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ART COMMISSION.

April 30, 1903.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor of The City of New York, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—In compliance with the Charter, the Art Commission begs to submit its report for the year 1902.

The Charter which went into effect January 1, 1898, created the first Art Commission in the history of the City, and directed that it be composed of a painter, a sculptor, an architect, three laymen and the following ex-officio members: The Mayor, the President of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the President of the Public Library and the President of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences. The six members first mentioned were to be appointed, and all vacancies in their number to be filled by the Mayor from a list of not less than three times the number appointed, proposed by the Fine Arts Federation.

Under the statute of 1897, as amended by an act of 1900 and the present Charter, the Commission now has jurisdiction over:

(a) All works of art to be acquired by The City of New York by purchase, gift or otherwise;

(b) The removal, relocation or alteration in any way of all works of art already possessed by the City; and

(c) All designs of municipal buildings, bridges, approaches, gates, fences, lamps or other structures erected or to be erected upon land belonging to the City; the lines, grades, plotting of public ways and grounds; arches, bridges, structures and approaches, which are the property of any corporation or private individual and which shall extend over or upon any street, park or public place belonging to the City; provided they are referred to the Commission by the Mayor or the Board of Aldermen;

(d) All structures, as mentioned in (c) above, to be erected or contracted for at an expense exceeding \$1,000,000;

(e) The selection of art productions, costing not to exceed \$50,000 in any one year, when such appropriation has been made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Works of art as above defined include all paintings, mural decorations, stained glass, statues, bas reliefs or other sculptures, monuments, fountains, arches or other structures of a permanent character intended for ornament or commemoration.

The Charter further provides that no work of art shall become the property of the City unless such work of art, or a design, together with a statement of the proposed location, shall have been submitted to and approved by the Art Commission. Nor until so approved, may it be erected or placed in, upon or over any building, street, park, or public place belonging to the City.

Further, no existing work of art may be removed, relocated or altered in any way unless the plan for such removal, relocation or alteration shall have been submitted to and approved by the Commission.

The first meeting of the Art Commission under the present Charter was held January 22, 1902, when Mr. Henry Rutgers Marshall, Architect, and Mr. John DeWitt Warner, Layman, took the places of Mr. Charles F. McKim, Architect, and Mr. Charles T. Barney, Layman, whose terms of office had expired. The Commission reorganized by electing Mr. John DeWitt Warner President, Mr. Frederick Dielman Vice-President, and Mr. A. Augustus Healy, Secretary.

On the 3d day of February, 1902, Mr. Robert W. DeForest, layman, having been appointed Tenement House Commissioner, resigned his membership in the Art Commission; and on February 24, Mr. William J. Coombs, layman, having been appointed in his place, took his seat.

Mr. Henry G. Marquand, President of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, having died February 26, 1902, his successor in that office, Mr. Frederick W. Rhinelander thereby became a member of the Commission in his stead.

Thus, until Commissioner Avery resigned in the latter part of December, 1902, the Commission consisted of Seth Low, Mayor; Frederick W. Rhinelander, President of the Metropolitan Museum of Art; John Bigelow, President of New York Public Library; A. Augustus Healy, President of Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences; Frederick Dielman, Painter; Daniel C. French, Sculptor; Henry Rutgers Marshall, Architect, and Samuel P. Avery, William J. Coombs and John DeWitt Warner, lay members.

It promptly became obvious that the duties and obligations imposed by the Charter, as amended to take effect January 1, 1902, and the large number of public structures and works of art planned for the City would necessitate an enlarged appro-

priation and office force. Application was immediately made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen for an appropriation of \$6,000 for the ten months of 1902, during which the Commission might hope to be provided with quarters and office force.

This appropriation was granted by concurrent action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and Board of Aldermen perfected March 28, 1902, and the Commission was authorized to appoint an Assistant Secretary at a salary of \$3,000 per year, and a Stenographer at a salary of \$900 per year. Application was at once made to the Civil Service Commission for the list of persons eligible to these positions and for power to appoint temporarily and until such eligible lists could be prepared. In the case of the Stenographer, appointment was made April 3 from the list certified. In the case of the Assistant Secretary, the Civil Service Commission failed to certify an available list and declined to permit a temporary appointment pending a competitive examination, which it ordered. This was held April 15, and the result certified to the Commission May 22, so that not until thereafter could an appointment be made—as was done May 24, 1902.

Meanwhile, the Borough President had been requested to allot and fit up an office for Commission meetings, record rooms, etc. Here again, doubtless necessary, delay followed, so that it was June before quarters in the City Hall were placed at the disposal of the Commission, and August before they were fairly ready for use. Even then systems of filing records, methods of conducting business, forms for submissions, etc., were yet to be worked out, tested and adjusted to meet the increasing number of matters submitted for approval.

This work has required considerable time and attention. The Charter provides that expenditure of the City's funds without the approval of the Art Commission is illegal in such cases as come within the jurisdiction of the Commission. For instance, if the designs for a public structure costing several millions of dollars should be disapproved by the Art Commission and the contractor should proceed to carry them out, or if the contractor should omit to submit them to the Art Commission, the payment of any money to the contractor under such circumstances would be illegal, and any City official doing so would be guilty of misappropriating funds. Whether a contractor is carrying out the plans approved by the Art Commission is, therefore, a very important question, and its determination must depend upon the facts shown by the records of the Commission. These should, therefore, be complete and accurate, and the certificate issued thereon so drawn as to preclude any misunderstanding.

The matters upon which the Commission has acted during 1902 have far exceeded in number and importance those of any previous year. They include:

Portrait of Mayor Strong, presented to the City by General Collis and placed in the Mayor's office, City Hall.

Maine monument to commemorate the soldiers and sailors who were killed in Havana Harbor by the explosion of the "Maine." This monument is to be located in Long Acre Square, at the junction of Broadway and Seventh avenue. (Two submissions.)

Statue of General Fitz John Porter in Van Cortlandt Park. (Two submissions.)

Street sign boxes for the various boroughs. (Nine submissions.)

Italian fountain brought from Coma, Italy, for erection in Zoological Park, Borough of The Bronx. (Three submissions.)

Alteration and extension of the New York County Court House.

Monument of General Sherman to be erected at the entrance to Central Park, Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue.

Sculptures for the new Hall of Records. (Nine submissions.)

Municipal Court House on Gates avenue, Brooklyn.

Public comfort stations in Brooklyn. (Eleven submissions.)

Portrait of Governor Clinton.

Blackwell's Island Bridge.

Alteration and redecoration of the City Hall.

Public baths, Manhattan. (Five submissions.)

Public baths, Brooklyn. (Four submissions.)

Public comfort station in Central Park, Manhattan.

Seward Park public comfort station, bath and pavilion. (Two submissions.)

Animal fountain in Hanover Square, Manhattan.

Bridge over Eastchester Bay in Pelham Bay park.

Street approaches to the New East River Bridge.

Restoration of portraits in the Comptroller's office.

Electrolier and Isle of Safety at Twenty-third street and Fifth avenue.

Statue of Ericsson in Battery Park.

Morningside Park public comfort station.

New buildings for the College of The City of New York.

Decoration and embellishment of the Williamsburgh Bridge ("East River Bridge").

In each one of these 64 submissions from 1 to 30 plans have been examined and passed upon. The amount of money involved therein was approximately \$16,800,000.

While a majority of the plans have been approved as submitted (in 46 instances), in a considerable number of instances (14 in all) the Commission has disapproved in part or in whole. In these last cases, amended plans have usually promptly been submitted and the others are now being perfected. Without exception these have clearly shown a marked improvement. The Commission feels, therefore, that its work has been successful in securing a higher aesthetic standard for public structures.

The requirement of the Charter that approval must be secured before structures may be erected, and the knowledge upon the part of the designers that plans would not be approved by the Commission which did not possess artistic merit, have also had an indirect effect; for those intending to submit designs to the Commission have naturally been desirous that their plans should be of such merit as to command approval without alteration. Consequently, greater care has been taken in the preparation of these designs than otherwise would be or has been the case.

In four instances submissions have been temporarily withdrawn; in two because they were defective, and in two because further development and criticism was considered necessary before the approval of the Commission was asked. As to the former, our procedure, as developed by experience, will in the future obviate most of such cases. As to the latter, the limitation of 60 days, within which the Commission must act or lose jurisdiction over matters pending before it, may continue to suggest withdrawal of plans for the purpose noted, especially where they relate to public works involving over \$1,000,000 each.

As each submission is examined and reported upon by a special committee before it is considered by the full Commission, it is in committee work, of which no record is kept, that are found the more engrossing duties of Commissioners. Of the full Commission there have been called 15 meetings, at each of which a quorum has appeared. Action upon no submission has been materially delayed except (in a few instances) where submissions have been so imperfect as to render amendment necessary.

The duties of the Commission have brought it into official relation with nearly every department of the greater City, and of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx. Most helpful co-operation has been had from all, of which we have availed ourselves to the utmost by liberal construction of the law providing:

"In all matters of which such Commission takes cognizance pertaining to work under the special charge of a Commissioner or Department, the Commissioner having such special charge shall act as a member of the Commission."

The result has been appreciation by City officials of how essential were our requirements for submission or approval, insistence by them that these be met by all concerned, and a growing tendency, through request of the Mayor, to require our certificate of approval before closing contracts for public works.

Our procedure has gradually been developed with equal and constant regard to the responsibility of the Commission and its feeling that the most helpful attitude possible on its part would most promote public business and best serve City interests. Although many complicated questions have arisen in this regard, and although the large variety of matters coming before the Commission have made the problem difficult, the Commission has developed routine which promises to be satisfactory, though not yet so perfected as to meet all cases possible to arise, our practice having been to await experience rather than to anticipate it.

The appropriation for 1902 proved generous, in view of the long period which the Commission was without either offices or office force. The budget already granted for 1903 will probably be sufficient, though nothing but the limitations of our quarters, even when extended as now planned, makes it proper for us not to ask for appropriations which would permit securing published standard designs for City plans, public buildings, park layouts, bridges, docks, street fixtures, etc. The great utility of these needs no explanation, and they are so largely of recent and limited publication as in the main not otherwise to be accessible—the Avery Architectural Library at Columbia University and the Reform Club collection being the only ones possessing any material proportion of what the Commission most needs.

Herewith appended are the minutes of the Commission for the year just closed, which show in detail the action taken by the Commission on every matter coming within its jurisdiction.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN DEWITT WARNER, President.

A. AUGUSTUS HEALY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Report of the President of the Borough Week Ending May 2, 1903.

Joint meeting of the Bedford and Williamsburg Local Improvement Boards held on April 30 at 3 p. m.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

During the week ending May 2 fifty-five orders—forty-two for supplies and thirteen for repairs—were issued by this Bureau.

Thirteen bills, amounting in the aggregate to \$10,166.48, were signed by the Superintendent and transmitted to be forwarded to the Department of Finance.

On April 27 Martin J. Fitzgerald, Janitor in this Bureau, was dismissed from the public service for neglect of duty after having failed to respond to notice to appear for trial on April 25, 1903.

On May 2 three Inspectors of Carpentry and Masonry were appointed for a probationary period of three months at a salary of \$1,200 per annum each, said appointments to take effect Monday, May 4, 1903.

Appointments.

Wm. H. Hallock, No. 584 Park avenue, New York City.

Thomas J. Hussey, No. 111 East Eighty-eighth street, New York City.

Alexander H. McPhee, No. 414 West Forty-eighth street, New York City.

Removals.

Martin J. Fitzgerald, Janitor.

BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES AND PERMITS.

Complaint Department.

