abrahams were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that said Ernest Hall, J. Fairfax McLaughlin and Michael B. Abrahams will attend at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1905, at the opening of Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person having an interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated NEW YORK, February 25, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the EASTERLY SIDE OF OSBORN STREET AND THE WESTERLY SIDE OF WATKINS STREET, 175 feet south of Sutter avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in

this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, February 25, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the Franklin Trust Company Building, No. 166 Montague street, Room No. 92, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office, on the 10th day of March, 1905, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 25, 1905.

GEORGE W. MARTIN,
DANIEL MOYNAHAN,
WILLIAM G. TERWILLAGER,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from Sea View avenue to East New York avenue, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, 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 9th day of March, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, February 23, 1905.

F. H. KENNY,
HERSEY EGGINTON,
JAMES J. MCINERNEY,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits, thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, of money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 430 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there