Department of Street Cleaning.....	1	Police Department	2
Mail	6		
Office	5	Total	28
Inspectors	14		

Classification and Disposal—

Sidewalk signs removed, found re-		Push carts and wagons, found re-	
moved upon reinspection.....	7	moved upon reinspection.....	7
Slot machines, found removed upon		Posts and stumps of posts.....	4
reinspection	5	Miscellaneous	19
Boulders	6		
Trees and limbs	8	Total	56
Street washer notices served.....	88	Street washers removed.....	13

Inspectors' Department.

Complaints made	21	Slips settled	63
Complaints settled	52		

Permit Department.

Permits—			
Building material	21	Special	498
Vaults	27		
Crosswalks	4	Total	550

Permits Passed—

Tap water pipes.....	85	Sewer connection repairs.....	26
Repair water connections.....	132		
Sewer connections	59	Total	302

Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—		Inspection of work done by	
Repaving over water connec-		corporations, extra paving...	30 93
tions	\$721 00		
Repaving over sewer connec-			
tions	161 00		\$952 93
Repaving over gas connections.	40 00		

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Moneys Received.	Number of.	Amount.	Amounts.	Funds.
For sewer permits.....	85	\$733 85		
Number of permits issued.....	59			
For new sewer connections.....	26			
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	5	\$145 55	\$19,595 46	
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller.....	2,972			
Linear feet of sewer built.....	2			
Number of basins built.....	29,750			
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	284			
Number of basins cleaned.....	31,130			
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	1,193			
Number of basins examined.....	8			
Number of basins repaired.....	10			
Number of manhole heads and covers set.....	3			
Number of manhole heads and covers reset.....	9			
Number of basin covers put on.....	33			
Number of manholes built.....				

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

	Inspectors of Construction.	Inspectors of Sewer Connections.	Foremen.	Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Horses and Carts.
Sewer Repairing and Cleaning—Payroll and Supplies	6	..	1	42	14
Street Improvement Fund	24	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	1	19	..
Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works.....	1	..	..	13	..
Office Force	7	..	6	..	..	..

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS—DIVISION OF STREET REPAIRS.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements.

Mechanics, 55; Laborers, 124; Horses and Wagons, 17; Horses and Carts, 33; Teams, 20; Foremen, 17; Crusher, 1.

Work done by the connection gangs:

Water and sewer connections repaired, 134.
Gas connections repaired, 24.
Electric light connections repaired, 0.
Dangerous holes repaired and made safe, 61.
Complaints received, 38.
Defects remedied, 62.

Work Done by Repair Gangs.

Kind.	Yards.
Neveins street, between State street and Atlantic avenue, brick.....	106
Harrison avenue, between Gwinnett and Middleton streets, cobblestone....	50
Himrod street, between Evergreen and Bushwick avenues, cobblestone....	408
Kosciusko street, between Marcy and Nostrand avenues, cobblestone....	293
Grand avenue, between Myrtle and Flushing avenues, cobblestone.....	1,170
Chauncey street, between Hopkinson and Howard avenues, cobblestone....	1,235
Humboldt street, between McKibbin street and Johnson avenue, cobble-	
stone.....	1,024
Moore street, between Bushwick avenue and Bogert street, cobblestone....	339
Bogert street, between Moore street and Flushing avenue, cobblestone....	314
Throop avenue, between Hart street and De Kalb avenue, granite block..	700
Bond street, between Livingston street and Schermerhorn street, granite	
block.....	138
Wallabout street, between Nostrand and Marcy avenues, granite block....	120
Wythe avenue, between South Eighth street and Broadway, granite block..	805
Second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, belgian block.....	636
Square yards pavement repaved by connection gangs.....	752
Stone crushed in Wallabout Yard, cubic yards.....	149
Total number of square yards of pavement repaired.....	8,140
Linear feet of curbing reset.....	1,742
Linear feet of gutter reset.....	145
Square feet of bridging relaid.....	744
Square feet of flagging relaid	714
Linear feet curbstone cut	415

Force Employed on Macadam and Unimproved Roadways.

Steam Rollers, 2; Mechanics, 1; Laborers, 55; Horses and Wagons, 6; Teams, 7; Sprinklers, 11; Horses and Carts, 18; Foremen, 8.
Macadam roadway cleaned, linear feet..... 24,425
Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned, linear feet..... 8,800
Gutter cleaned, linear feet..... 66,150

Repairs Made to Macadam Roadways.

Seventy-ninth street, between Shore road and Narrows avenue, completed.

Seventy-ninth street, at intersection with Second avenue.

Plans filed for new buildings (brick), 103; estimated cost.....	\$825,125 00
Plans filed for new buildings (frame), 50; estimated cost.....	123,265 00
Plans filed for alterations, 49; estimated cost.....	39,371 00
Building slip permits, 57; estimated cost.....	3,915 00
Plumbing slip permits, 37; estimated cost.....	5,577 00
Buildings reported as being unsafe.....	26
Buildings reported as requiring fire escapes.....	2
Other violations reported.....	76
Unsafe notices issued.....	26
Violation notices issued.....	76
Fire escape notices issued.....	2
Unsafe cases referred to Counsel for prosecution.....	8
Fire escape cases referred to Counsel for prosecution.....	..
Violation cases referred to Counsel for prosecution.....	28
Complaints lodged with the Bureau.....	10
Bay window permits, 19; estimated cost.....	\$8,080 00

Corresponding Week Ending May 3, 1902.

Plans filed for new buildings (brick), 44; estimated cost.....	\$322,900 00
Plans filed for new buildings (frame), 41; estimated cost.....	126,510 00
Plans filed for alterations, 52; estimated cost.....	58,850 00

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

JUSTIN MCCARTHY, Jr., Secretary.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

May 5, 1903.

Present—Messrs. William J. Fryer, Warren A. Conover, William C. Smith, Charles G. Smith, Charles D. Purroy and Walter Cook (Chairman).

Meeting called to order at 3 p. m.

On motion, minutes of last meeting approved as read.

The Chairman referred impressively to the sudden death of Mr. Cornelius O'Reilly, occurring on the day following the last meeting of this Board, and requested that an appropriate resolution be presented; whereupon,

On motion, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, in His Divine wisdom, suddenly to call to eternal rest our fellow member, Cornelius O'Reilly; and

Whereas, We, associates and fellow members of the Board of Examiners, wish to record our profound sorrow at the death of Mr. Cornelius O'Reilly, who for so many years served the City with conscientious regard for a duty he was so well qualified by education and experience to discharge; therefore be it

Resolved, That the death of Cornelius O'Reilly is a civic loss; that in considering questions submitted to this Board for its determination, his wise counsel and helpful co-operation in reaching just and proper conclusions under the Building laws and ordinances (in formulating which he had been an active factor) constitute an indebtedness which we, the remaining members of this Board, individually and collectively acknowledge.

Resolved, That we tender to his family our sincere and earnest sympathy in their affliction, and while theirs must be the greater loss and theirs the greater grief, still we, who were associated with him in this Board and who came to know and appreciate his worth, will share with them the sorrow his absence must cause.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on the minutes and that a copy be transmitted to his family.

The Clerk was instructed to send copy of said resolutions to the press.

Appeal No. 96—On presentation of report and on motion appeal was approved.

Appeal No. 97—On presentation of report and on motion appeal was approved.

Appeal No. 98—Withdrawn by appellant.

Appeal No. 101 of 1903—New Building No. 289 of 1903, west side Madison avenue, One Hundred and Seventh street to One Hundred and Eighth street, Manhattan; George Fred Perlham, architect and appellant.

To omit portion of interior partition wall at front and rear of corner buildings only, and substitute 9-inch No. 21 steel beam girders, as shown on plans filed.

It is further proposed to separate apartments by stud partitions filled between with hard burnt brick where indicated in red on floor plans, and second tier of floor beams to be doubled where above-described partitions rest directly over same; all as shown on plans filed with Bureau of Buildings.

On motion, approved.

Appeal No. 102 of 1903—Alteration No. 579 of 1903, Nos. 3 and 5 Harrison street, Manhattan; J. Odell Whitenack, architect and appellant.

Objection No. 1, by the Bureau of Buildings, is as follows: "Construction of elevator shaft is unlawful. Section 96 of the Code."

I ask to modify this section 96 of the Code in that portion applying to elevator shafts extending above roof and covered with skylight, on the ground that the

tenant only occupies the basement, first and second floors, and that the elevator is being put in by him for his own private use.

Mr. J. Odell Whitenack appeared before the Board.

The Superintendent of Buildings having informed the Board that the total cost of this operation is less than one thousand dollars,

On motion, denied.

On motion, the Clerk was instructed to call an extra meeting of this Board for Friday, the 8th instant, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of discussing the revision of the rules and forms.

Adjourned.

JAMES GAFFNEY, Clerk.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending

April 25, 1903.

BAROMETER.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			MEAN FOR THE DAY.			MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	19.....	29.714	29.630	29.636	29.660	29.714	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610	29.610
Monday,	20.....	29.660	29.572	29.582	29.598	29.660	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546	29.546
Tuesday,	21.....	29.600	29.534	29.550	29.595	29.600	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524	29.524
Wednesday,	22.....	29.664	29.674	29.734	29.691	29.744	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636	29.636
Thursday,	23.....	29.790	29.800	29.808	29.799	29.814	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730	29.730
Friday,	24.....	29.870	29.834	29.860	29.855	29.890	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810	29.810
Saturday,	25.....	29.890	29.882	29.920	29.897	29.930	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856	29.856

Mean for the week..... 29.728 inches.

Maximum " at 12 P. M., April 25th..... 29.930 "

Minimum " at 4 P. M., April 21st..... 29.524 "

Range "..... 406 "

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			MEAN.			MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday,	19	44	41	57	46	55	48	52	45	60	5 P. M.	49	6 P. M.	42	2 A. M.	41	4 A. M.	101..2 P. M.		
Monday,	20	48	43	61	52	53	50	54	48	63	4 P. M.	54	5 P. M.	48	8 A. M.	42	8 A. M.	108..1 P. M.		
Tuesday,	21	43	38	57	48	45	41	48	42	53	4 P. M.	49	5 P. M.	41	6 A. M.	36	6 A. M.	104..1 P. M.		
Wednesday,	22	40	36	51	45	50	46	47	42	51	3 P. M.	46	5 P. M.	38	5 A. M.	35	5 A. M.	101..1 P. M.		
Thursday,	23	47	44	56	50	51	45	51	47	57	3 P. M.	51	4 P. M.	45	4 A. M.	43	4 A. M.	90..11 A. M.		
Friday,	24	47	43	57	49	55	51	53	47	61	5 P. M.	53	7 P. M.	47	6 A. M.	43	4 A. M.	109..1 P. M.		
Saturday,	25	54	48	58	52	53	51	55	51	60	4 P. M.	54	7 P. M.	52	5 A. M.	47	5 A. M.	91..10 A. M.		

Mean for the week..... 51.5 degrees.

Maximum " at 4 P. M., 20th..... 63 "

Minimum " at 5 A. M., 22d..... 35 "

Range "..... 28 "

WIND.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
					9 P.M. to 7 A.M.	7 A.M. to 2 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	Distance for the day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.	Time.
APRIL.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.									
Sunday,	19	WNW	WNW	WNW	42	84	54	180	¼	1½	0	2¼	11.40 A.M.
Monday,	20.	NW	SSE	SE	3	21	30	54	0	¼	0	¾	11.30 P.M.
Tuesday,	21.	NNE	NW	NW	79	48	79	206	0	¼	1½	3	6.20 P.M.
Wednesday,	22.	NNW	NW	NW	68	40	21	129	¼	0	0	¾	0.30 A.M.
Thursday,	23.	NNE	SE	WNW	3	45	36	84	0	¼	0	½	9.30 A.M.
Friday,	24.	NW	NNW	SW	71	47	27	145	¼	0	0	1	8.10 A.M.
Saturday,	25.	W	ESE	SSW	9	24	33	66	0	0	0	¾	4.30 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 864 miles.

Maximum force..... 3 pounds.

DATE.	APRIL.	HYGROMETER.			CLOUDS.			RAIN AND SNOW. OZONE.		
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	MEAN.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday,	19	218	166	243	209	75	36	55	0	0
Monday,	20	212	269	321	267	63	80	64	0	0
Tuesday,	21	164	217	205	195	58	46	57	3 Cir.	7 Cir.
Wednesday,	22	160	220	258	212	64	57	71	8 CirCu	9 CirCu
Thursday,	23	249	282	296	275	77	62	79	3 Cir.	8 CirCu
Friday,	24	225	242	321	262	70	52	74	6 Cir.	9 Cu.
Saturday,	25	282	309	363	318	72	64	81	72	72

Total amount of water for the week..... 0 inch.

Duration for the week..... 0 day, 0 hr. 0 m.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.		
		Clear, cool.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, hazy.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Mild, pleasant.
Sunday,	19	Clear, cool.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, hazy.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Mild, pleasant.
Monday,	20	Clear, cool.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, hazy.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Mild, pleasant.
Tuesday,	21	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Mild, pleasant.
Wednesday,	22	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Mild, pleasant.
Thursday,	23	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, overcast.	Mild, pleasant.
Friday,	24	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, hazy.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, hazy.	Mild, pleasant.
Saturday,	25	Mild, hazy.	Mild, hazy.	Mild, hazy.	Mild, hazy.	Mild, hazy.	Mild, hazy.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS. DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

May 8—The Commissioner has fixed the wages of all "Boatmen," "Scowmen" and "Boatmen and Sounders" at the rate of 31 1/4 cents per hour while employed, to take effect on and after May 9, 1903.

The name of Patrick F. Lennon, Dock-builder, deceased, was this day ordered taken from the list of employees of this Department.

William J. Cullen, of No. 219 East Thirty-ninth street, has this day been appointed Scowman with compensation at the rate of 31 1/4 cents per hour while employed.

List of Dockbuilders appointed May 8, 1903—Patrick McDonald, No. 501 East Nineteenth street; Frank Fox, Jr., No. 439 West Forty-sixth street; Andrew A. Daley, No. 445 West Forty-ninth street; Mark Grenan, No. 553 West Fifty-third street; Thomas Purdy, No. 507 Tenth ave-

nue; Martin Miller, No. 348 Pleasant avenue; William P. French, No. 1 Varick place; William Kaberich, No. 105 West One Hundredth street; Patrick Ahearn, No. 53 Jackson street; John King, No. 15 Tompkins street; William Dunn, No. 443 West Thirty-second street; William Link, No. 760 Eleventh avenue; Aaron De Wit, No. 56 West street; James Tierney, No. 10 Charlton street, care Mrs. Rolf; Michael Reilly, No. 110 King street; Michael E. Higgins, No. 126 Leroy street; Frank J. Galton, No. 71 Barrow street; Mathew J. Fitzgerald, No. 1712 Amsterdam avenue; George W. Sharrock, No. 532 West Forty-sixth street; Frank Chisholm, No. 169 West Houston street; Thomas J. Kelly, No. 322 West Forty-ninth street; John Hennesy, No. 262 Spring street; George Nye, No. 725 Tenth avenue; Henry J. Falkey, No. 508 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; William Kennedy, No. 344 Madison street; Arthur E. Haggerty, No. 65 Morton street; Thomas F. Casey, No. 413 West Twenty-eighth street; Harry Tucker, No. 24 Morton street; Michael Kennedy, No. 622 West Forty-seventh street; Edward F. Anderson, No. 60 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street; Peter B. Anderson, No. 76 Oliver street; Michael Kiernan, No. 1453 Fifth avenue, care of McGuire; Michael Harrihan, No. 455 West Forty-eighth street; Peter Fassig, No. 326 East Eighty-third street; Patrick Skelly, No. 90 Bedford street; George Kammer, No. 428 West Forty-eighth street; Martin J. McAvoy, No. 505 West Forty-eighth street; Harry S. Dearie, No. 531 West Forty-sixth street; Timothy J. Bowen, No. 65 Downing street; Thomas A. Cosgrove, No. 454 West Forty-seventh street; Bernard Cavanagh, No. 436 West Forty-ninth street; Daniel A. McKinney, No. 428 Pleasant avenue; Michael Filser, No. 320 West Forty-ninth street; George H. Munz, No. 415 West Forty-seventh street; James Radzinsky, No. 217 Spring street.

From the Brooklyn and Bronx lists—John Linstrom, No. 512 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; Hans Larsen, Aqueduct avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; Patrick J. Foley, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, Springhurst; Thomas J. Ahearn, No. 723 Caldwell avenue; Edward Parker, No. 213 Franklin street, Brooklyn; Alexander Ross, No. 158 Jefferson avenue, Brooklyn; Jonas Olsen, No. 16 Manhattan place, Brooklyn.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT

May 8—John A. Lee, Chief Inspector of Tenements, salary increased from \$2,100 per annum to \$2,550 per annum, to take effect May 8, 1903.

Appointed—Anna E. Slyman, No. 321 East Twenty-first street, Typewriting Copyist; salary \$750 per annum. This appointment to take effect May 6, 1903.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

May 6—Charles A. Jones has been appointed to the office of Secretary to the Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Richmond; salary \$1,200 per year. This appointment is to take effect May 5, 1903.

May 6—Transferred Matthew Tormey, Port Richmond, New York, from the position of Driver in the Bureau of Public Works to a similar position in the Bureau of Buildings. This transfer to take effect May 6, 1903.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

May 7—Appointed Rammer, Thomas J. Bacon, No. 503 East One Hundred and Forty-third street, salary \$3.50 per day. To take effect April 16, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

May 7—Appointed May 6—Harry C. Dardenkiller, No. 320 West Fifty-third street, Mower; B. J. Fennelly, No. 142 West Sixty-second street, Mower; Thomas P. Reilly, No. 717 Second avenue, Mower; Stephen Milz, No. 1598 Third avenue, Mower.

Reinstated—May 6—Timothy McCarthy, No. 8 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Laborer; Thomas Bowe, No. 106 East Eighty-eighth street, Laborer; Michael Conlon, Foreman; Patrick Coyle, Foreman; Owen E. Reilly, Foreman; Thomas Gregory, Foreman.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

May 8—The Mayor has this day appointed Maynard C. Perkins, Record Clerk, at a salary of \$1,800, and Samuel Brock, Clerk, at a salary of \$1,200, in the Bureau of Licenses, Borough of Manhattan, taking effect May 8.

PURSUANT to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"AN ACT
To amend chapter three hundred and eighty-six of the Laws of nineteen hun-

dred and two, entitled 'An act granting the consent of the State of New York to the acquisition by the United States of certain lands for the purpose of the erection of a lighthouse or lighthouses and a fog signal station on Ward's Island, and ceding jurisdiction over the same,' in relation to the premises to be acquired."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, in the City of New York, on May 19, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, May 8, 1903.

SETH LOW, Mayor.



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

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KINGS COUNTY OFFICES.**COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.**

County Courthouse, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 19, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23; Part II., Room No. 10, Courthouse. Clerk's Office, Rooms 19 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
JOSEPH ASPINALL and FREDERICK E. CRANE, County Judges.
CHARLES S. DEVROY, 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 Courthouse, Brooklyn.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
W. E. MELODY, Sheriff.

COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.
W. E. MELODY.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Courthouse, 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.
JOHN K. NEAL, Register.
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COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Rooms 7, 9, 10 and 11, 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.
GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.
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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WILLIAM B. DAVENPORT, 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.
Surrogate's Court sits on Thursday and Friday of each week, except during the month of August, when no court is held. Calendar called at 10 A. M.

COUNTY COURT.

County Courthouse, Long Island City.
County Court opens at 9:30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M.
County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y.
HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

SHERIFF.

County Courthouse, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT, Under Sheriff.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Courthouse, 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, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Courthouse, Long Island City. Court opens at 9:30 A. M., to adjourn 5 P. M.
JAMES INGRAM, 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.
EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.
H. HOMER MOORE, Assistant Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

RICHMOND COUNTY OFFICES.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1902:
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 Wednesday of February, without a Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury;
Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury;
—All at the Courthouse 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 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
EDWARD B. RAWSON, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
C. L. BOSTWICK, County Clerk.

SHERIFF.

FRANKLIN C. VITT, Sheriff.
THOMAS H. BANNING, Under Sheriff.
County Courthouse, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.
CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
J. LOUIS GARRETTSON, Commissioner.
Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

THE COURTS.**APPELLATE DIVISION SUPREME COURT.**

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.
Courthouse, 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, Jr., Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office opens at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Courthouse, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.
Special Term, Part VI., (Elevated Railroad Cases), Room No. 36.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 25.
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 33.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part XII., and Special Term, VII., Room No. 26.
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 southeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Trial Term Calendar, room northeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner third floor.
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
Criminal Courthouse, Centre street.
Justices—GEORGE C. BARRETT, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JAMES FITZGERALD, MILES BEACH, DAVID LEVENTRITT, LEONARD A. GREGG, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FREEDMAN, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, P. HENRY DUGRO, JOHN PROCTOR, CLARKE, HENRY A. GILDERLEY, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, ALFRED STECKLER, THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Courthouse, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Courts open daily, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Five jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.
GERARD M. STEVENS, 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.
General Term.
Trial Term, Part I.
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.
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, SAMUEL SEABURY, 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, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, JULIUS M. MAYER, WILLARD H. OLMSTED, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, ROBERT J. WILKIN, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DRUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BRENN, PHILIP BLOCK, Secretary.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

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

SECOND DIVISION.**Borough of Brooklyn.**

City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGENBOTHAM, FRANK E. O'RIELLY, HENRY J. FURLONG.
President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.
Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.
Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

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

First District—Long Island City.
Second District—Flushing.
Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**Borough of Manhattan.**

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

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, Courtroom, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

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

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Courtroom, No. 154 Clinton street, BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

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

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

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open until close of business.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.
JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice. HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Courtroom, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Courtroom, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9:45 A. M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.

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

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

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Courtroom located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Courthouse, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.

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

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Courtroom, No. 14 Howard avenue.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

CORNELIUS FERGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Courtroom, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

JOHN J. KENNY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF 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

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1903.

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, gram, dozen, yard 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.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Board, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated May 7, 1903. m8,22

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

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday at 10 o'clock a. m.

JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m., or at call of the Mayor.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF all competitive examinations at least two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of the 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 day upon which receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Similar notices will be sent to the daily papers and also to the general postoffices and stations thereof. Such notices will state the scope of the examination, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK, May 8, 1903.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an open competitive examination will be held for the position of CLERK in the Bureau of Buildings and in the Tenement House Department on Thursday, June 4, 1903, at 10 a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will open on Monday, May 11, at 9 a. m., and will close on Friday, May 29, at 4 p. m.

This examination is open to men and women. The subjects of the examination will be (1) clerical examination, such as is required for Third Grade Clerk, and comprising the following subjects: Handwriting, spelling, dictation, arithmetic and letter-writing; (2) technical paper and reading plans and knowledge of the principles of building and tenement construction.

Subject 1 will have a weight of eight-tenths of the examination, and subject 2 will have a weight of two-tenths of the examination.

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper and 80 per cent. on the clerical examination.

The vacancies in this position are in the Tenement House Department. The lists now in force for Clerk, Building and Tenement House Departments, are exhausted for the future needs of the Bureau of Buildings.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,050 per annum.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, LABOR BUREAU, NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING positions will be received at the above office, from residents of the Borough of Queens, up to four o'clock p. m., May 12, 1903:

Painter.	Ship Carpenter.
Bridge Tender.	Foreman.
Flagger.	Mason.
Lineman.	Plumber.
Pipe Caulker.	Stableman.
Rammer.	Blacksmith.
Driver (Miss).	Paver.
Machinist.	Hose Repairer.
Pipe Fitter.	Boatman.
Dumpboardman.	

F. A. SPENCER, Labor Clerk.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, April 20, 1903.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for the position of Patrolman, Police Department, will be received until further notice.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOR- oughs of Manhattan and Richmond, will sell at public auction by Joseph Shogood & Sons, Auctioneers, on Monday, May 18, 1903, at 10.30 a. m., the buildings, etc., standing on lands acquired for park purposes at Worth and Baxter streets, known as Nos. 150, 160, 161, 163, 164, 165 and 167 Worth street, and Nos. 32, 36 and 36½ Baxter street.

Together with all other structures, including stone walls, standing on said lands.

The sale will take place on the ground commencing with the first named building at the hour stated, and continue until all the buildings, etc., have been sold.

Information as to the dimensions and character of the buildings and structures may be had upon application at the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park.

TERMS OF SALE.

The sale is on condition that the work of removing buildings, etc., shall be commenced within ten days from date of sale, and the buildings shall be entirely removed within twenty-eight days from date of sale, during which period the purchaser shall be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals, or property by reason of the occupancy or removal of said buildings.

The amount of the purchase money must be paid in cash or certified check at the time of sale, or the buildings not so paid for will be resold.

To secure the removal of the buildings the purchaser will be required to make at the time of sale a deposit of \$50 in cash or certified check on each lot purchased, which deposit will be returned if the building is removed within the time stipulated, otherwise it will be forfeited to the Department.

Should any of the buildings sold be not removed within the specified time the Department may again take possession and cause the same to be resold or removed.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.
New York, May 9, 1903. m11,18

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, MAY 21, 1903.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR CONSTRUCTING A CONCRETE-STEEL ARCH BRIDGE, WITH STONE PARAPET WALLS AND STONE ARCH FACINGS, OVER THE BRONX RIVER, AT THE CROSSING OF THE BRONX AND PELHAM PARKWAY, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The amount of security required is twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

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

Dated May 1, 1903. m4-21

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

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

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

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND PUTTING IN POSITION GYMNASIUM APPARATUS FOR GYMNASIUM AND PLAYGROUNDS IN EAST RIVER PARK, CORLEARS HOOK PARK AND TOMPKINS SQUARE PARK.

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

The amount of security required is eight hundred dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND PUTTING IN POSITION GYMNASIUM APPARATUS FOR THE GYMNASIUM AND PLAYGROUND IN HAMILTON FISH PARK.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty-five days.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars.

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

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

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

Dated May 2, 1903. m2,14

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

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

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING A GASOLINE AUTOMOBILE CARRIAGE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 days.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars.

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

The bidder will state the price of the article contained in the specifications, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded 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 Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated May 5, 1903. m8-19

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

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

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

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR THE COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF ALL GARBAGE AND KINDRED REFUSE, FROM SEPTEMBER 1, 1903, UNTIL JANUARY 1, 1904, WITH THE PRIVILEGE OF RENEWAL SET FORTH IN CLAUSE IV OF THE CONTRACT.

The amount of security required is twenty thousand dollars.

The bidder will state the price per calendar month, by which the bids will be tested, and the award will be made to the lowest bidder.

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

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 25, 1903. a28,m12

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR COMPLETING AN ABANDONED CONTRACT FOR THE COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF ALL GARBAGE AND KINDRED REFUSE FOR THE PERIOD OF ONE YEAR, BEGINNING THE FIRST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1902.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1903.

The amount of security required is twenty thousand dollars.

The bidder will state the price per calendar month, by which the bids will be tested.

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

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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 MCGRAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

"Herald," "Press," "Mail and Express," "Evening Post," "Staats-Zeitung," "Leslie's Weekly," "Real Estate Record and Guide."
January 6, 1903.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 23, 1903.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1903,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS AND LABOR FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF INTERIOR MARBLE WORK, BEING SUPPLEMENTAL TO THE PRESENT CONTRACT AND AS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED IN DETAIL, AND TO BE PLACED IN THAT BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS THE HALL OF RECORDS BUILDING, CHAMBERS, CENTRE, READE AND A NEW STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be the same as is required for the completion of the work under Contract No. 2 for the New Hall of Records, by John Peirce, Contractor.

The amount of security required will be fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

The bidder shall state an aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, for a complete job, and an alternative bid omitting certain marble described in the specifications.

Drawings and specifications, with other information, may be obtained at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Horgan & Slatery, of No. 1 Madison avenue.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SETH LOW, Mayor;
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller;
CHARLES V. FORTNES, President, Board of Aldermen.JACOB A. CANTOR,
EDWARD SWANSTROM,
LOUIS F. HAFEN,
JOSEPH CASSIDY,
GEORGE CROMWELL,
Borough Presidents.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 22, 1903. a23-m15

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

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 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1903.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHEELWRIGHT SUPPLIES.

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.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MACHINE SHOP SUPPLIES.

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.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE SUPPLIES.

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.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BLACKSMITH SHOP SUPPLIES.

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.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BARBERS' SHOP SUPPLIES.

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

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.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.
Dated May 1, 1903. m2,14

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

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 3 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 25, 1903.

Borough of Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR

BUILDING, EXTENDING AND REPAIRING A FIRE ALARM SYSTEM IN THE SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH AND FIFTH WARDS OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days.

The amount of security required is \$12,500.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING BELL TOWERS AND FURNISHING STRIKING APPARATUS FOR THE FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 40 days.

The amount of security required is \$4,500.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan, and Nos. 165 and 167 Jay street, Brooklyn.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.
Dated May 11, 1903. m12,25

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

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 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 25, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW BUILDING FOR HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY NO. 26 ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, TWENTY-FIVE FEET EAST OF MADISON AVENUE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 200 days.

The amount of security required is \$30,000.

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 Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.
Dated May 11, 1903. m12,25

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

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 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 25, 1903.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING AND INSTALLING A FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SWITCHBOARD IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 40 days.

The amount of security required is \$1,500.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.
Dated May 11, 1903. m12,25

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

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 3 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 25, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING KEROSENE OIL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 300 days.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VARIOUS SUPPLIES (TINSMITHS' AND CAULKERS' ETC.).

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is for Class A 300 days, and for Classes B and C 60 days.

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

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 300 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 total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 365 and 367 Jay street, Brooklyn.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.

Dated May 11, 1903. m12-25

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

H. HYAMS, AUCTIONEER, ON BEHALF of the Fire Department of The City of New York, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Hospital and Training Stables, corner St. Edward's and Bolivar streets, Brooklyn, on Monday, May 18, 1903, at 12 o'clock m., the following horses, no longer fit for service in the Department, and known as Nos. 65, 116, 429, 473, 544, 612, 669, 746, 751, 872, 946, 990, 1037, 1228 and 1334.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner.

Dated May 11, 1903. m12-18

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Executive Committee of the Normal College of The City of New York at the above office until 9.30 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1903.

NORMAL COLLEGE.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 714 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded as a whole.

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 Secretary of the Board of Trustees, Normal College, southwest corner Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, the Borough of Manhattan.

ALRICK H. MAN, Chairman Executive Committee, Normal College.

Dated May 11, 1903. m11-21

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, MAY 18, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

1. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 3, 11, 28, 41, 57, 66, 70, 73, 76 and 87, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN.

Time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 3, \$400.
Public School 11, \$700.
Public School 28, \$600.
Public School 41, \$1,600.
Public School 57, \$600.
Public School 66, \$300.
Public School 70, \$2,400.
Public School 73, \$500.
Public School 76, \$300.
Public School 87, \$800.

2. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 10, 12, 17, 60, 72 AND 77, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be as follows:

Public School 10, within 60 working days.
Public Schools 12, 60, 72 and 77, within 30 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 10, \$500.
Public School 12, \$800.
Public School 17, \$4,000.
Public School 60, \$1,000.
Public School 72, \$400.
Public School 77, \$700.

3. FOR NEW FURNITURE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 138, ON PROSPECT PLACE AND NOstrand AVENUE, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN.

Time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, \$1,500.
Item 2, \$300.
Item 3, \$1,800.
Item 4, \$700.
Item 5, \$800.
Item 6, \$1,200.

Borough of The Bronx.

4. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 34 (PUBLIC SCHOOL 176) ON AMETHYST AVENUE, 125 FEET NORTH OF MORRIS PARK AVENUE, BOROUGHS OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 70 working days.

Amount of security required is \$2,000.

Borough of Manhattan.

5. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 9, 15, 16, 19, 25, 43, 51, 54, 58, 67, 84, 87, 93, 103, 113, 140, 157, 165 and 166, ANNEX DE WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN.

Time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days.

Amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 9, \$900.
Public School 15, \$800.
Public School 16, \$400.
Public School 19, \$1,200.
Public School 25, \$1,400.

Public School 43, \$400.
Public School 51, \$700.
Public School 54, \$800.
Public School 58, \$500.
Public School 67, \$1,100.
Public School 84, \$400.
Public School 87, \$500.
Public School 93, \$400.
Public School 103, \$400.
Public School 113, \$500.
Public School 140, \$400.
Public School 157, \$300.
Public School 165, \$400.
Public School 166, \$300.
Annex De Witt Clinton High School, \$400.

6. FOR ALTERATIONS TO HEAT REGULATING SYSTEM AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 5, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET AND EDGEcombe AVENUE; ALSO AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 96, EIGHTY-FIRST STREET AND AVENUE A, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN.

Time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 60 working days.

Amount of security is:

Public School 5, \$700.
Public School 96, \$800.

7. FOR ERECTING BENCHES AND SHELTERS ON THE ROOF PLAYGROUNDS OF VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN.

Time of completion is 40 working days.

Amount of security required is \$3,300.

8. FOR FURNITURE OF ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 92, CORNER OF BROOME AND RIDGE STREETS, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN.

Time of completion is 60 working days.

Amount of security required is:

Item 1, \$300.
Item 2, \$600.

Borough of Queens.

9. FOR SANITARY WORK AT LONG ISLAND CITY HIGH SCHOOL ON NORTH-ERLY SIDE OF WILBUR AVENUE, BETWEEN ACADEMY AND RADDE STREETS, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGHS OF QUEENS.

Time allowed to complete the whole work will be to July 20, 1903.

Amount of security required is \$15,000.

10. FOR INSTALLING NEW SLATE BLACKBOARDS, NEW SHADES, ALSO FOR REPAIRING AND REFINISHING OLD FURNITURE AND REPAIRING SHADES IN THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL BUILDINGS: 1, 2, 4, 20, 31 AND 39, BOROUGHS OF QUEENS.

Time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 30 working days.

Amount of security required on each school is as follows:

Public School 1, \$1,500.
Public School 2, \$350.
Public School 4, \$500.
Public School 20, \$350.
Public School 31, \$350.
Public School 39, \$150.

On contracts Nos. 4, 7 and 9 the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump sum for each contract.

On contracts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8 and 10 the bidders will state the price of each or any item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each school or item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each school or 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. Also at branch offices, Nos. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, and Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond.

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

Dated May 7, 1903. m7-18

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

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE New York and Long Island Traction Company the right or franchise to construct and operate a street surface railway in, upon and along certain streets and highways and bridges 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 of The City of New York hereby grants to the New York and Long Island Traction Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, a franchise, right and privilege to construct and operate a double-track surface railway, with all connections, turnouts, switches, crossovers and suitable stands necessary for the accommodation and operation of said railway, by the overhead system of electricity, or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same, in, upon and along the following named streets and highways and bridges, all situated in the boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn, City and State of New York, set forth in the following description of routes:

First—Beginning at a point on Fulton street (otherwise known as the Hempstead and Jamaica turnpike), at the easterly line of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York; running thence northwesterly on and along said Fulton street to the intersection of said Fulton street and the Jerroco turnpike at or near Queens, in the Borough of Queens; with a branch line from the intersection of said Hempstead and Jamaica turnpike and Sherwood avenue; running thence southerly on and along said Sherwood avenue to Old Country road, all in the Borough of Queens.

Second—Beginning at a point at the intersection of said Fulton street and Springfield road (at or near Queens, in the Borough of Queens); running thence southwesterly on and along said Springfield road to a road known as Old Country road; thence generally westerly on and along said Old Country road past the intersection of said Old Country road and South street, to a point on said Old Country road about opposite Bryan avenue in Hollis Park; thence generally westerly on and along private property to Bryan avenue in Hollis Park at its intersection with Farmer avenue; thence westerly on and along said Bryan avenue to its intersection with South street; thence westerly on and along South street to Punnett street in Jamaica; thence northwesterly on and along Punnett street to Linden street; thence westerly on and along Linden street to New York avenue; thence southerly on and along New York avenue to South street; thence westerly on and along South street to Prospect street; thence northerly on and along Prospect street to and across the bridge over the tracks of the Long Island Railroad to Fleet street; thence westerly on and along Fleet street to Twombly place; thence westerly on and along Twombly place to Church street; thence northerly on and along Church street to Fulton street in Jamaica; with

a branch line from the intersection of said New York avenue and Linden street in Jamaica; thence northerly on and along New York avenue to a point on New York avenue, south of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad; thence westerly on and along private property crossing Union Hall street and Washington street to a point on Prospect street, south of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad in Jamaica; also on and along Centre street, from Union Hall street to Washington street, all in the Borough of Queens.

Third—Beginning at a point at the boundary line between The City of New York and the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, on private property contiguous to and lying north of the conduit of the Brooklyn City Water Works in the Borough of Queens; running thence westerly on and along private property contiguous to and adjoining the property of the Brooklyn City Water Works on the northerly side thereof; crossing Ocean avenue (otherwise known as the road to Wright's mill), Rosedale avenue, Foster's Meadow road, the property of the Brooklyn City Water Works, known as conduit branch, Springfield road, Farmers avenue, New York avenue, Rockaway turnpike, to the junction of the Three-Mile road and Old South road; thence westerly on and along said Old South road to the road to Bergen's Landing; thence westerly on and along private property contiguous to and adjacent to the right of way of the Brooklyn City Water Works and on the northerly side thereof crossing Old South road, Hawthorne Creek road, road to Kemens's landing, Centreville avenue at the southerly end thereof, road to landing or Woodhaven road at the southerly end thereof, and Cedar lane, to the right of way of the Cross Country Railroad Company; thence northerly and westerly on and along private property crossing Old South road to a point on Eldert lane about 500 feet south of Liberty avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn; thence northerly on and along Eldert lane to Liberty avenue.

Fourth—Beginning at a point on the Jerroco turnpike at the extreme easterly boundary line of The City of New York and the Town of North Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, and running thence westerly on and along said Jerroco turnpike to a point at the intersection of said Jerroco turnpike and the Hempstead and Jamaica turnpike (otherwise known as Fulton street), all in the Borough of Queens.

And with the right or franchise to cross such other streets and highways and bridges (named and unnamed), as may be encountered in said routes.

Section 2. The grant of this franchise is subject to the following conditions:

First—The consent in writing of the owners of half in value of the property bounded on said streets and highways and bridges, to the construction and operation of said railway shall be obtained by the grantee, or in the event that such consent cannot be obtained, the grantee shall obtain the favorable determination, confirmed by the Court, of three Commissioners, appointed by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in the manner provided by the Railroad Law, before said railway is built or operated.

Second—The said right, privilege and franchise to construct and operate said railway shall be held and enjoyed by said railway company, its lessee or successors, for the term of twenty-five years from the date when this ordinance is signed by the Mayor, with the privilege of renewal of said grant for a further period of twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation of said right, privilege and franchise, but such renewal shall not provide for any further renewal. Such revaluation shall be of the right, privilege and franchise to maintain and operate said railway by itself, and shall not include any valuation derived from the ownership, operation or control of any other railroad by the grantee, its successors or assigns. It shall be made in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment or its successors in authority; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the railway company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder; and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluations aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of the grant, and their report shall be filed with the comptroller or his successor in authority within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience, and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine the books of the railway company. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but shall not in any event be less than the minimum amount fixed as the sum to be paid annually for the last five years of the original franchise.

Third—Upon the termination of the said franchise, right or privilege, whether original or renewal, if the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, or its successors in authority shall so desire, there shall be a fair valuation of the plant and property of the grantee necessary for traction purposes upon the said streets and highways and bridges, and of the land in private ownership upon which the said railway shall be operated or the easements of right-of-way or other necessary easements in such lands, as the case may be, including power-house, equipment, tracks and appurtenances, which plant and property shall be and become the property of the City of New York at the option of the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, on the termination of this grant and the payment to the grantee of such valuation. The valuation shall be based upon a fair appraisal of the property, excluding any value derived from the franchise, and such value shall be determined by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority; provided that in the valuation of the land in private ownership, on which such railroad is constructed, or the easements affecting such land, as the case may be, their value shall not be fixed at an amount in excess of the original cost thereof, to the grantee of said franchise, its successors or assigns. A sworn statement of such cost executed by such grantee and verified by the affidavit of one of its officers, shall be filed with the Comptroller of the City of New York, before any act is done by the grantee or its successors or assigns in the construction or operation of the railway upon any route hereinbefore mentioned, which includes private property.

Fourth—The New York and Long Island Traction Company, its successors or assigns, shall pay for this franchise to The City of New York, the following sums of money: During the first term of five years an annual sum which shall in no case be less than \$1,000, and which shall be equal to three per cent. of its gross annual receipts derived from passenger and freight traffic, within the limits of The City of New York, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of \$1,000; during the remaining twenty years of the term, an annual sum which shall not be less than \$2,000, and which shall be equal to five per cent. of its gross annual receipts as above, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of \$2,000.

In computing the amount of the gross receipts derived from passenger traffic and above referred to, the routes hereinafter mentioned shall be considered, and the persons who are upon the cars of the company at any point upon such routes shall be deemed to have paid the fare provided

to be paid by the ordinance granting the franchise aforesaid, whether they enter or leave the car upon such route or upon any other route upon which the grantee or its successors or assigns operates its cars.

Such sums shall be paid into the treasury of The City of New York on November 1, in each year; provided, however, that the first payment shall only be for that proportion of the above sums as the time from the signing of this ordinance by the Mayor to September 30 next preceding said date of payment, and the provisions of the Railroad Law as it existed at the time of the adoption of this ordinance relating to the manner of payments and statements of percentages of gross receipts of street railway companies shall, as to said railway, be strictly followed. The intention of this paragraph is to fix an annual charge to be paid by the grantee, its successors or assigns, to The City of New York for the rights and franchise hereby granted, and it shall not be construed as providing for the payment by the grantee, its successors or assigns, for said franchise, of a percentage of gross receipts within the meaning of any general or special statute.

Fifth—The said annual charge or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the franchise hereby granted, whether original or renewal, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railway company providing for payments for street railway rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or franchises hereby granted, whether original or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this grant, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said condition as to payments, anything in any statute or the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives, so far as this franchise is concerned, any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof, or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this grant.

Sixth—The rights and franchises granted hereby shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the New York and Long Island Traction Company, its successors or assigns, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, in anywise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Seventh—The said railway may be operated by overhead electrical power, substantially similar to the system of overhead electrical traction now in use by the New York and North Shore Railway Company, or by the underground electric system now in use by the Interurban Street Railway Company in the Borough of Manhattan, and by any other motive power, except locomotive steam power or horse power, which may be approved by the Board of Railroad Commissioners, and consented to by the owners of property, in accordance with the provisions of the Railroad Law.

Provided that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, upon giving to the grantee, its successors or assigns, one year's notice, in writing, may require it or upon any portion of its route by underground electrical power substantially according to the system now in use on the railways in the Borough of Manhattan above referred to, and thereupon to discontinue the use of the overhead trolley system, and to remove its poles, wires and other structures used by it for that purpose from the streets and highways and bridges of The City of New York.

Eighth—The said railway shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of The City of New York, who have jurisdiction in such matters under the Charter of the City.

Ninth—Said railway shall be constructed and operated in the latest improved manner of street railway construction and operation, and the railway and property of said company shall be maintained in good condition throughout the term of this grant.

Tenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said railway shall not exceed five cents within the limits of The City of New York; the said company shall not charge any passenger more than said sum for one continuous ride from any point on said railway, or a line or branch operated in connection therewith to any point thereof, or of any connecting line or branch thereof within the limits of The City of New York. The rates for the carrying of property upon the cars of the grantee shall in all cases be reasonable in amount, and shall be subject to the control of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, and may be fixed by such Board after notice and hearing to the grantee, and when so fixed such rate shall be binding upon said grantee, its successors or assigns, and no greater sums shall be charged for such services than provided for by it.

Eleventh—The cars on the said lines as proposed shall run at intervals of not more than one hour, both day and night, and as much often as the reasonable convenience of the public may require or as may be directed by the city ordinances; provided, however, that said railway company during the first five years of this franchise shall not be required to operate its cars on any of its lines within The City of New York between the hours of twelve o'clock midnight and four o'clock a. m. each day, unless the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said city shall determine after a hearing had thereon that public convenience requires the operation of its cars during said hours.

Twelfth—The said railway company shall apply to each car run over said railway a proper fender and wheelguard in conformity to such laws and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Thirteenth—All cars on said railway shall be heated through the cold weather in conformity to such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and each car shall be well lighted either by the Pintsch gas system or by electricity, or by some system of lighting equally efficient.

Fourteenth—The said company shall at all times keep the street between its tracks, and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails upon either side of said streets, free and clear from ice and snow.

Fifteenth—The said railway company, as long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks

upon said streets and highways and bridges, shall have and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of said streets and highways and bridges, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks, under the supervision of the proper local authorities, and whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And The City of New York shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any street and highway and bridge, and in that event the grantee, its successors or assigns, shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper city officer at its own expense, and the provision as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewed or altered pavement.

Sixteenth—The said railway company, its successors and assigns, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and highways and bridges hereby granted, shall cause the entire roadway of each of the same to be watered at least three times in every twenty-four hours when the thermometer is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit, except that when the width of any roadway between curb lines shall exceed 60 feet, then a roadway of but 60 feet shall be watered as above.

Seventeenth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained this grant may be forfeited and avoided by the City of New York, by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel on notice of ten days to the said railway company.

Eighteenth—If any of the streets and highways and bridges above referred to, or described, shall not now be open or in use as public highways, no right or franchise therein shall vest in the grantee by virtue of this ordinance until after such streets and highways and bridges shall be legally opened as a public highway, and such right or franchise shall expire at the end of the term created by this ordinance as above set forth. Nothing in this ordinance contained shall be construed as an obligation on The City of New York in respect to the opening of such streets and highways and bridges, nor as in any manner granting property or rights of any kind in or upon its lands now owned or occupied by it under any title, except only the public streets and highways and bridges in the usual acceptance of such terms, which are specifically referred to above.

Section 3. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of article 4 of the Railroad Law, as it existed at the time of the adoption of this ordinance applicable thereto, and all laws or ordinances now in force or which may be adopted hereafter affecting the surface railways operating in The City of New York shall be strictly complied with.

Section 4. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that at any time after five years from the commencement of the operation of any portion of the railway hereby granted, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, if it deems it necessary in the public interest so to do, may require the grantee, its successors or assigns, in case the railway upon any portion of the routes above described shall consist of a single track, to construct and operate a second track upon any or all of the routes hereby granted, whether on streets, highways and bridges or upon any private property or right-of-way included in any of such routes so as to make a double-track railway.

Section 5. Said grantee shall commence construction within three months from the date when it has obtained complete legal authority to begin construction, including necessary permits from the city officials and departments and shall complete the construction of at least ten miles of single track railway on or before July 1, 1904, otherwise this grant shall be thereupon forfeited and immediately forfeited, without judicial or other proceedings. If upon any of the routes above described or upon any portion thereof, there shall not be constructed and in actual operation by July 1, 1905, a railway properly equipped and operated as provided by this ordinance, the said route or portion thereof shall be conclusively taken to have been abandoned by the company, and so much of the rights and franchises hereby granted as pertain to such routes, or parts of routes, not then constructed from and after July 1, 1905, shall be thereupon forfeited and immediately forfeited, without judicial or other proceedings. Provided that such time may be extended under and for causes specified as to forfeiture under and for causes specified in section 6 of the Railroad Law, as it now exists, and by a properly executed instrument in writing; and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may similarly extend such time for a period or periods not exceeding one year, if, in their discretion, it seems best so to do, and that the city officials or departments who or which shall at the time of such construction have authority over the said streets and highways and bridges, may similarly extend, by properly executed instrument in writing, such time for a period or periods not exceeding one year further, if reasonable, in their judgment, by reason of requirements as to the manner of construction imposed by the city officials.

Section 6. If for any reason the right or franchise of the grantee in any of the streets, highways and bridges above described shall cease, or if for a period of six successive months the railway tracks upon any of such streets, highways and bridges shall not be operated as provided for in this ordinance, the Comptroller of The City of New York may require the grantee, its successors or assigns, to remove its tracks and other structures upon such streets, highways and bridges within thirty days after notice, and in default of their removal pursuant to such notice, the proper local authorities having jurisdiction may cause them to be removed and The City of New York may recover the cost and expenses of such removal, either by deducting them from the fund deposited as required in section 7 hereof, or by action; and the rights and franchises of the grantee, its successors or assigns, in such portions of the streets, highways and bridges, in case any such exist, shall forthwith and immediately cease upon the removal of such tracks, or structures and without judicial or other proceedings.

Section 7. This grant is upon the express condition that the New York and Long Island Traction Company, within thirty days after the said company has been duly authorized to operate its railway and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of three thousand dollars, either in money or in securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by such company of the terms and conditions of this grant, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charge for the franchise, the repairs of the street pavement and the removal of snow and ice, and the quality of construction of the railway and, in case of default in the performance by said company of such terms and conditions, The City of New York shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings, or after default in the payment of the annual charges shall collect the same with interest from such fund after ten days' notice in writing to the said company. Or in case of failure to keep the said terms and conditions of this grant relating to the headways of cars, fenders and wheel guards and the heating of the cars and the watering of

the streets, the said company shall pay a penalty of \$50 a day for each day of violation, and the further sum of \$10 a day for each car which shall not properly be heated or supplied with fenders and wheel guards in case of the violation of the provisions relating to those matters. In case of any drafts so made upon this security fund, the said company shall, upon thirty days' notice, in writing, pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a sum of money sufficient to restore the said fund to the original amount of three thousand dollars, and in default thereof the grant hereby made may be cancelled and annulled at the option of the Comptroller of The City of New York, acting on behalf of said city. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this section shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

Section 8. This grant shall not become operative until said railway company shall duly execute, under its corporate seal, an instrument in writing wherein said company shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this ordinance fixed and contained, and file the same in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York within ten days after the adoption of this ordinance.

Section 9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, NEW YORK, May 7, 1903.

The foregoing proposed ordinance and grant of franchise was approved by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted May 1, 1903. It was received by the Board of Aldermen May 5, 1903, and on that day a resolution was adopted by the Board of Aldermen appointing Tuesday, the 10th day of May, 1903, for the consideration of the subject matter of such ordinance.

m8j1 P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

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 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Contract No. 787.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A NEW PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF BAY RIDGE AVENUE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of ninety calendar days. The amount of security required is \$27,700.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Contract No. 777.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A NEW PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, BETWEEN FIFTY-FIRST AND FIFTY-SECOND STREETS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of ninety calendar days. The amount of security required is \$15,000.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Contract No. 781 (Class 7).

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE BUILDING ON THE RECREATION PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF METROPOLITAN AVENUE, EAST RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of forty-five calendar days. The amount of security required is \$900.

The bids will be compared and the contracts 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 said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated May 8, 1903. m11-22

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

FIFTH, EIGHTH AND FOURTEENTH WARDS, SECTIONS 1 AND 2.

WATTS STREET—OPENING, from Sullivan street to West Broadway at Broome street. Confirmed March 31, 1903; entered May 8, 1903. 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 formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Vestry street and Desbrosses street with the United States pierhead-line, on the easterly side of the Hudson river; running thence northerly along said United States pierhead-line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Dominick street and Spring street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the block and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Sullivan street and Macdougall street; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Prince street and Houston street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Broadway and Crosby street; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Spring street and Prince street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of that part of Elm street extending from Grand street to Broome street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line and its continuation parallel to the easterly side of Elm street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Grand street and distant 175 feet southerly therefrom; then

westerly along said parallel line to the easterly side of Broadway; thence westerly to the intersection of the westerly side of Broadway with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Grand street and distant 200 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line and its prolongation westerly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Desbrosses street and Vestry street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block and its prolongation westerly to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 7, 1903, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 8, 1903. m11,23

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTIONS 10 AND 11.

LYMAN PLACE—OPENING AND EXTENDING, from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Stebbins avenue to Freeman street. Confirmed February 26, 1903; entered May 8, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Lyman place and Chisholm street; running thence southerly along said prolongation and middle line and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Home street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Home street to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Lyman place through a point equally distant from the westerly line of Lyman place and the northeasterly corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—OPENING, from Crotona Park, East, to Boston road. Confirmed March 30, 1903; entered May 8, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of Vyse street with a line drawn through the centre of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth streets; running thence northeasterly along said centre line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 450 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, as laid out between the Southern Boulevard and Crotona Park, East; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to a point 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Crotona Park, East; thence westerly along a line parallel to but 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Crotona Park, East, to the intersection of a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Suburban place; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line to the northerly line of Boston road; thence southeasterly to a point in the southerly line of said Boston road midway between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence easterly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet easterly from the easterly side or line of Vyse street; thence northeasterly along a line parallel to but 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Vyse street to the point or place of beginning.

GARDEN STREET—OPENING, from Grote street to the Southern Boulevard. Confirmed February 26, 1903; entered May 8, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Garden street; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet

southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Crotona avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Belmont avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grote street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 7, 1903, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 8, 1903. m11-23

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-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

CAMBRELENG AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to St. John's College. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cambreleng avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to St. John's College, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets; also, Lots Nos. 22, 24, 67 and 69, in Block No. 3091.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

WEBSTER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from the southerly line of Moshulu Parkway to the City line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Webster avenue, from the southerly line of Moshulu Parkway to the City line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on Two Hundred and Second, Two Hundred and Third, Two Hundred and Fifth, Two Hundred and Tenth, Two Hundred and Eleventh, Two Hundred and Thirteenth, Two Hundred and Fourteenth, Two Hundred and Fifteenth and Two Hundred and Sixteenth streets; Moshulu Parkway, North; Moshulu Parkway, South; Woodlawn road, Gun Hill road and McLean avenue; also, Lots Nos. 39 to 50, both inclusive, in Block No. 3354; Lots Nos. 144, 145, 146 and 148, in Block No. 3355; Lots Nos. 12, 16, 17, 18 and 19, in Block No. 3358, and Lots Nos. 60 and 65, in Block No. 3399.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on May 7, 1903, and entered on May 7, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 6, 1903, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 7, 1903. m10-22

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 13.

VAN CORLEAR PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Wicker place to Kingsbridge avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Van Corlear place, from Wicker place and Kingsbridge avenue to Jacobus place, designated as Lots Nos. 345, 364, 365, 369, 370, 371, 372, 383, 384, 386, 387, 392, 404, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499, 501 and 503, in Block No. 3402.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

TWELFTH AVENUE—SEWER, east side, between Forty-seventh and Fiftieth streets, with connections; also, OUTLET SEWER, under pier at FORTY-EIGHTH STREET. Area of assessment: West side of Tenth avenue; both sides of Eleventh avenue and east side of Twelfth avenue, between Forty-seventh and Fiftieth streets; both sides of Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets, and south side of Fiftieth street, between Tenth and Twelfth avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on May 7, 1903, and entered on May 7, 1903, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 6, 1903, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 7, 1903. m9-22

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

MARMION AVENUE—OPENING, from Crotona Park, North, to the Southern Boulevard. Confirmed March 18, 1903; entered April 30, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Crotona Park, North, with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 150 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Prospect avenue; running thence northeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eightieth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence southeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southeasterly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona Park; thence southerly along said line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Mohegan and Honeywell avenues; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona Park; thence southerly along said line to its intersection with the westerly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said line to its intersection with the westerly line of Fairmount place; thence southwesterly along a line drawn parallel to Marmion avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Crotona Park, North, and thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 29, 1903, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 7, 1903. m9-22

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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 June 29, 1903, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 30, 1903. m2-15

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 avenues and terrace in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11.

CROMWELL AVENUE—OPENING, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Jerome avenue. Confirmed March 17, 1903; entered May 1, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Exterior street and a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Exterior street, as the same is north of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and its prolongations southerly; running thence westerly at right angles to the westerly line of Exterior street to the United States pier-head and bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said United States pier-head and bulkhead line to its intersection with the southerly line of Jerome avenue; thence easterly along said southerly line of Jerome avenue to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Marcher avenue; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Highbridge street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Cromwell avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the southerly line of Macomb's road; thence easterly along said southerly line and southeasterly along the southwesterly line of Macomb's road to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the centre of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southeasterly along said centre line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue; thence southerly and southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of River avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Exterior street; thence southerly along said parallel line and its southerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

HARLEM RIVER TERRACE—OPENING, from the northern line of the land ceded November 27, 1891, as Heath avenue to Bailey avenue; also, HEATH AVENUE—OPENING, from Bailey avenue to Fort Independence street. Confirmed March 20, 1903; entered May 1, 1903. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the southeasterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river; running thence northeasterly and northwesterly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Bailey avenue; thence northerly along said last mentioned parallel line and a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly and northwesterly from the westerly and northwesterly line of Albany road to its intersection with a line drawn through a point 100 feet northeasterly from the junction formed by Bailey avenue and Fort Independence street at right angles to said Albany road; thence southeasterly along said right-angled line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Cannon place and Bailey avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southwesterly along said parallel line and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned parallel line following the windings of Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fordham road; thence westerly and northwesterly along said last mentioned line parallel to the southerly and southwesterly line of Fordham road to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Harlem River Terrace; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence northwesterly along said prolongation to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the

duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of

Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 30, 1903, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 1, 1903. m2-15

PROPOSALS FOR \$3,000,000 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CORPORATE STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

EXEMPT FROM ALL TAXATION IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EXCEPT TAXATION FOR STATE PURPOSES.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 417 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, AS AMENDED, TO INVEST IN THIS STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until

TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF MAY, 1903,

at 2 o'clock p. m., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered Stock of The City of New York, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. per annum, from and including the date of payment therefor, to wit:

Amount.	Titles.	Authority.	Principal Payable.	Interest Payable Semi-annually on
\$1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad	Authorized by chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended; sections 45, 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended; chapter 7 of the Laws of 1900; and resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 1, 1900	Nov. 1, 1902	May 1 and Nov. 1
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Uses and Purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries	Authorized by sections 169 and 180 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 20, 1903	Nov. 1, 1902	May 1 and Nov. 1
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for School-houses and Sites therefor	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 18, 1902	Nov. 1, 1902	May 1 and Nov. 1
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Repaving of Streets	Authorized by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 20, 1903	Nov. 1, 1902	May 1 and Nov. 1
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the New Aqueduct	Authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted October 13, 1902, and January 9, 1903.	Oct. 1, 1902	April 1 and Oct. 1

The said stock is free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except taxation for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

The principal of and interest on said stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted June 9, 1898.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

As provided for by The Greater New York Charter.

- Proposals containing conditions other than those herein set forth will not be received or considered.
- No proposal for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same.
- Every bidder, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of his proposal, shall deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of said Comptroller upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, two per cent. of the par value of the stock bid for in said proposal.
- No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit.
- All such deposits shall be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the decision has been rendered as to who is or are the highest bidder or bidders, except the deposit made by the highest bidder or bidders.
- If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the City Chamberlain the amount of the stock awarded to him or them, at its par value, together with the premium thereon, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount or amounts of deposit thus made shall be forfeited to and retained by said City as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall thereafter be paid into the Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt.
- Upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law, and in such denominations as they may desire.
- It is required by the Charter of the City that "every bidder may be required to accept a portion of the whole amount of stock bid for by him at the same rate or proportional price as may be specified in his bid; and any bid which conflicts with this condition shall be rejected." Under this provision, the condition that the bidder will accept only the whole amount of stock bid for by him and not any part thereof, cannot be inserted in any bid.
- It is also provided by the Charter that these bonds, being registered, may be issued in denominations of ten dollars or any multiple thereof; and that "preference shall, so far as practicable, and without pecuniary disadvantage to the City, be given to applicants for the smallest amounts and smallest denominations of said bonds in issuing the same."
- The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of The City of New York," and said envelope inclosed in another sealed envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of The City of New York.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

The City of New York, Department of Finance—Comptroller's Office, April 27, 1903. a28m12

SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF New York will sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor, on Tuesday, May 12, 1903, at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the city's right, title and interest in a certain tax sale certificate of lands and premises purchased by the former City of Brooklyn at sales for arrears of taxes, held under and pursuant to chapter 114 of the Laws of 1883, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and known as and by the number 4791, in Liber 83, in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Borough of Brooklyn, being Lot 35 in old Block 200, new Block 182 of the Twenty-second Ward.

The minimum or upset price at which the said certificate is to be sold is appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at seven hundred dollars (\$700).

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE. The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of the bid at the time of sale, and upon the payment of the amount bid at such sale the Comptroller will execute and deliver to the purchaser an assignment of the said certificate. The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the certificate, if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under and pursuant to a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 1, 1903.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 6, 1903. a7m12

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

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture, with patented articles \$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt)—
Not over 2 years 15,000
Over 2 years 5,000
School building repairs 10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus 5,000
New buildings—New docks 25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water mains—
Not over 2 years 10,000
Over 2 years 5,000
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
 "North Side News," "Bronx Borough Record," "Westchester Globe."
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
 "Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Newtown Register," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News."
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
 "Staten Islander," "Staten Island World," "Staten Island News and Independent."
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
 "Flatbush Weekly News" (Flatbush District).
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
 "Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District).
 January 6, 1903.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1903.
Borough of Manhattan.

Contract for Supplies.
No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON STEAM-FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.
 The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 10 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 total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.
 Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.
 Dated May 1, 1903. m2,14

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 18, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO MOVE FROM PRESENT POSITION AND RESTORE TO THEIR PRESENT CONDITION AT PLACE DESIGNATED ON THE PLAN THE KITCHEN BUILDING AND MORGUE ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty 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 Secretary of the Department of Health, southwest corner Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNEST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., President;
 ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
 FRANCIS V. GREENE, Board of Health.

Dated May 6, 1903. m7,18

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AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 207, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, May 2, 1903.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Aqueduct Commissioners at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1903.

FOR CUTTING TIMBER AND CLEARING GROUNDS ON THE CROTON RIVER DIVISION OF THE NEW CROTON RESERVOIR.

The security required will be four thousand dollars.

The entire work must be completed on or before October 1, 1904.

The work is authorized by chapter 490, Laws of 1883, State of New York, and the amendments thereto.

The person or persons making a bid or proposal shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title, "Cutting Timber and Clearing Grounds on the Croton River Division of the New Croton Reservoir," for which the bid or proposal is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Aqueduct Commissioners, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or proposals received will be publicly opened by the said Commissioners and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

Each bid or proposal shall contain the name and place and residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and the statement that no officer of the City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in the blank form of bid or proposal mentioned below and furnished by the Commissioners.

The bid or proposal must be verified. Each bid or proposal 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid or proposal mentioned below.

No bid or proposal will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a national or State bank of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, or money to the amount of one thousand dollars. The check must not be inclosed in the envelope with the bid or proposal.

The limits of the grounds to be cleared in the Croton River Division extend from Pine's Bridge to the Putnam County line, at Croton Falls, containing about 2,000 acres.

For particulars as to the approximate quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or proposals upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioners, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon application therefor to the Secretary, at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, where the plans and drawings, which are made parts of the specifications, can be seen.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.
 WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, President.
 HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary. m2-19

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 7401, No. 1. Sewers in Forty-seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues; in Fifty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and in Sixtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues; also an outlet sewer in Seventh avenue, between Forty-seventh and Fifty-first streets.

List 7400, No. 2. Grading lots on the north side of Seventeenth street, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park West.

List 7401, No. 3. Flagging sidewalks south side of Thames street, between Bogart street and Morgan avenue.

List 7402, No. 4. Flagging sidewalk on the west side of Snediker avenue, between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue.

List 7403, No. 5. Flagging sidewalk on the north side of Sutter avenue, between Junius street and Van Sinderen avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from Forty-third street to Fifty-first street; both sides of Forty-third street extending about three hundred and fifty feet west of Seventh avenue; both sides of Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, and Fiftieth streets, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue; north side of Fifty-first street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue; both sides of Fifty-eighth street and both sides of Sixtieth street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue; east side of Sixth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-first street.

No. 2. North side of Seventeenth street, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park West, on Block 890, Lots Nos. 49 and 55.

No. 3. South side of Thames street, between Bogart avenue and Morgan avenue, on Block 190, Lot No. 32.

No. 4. West side of Snediker avenue, between Blake and Dumont avenues, on Block 164, Lot Nos. 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 34, 36, 37 and 45.

No. 5. North side of Sutter avenue, from Junius street to Van Sinderen avenue, on Block 102, Lots Nos. 2 and 3.

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 June 11, 1903, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 May 11, 1903. m11,21

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 MANHATTAN.

List 7175, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Seventh avenue and summit west of Lenox avenue (revised in accordance with the directions of the Board of Revision of Assessments).

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Lenox avenue to Seventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before June 11, 1903, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 May 11, 1903. m11,21

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets, to present their claims in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before May 21, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m., at which time and place the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7442. Ittner place, from Park avenue to Webster avenue.

List 7444. East One Hundred and Forty-first

street, from Cypress avenue to Locust avenue.
 List 7445. East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Washington avenue to Park avenue.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 7440. Ninth avenue, from Two Hundred and First street to Kingsbridge road.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 7450. Meserole street, from Waterbury street to Morgan avenue, and Waterbury street, from Meserole street to Stagg street.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 May 6, 1903. m6-16

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 7446, No. 1. Sewer basin on the southwest corner of Barbey street and Pitkin avenue.

List 7447, No. 2. Sewers in Narrows avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Seventy-first street; in Bay Ridge avenue, between Second and Third avenues, and an outlet sewer in Bay Ridge avenue, between Second and Narrows avenues.

List No. 7448, No. 3. Sewer basin on the west corner of Eighty-fourth street and Twenty-first avenue.

List 7449, No. 4. Sewer in Hart street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues.

List 7450, No. 5. Sewer basin at the easterly corner of Irving avenue and Stanhope street.

List 7451, No. 6. Sewer in North Eighth street, between Union avenue and Havemeyer street.

List 7452, No. 7. Sewer basin at the northwest corner of Winthrop street and Rogers avenue.

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

No. 1. East side of Schenck avenue, extending about one hundred and twenty-five feet south of Pitkin avenue; south side of Pitkin avenue, from Schenck avenue to Barbey street.

No. 2. Both sides of Narrows avenue, from a point about two hundred feet north of Sixty-eighth street to Seventy-first street; both sides of Bay Ridge avenue, from Fourth avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of First avenue, from Sixty-eighth street to Mackay place; both sides of Second avenue, from Sixty-eighth street to Silliman place; both sides of Mackay place, from First avenue to Shore road; both sides of Seventieth street, from Second avenue to Narrows avenue; south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Second avenue to Third avenue.

No. 3. Northwest side of Twenty-first avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street, on Block 695, Lots Nos 2 and 68.

No. 4. Both sides of Hart street, from Irving avenue to Wyckoff avenue; southwest side of Wyckoff avenue, between Hart street and De Kalb avenue; northeast side of Irving avenue, from Hart street to De Kalb avenue.

No. 5. South side of Stanhope street, from Wyckoff avenue to Irving avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of North Eighth street, from Union avenue to Havemeyer street.

No. 7. North side of Winthrop street, from Bedford avenue to Rogers avenue; west side of Rogers avenue and east side of Bedford avenue, from Winthrop street to Hawthorne street.

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 June 4, 1903, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 May 4, 1903. m5,15

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO BUILD AND COMPLETE THE NEW STATION HOUSE PRISON AND STABLE FOR THE SEVENTY-FIFTH PRECINCT, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF FOURTH STREET, 100 FEET WESTERLY FROM VERNON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is two hundred and forty (240) days.

The amount of security required is thirty-five thousand dollars.

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 Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street.

FRANCIS V. GREENE, Police Commissioner.

Dated May 7, 1903. m8,19

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

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.
 CHAS. D. BLATCHFORD,
 Property Clerk.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, No. 16 Smith street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing,

boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquor, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

EDWARD E. DOONAN,
 Deputy Property Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN THIRD AVENUE, BETWEEN SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

253 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

3 manholes.

1,400 feet B. M. foundation planking.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is \$500.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, FROM ALBEMARLE ROAD TO A POINT 250 FEET SOUTH, CONNECTING WITH PRESENT SEWER, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

203 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

2 manholes.

1,200 feet B. M. foundation planking.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required is \$400.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN ST. PAUL'S PLACE, FROM CATON AVENUE TO CHURCH AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

600 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

7 manholes.

2 receiving basins.

3,500 feet B. M. foundation planking.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is \$1,500.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN OLIVE STREET, FROM DEVON STREET TO METROPOLITAN AVENUE, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

490 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

6 manholes.

2,800 feet B. M. foundation planking.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is \$800.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, SOUTH SIDE, FROM REID AVENUE TO EXISTING SEWER WEST OF REID AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

45 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

370 linear feet 9-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

5 manholes.

2,200 feet B. M. foundation planking.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is \$700.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AND APPURTENANCES, TOGETHER WITH THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, AT SURF AVENUE, ALL FOUR CORNERS OF WEST FIFTH STREET; SURF AVENUE, NORTH AND SOUTH SIDES, ABOUT 350 FEET WEST OF WEST FIFTH STREET, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is:

62 sewer basins.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, 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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

Dated May 5, 1903.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,000 LINEAR FEET OF BLUESTONE CURB-STONE AT THE WALLABOUT YARD.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 1, 1903.

The amount of security required is eight hundred dollars (\$800).

The bidder will state the price of each item or class of work contained in the specifications or schedules, per linear foot or other unit of measure. The bids will

President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Department Building.
J. EDW. SWANSTROM, President.
Dated May 5, 1903.

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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, MAY 20, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150 GROSS TONS (2,240 POUNDS) OF THE BEST GRADE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL TO VARIOUS CORPORATION YARDS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before August 1, 1903.

The amount of security required is \$300.

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

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, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.
Dated May 4, 1903. m7,20

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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, MAY 20, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR MAKING REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO CERTAIN ROOMS IN BOROUGH HALL, BROOKLYN, FOR USE OF THE APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT, SECOND DEPARTMENT, AND PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 150 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$20,000. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES:

33,000 pounds No. 1 timothy hay.
4,000 pounds No. 1 rye straw.
1,200 bushels No. 2 white clipped oats.
500 pounds bran (sweet, fresh and clean).
500 pounds corn meal.
40 pounds oil meal.

To be delivered in quantities as required and directed to the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn: At Caisson No. 2, Coney Island, and at North Portland Avenue Repair Yard.

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

The amount of security required is \$500. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, per bushel or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the 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 Assistant Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.
Dated May 1, 1903. m2,20

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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 PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for—

303. Constructing a temporary sewer and appurtenances in Taylor street, from the existing sewer east of Columbus avenue to the Harlem River branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

304. Constructing temporary sewers and appurtenances in Bronx Park avenue, from its southerly to its northerly end, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Lebanon street, Neil estate, Westchester, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on May 25, 1903, at 9 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.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.
Dated May 11, 1903.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, CROTONA PARK, NEW YORK, April 27, 1903.

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION. ON TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1903, AT 10 o'clock a. m., the President of the Borough of The Bronx will sell at public auction through Frank Hochreim, auctioneer, the buildings and parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of—

No. 1. "BASSFORD AVENUE,"

From East One Hundred and Eighty-second Street to Third Avenue.

Parcel No. 1. Picket fence, about 70 linear feet; triangular part of 2-story frame house, 0.4x29.0.

Parcel No. 2. Picket fence, about 24 linear feet.

Parcel No. 3. Picket fence, about 24 linear feet; part of outhouse.

Parcel No. 4. Board fence, about 17 linear feet; part of chicken shed.

Parcel No. 5. Picket fence, about 24 linear feet.

Parcel No. 6. Board and picket fence, about 85 linear feet; smaller part of shed; triangular part of stable, 1.2x38.0x irregular.

Parcel No. 7. Entire 2-story frame house, etc., 17.5x60.0; picket fence, about 75 linear feet.

Parcel No. 8. Entire 2-story frame house, 17.5x60.0; picket fence, about 65.0 linear feet.

Parcel No. 9. Larger part of 2-story frame house, 17.5x60.0x irregular; picket fence, about 25 linear feet.

Parcel No. 10. Smaller part of 2-story frame house, 25.0x4.8x irregular; picket fence, about 8 linear feet.

Parcel No. 11. Picket fence, about 45 linear feet.

Parcel No. 12. Small part of 2-story barn, 1.1x34.2.

Parcel No. 13. Picket fence, about 40 linear feet.

Parcel No. 14. Board fence, about 35 linear feet; small part of 2-story frame house, 1.1x43.4.

Parcel No. 15. Picket fence, about 25 linear feet; steps, etc.

Parcel No. 16. Picket fence, about 18 linear feet; steps, etc.

Parcel No. 17. Picket fence, about 35 linear feet; steps, etc.

Parcel No. 18. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 19. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 20. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 21. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 22. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 23. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 24. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 25. Steps, etc.

Parcel No. 26. Entire barn and stable, 20.7x 14.3; entire glass house, 27.5x11.2; entire chicken house, 7.0x10.0; picket fence, about 60 linear feet.

No. 2. "THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET."

Parcel No. 27. Part of 3-story frame house, 4.88x12.34x10.9.

Catalogues and full particulars of sale can be obtained at the office of the President.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of buildings, parts of buildings, etc., from the street by the purchaser or purchasers within thirty (30) days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President of the Borough of The Bronx. a28,m12

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

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The time allowed for completing the delivery of the above supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety days.

The amount of security required will be ten thousand dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOPCOCKS.

The time allowed for completing the delivery of the above supplies and the performance of the contract is one hundred days.

The amount of security required will be four thousand dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STREET LAMPS, BOULEVARD GLOBES, TOPS AND REFLECTORS, BRIDGE GLOBES, TOPS AND REFLECTORS, MINER LANTERNS AND GLOBES, LAMP POSTS, BRACKETS, FRAMES, CROSSHEADS, FIRE ALARM LANTERNS AND POLICE GLOBES.

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

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

Borough of Queens.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS, BUILDING AND INSTALLING NEW BOILERS AND APPURTENANCES AT PUMPING STATIONS NOS. 1 AND 3, IN THE FIRST WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred days.

The amount of security required will be two thousand dollars.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS, BUILDING AND INSTALLING A NEW BOILER AND APPURTENANCES AT THE PUMPING STATION OF THE TOTTENVILLE WATER WORKS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred days.

The amount of security required will be five 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 ton, stopcock or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract, except for contract No. 3, for street lamps, etc., for which award of contracts will be to the lowest bidder on each separate item. Separate bids must be made for each of the other contracts.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.
Dated May 4, 1903. m6-20

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

SUPREME COURT.

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 CHRISTOPHER STREET, from East New York avenue to New Lots avenue or road, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Christopher street, from East New York avenue to New Lots avenue or road, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Christopher street, from East New York avenue to New Lots avenue or road, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer; George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated the 31st day of December, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 5th day of January, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, m9-20 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 CLEVELAND STREET, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road or avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Cleveland street, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road or avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Cleveland street, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road or avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer; George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated the 17th day of September, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 18th day of September, 1902.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, m9-20 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 RAILROAD AVENUE, from Atlantic avenue to Fairfield avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Railroad avenue, from Atlantic avenue to Fairfield avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Railroad avenue, from Atlantic avenue to Fairfield avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated the 8th day of August, 1902,

which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 11th day of August, 1902.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, m9-20 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PINE STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Pine street, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Pine street, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer; George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated the 2d day of March, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 3d day of March, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, m9-20 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 STARR STREET, from Knickerbocker avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, with the exception of that portion which lies within the lines of the property of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Starr street, from Knickerbocker avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, with the exception of that portion which lies within the lines of the property of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Starr street, from Knickerbocker avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, with the exception of that portion which lies within the lines of the property of the Long Island Railroad as aforesaid, are shown on the map or plan of the City of Brooklyn, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer; George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated the 6th day of March, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 10th day of March, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, m9-20 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 CRESCENT STREET, from Belmont avenue to a line about 190 feet 9 inches south of Blake avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Crescent street, from Belmont avenue to a line about 190 feet 9 inches south of Blake avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Crescent street, from Belmont avenue to a line about 190 feet 9 inches south of Blake avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New

Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated August 21, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 25th day of August, 1902.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of May, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET from Shore road to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our amended 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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 23d day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of May, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the amended abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Shore road where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Seventy-fifth street and Seventy-seventh street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block to the westerly side of Narrows avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Narrows avenue to a point opposite the centre line of the block between Seventy-sixth street and Seventy-seventh street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block between Seventy-sixth street and Seventy-seventh street to the westerly side of Seventh avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Seventh avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-seventh street and Seventy-eighth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Seventy-seventh street and Seventy-eighth street to the westerly side of Narrows avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Narrows avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-ninth street and Seventy-tenth street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the block between Seventy-ninth street and Seventy-tenth street to the easterly side of Shore road; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Shore road to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, May 9, 1903.
ANDREW B. MARTIN, Chairman;
JOSEPH F. McKEON,
BERNARD L. MINTZ,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m9-20

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 SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET from Kouwenhoven lane to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our amended 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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of May, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the amended abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Sixty-seventh street with the northerly line of Kouwenhoven lane; run-

ning thence southwesterly and at right angles to Sixty-seventh street to the centre line of the block between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets; running thence southeasterly through the centre line of the blocks between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets to the northerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue; thence easterly along the northerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue to the easterly side of Sixty-seventh street; thence northwesterly along the easterly side of Sixty-seventh street 162.33 feet; thence northeasterly and at right angles to Sixty-seventh street to the centre line of the block between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets; thence northwesterly and parallel with Sixty-seventh street to a point distant 301.06 feet northwesterly of the northerly line of Ninth avenue; thence southwesterly and parallel with Ninth avenue to the easterly side of Sixty-seventh street; thence northwesterly along the easterly side of Sixty-seventh street to its intersection with the northerly line of Kouwenhoven lane; thence westerly along the northerly line of Kouwenhoven lane to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, May 9, 1903.

WM. H. WHITE, Chairman;
JOHN W. FOX,
EDWIN A. ROCKWELL,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m9-20

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 OAKLAND PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Belmont avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection 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 20th day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of June, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 9th day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; running thence northwesterly along said northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Hughes avenue; thence northeasterly along said last mentioned line to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Mapes avenue; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned 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 I, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 13, 1903.
RICHARD H. MITCHELL, Chairman;
WM. H. RICKETTS,
T. J. CARLETON, Jr.,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m9-27

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 HARRISON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) from Tremont avenue northerly to the first intersecting drainage street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection 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 29th day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of June, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

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

there to remain until the 9th day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street with the easterly line of Macomb's road; running thence northerly along the easterly line of Macomb's road and the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Tremont avenue and Burnside avenue; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks to the westerly line of Grand avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Grand avenue to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence westerly along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street 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 I, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of July, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 9, 1903.
WILBER McBRIDE, Chairman;
PATRICK MACKAY,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m9-27

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 SHERMAN STREET, from the southerly side of Reeves place (formerly Adams street) to the line dividing the land formerly of the Windsor Terrace Land Association from the land late of Thomas Murphy, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Sherman street, from the southerly side of Reeves place, formerly Adams street, to the line dividing the land formerly of the Windsor Terrace Land Association from the land late of Thomas Murphy, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Sherman street from the southerly side of Reeves place, formerly Adams street, to the line dividing the land formerly of the Windsor Terrace Land Association from the land late of Thomas Murphy, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated the 20th day of August, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn on the 21st day of August, 1902.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of May, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BEVERLY ROAD, between Bedford avenue and East Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Beverly road, between Bedford avenue and East Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Beverly road, between Bedford avenue and East Thirty-first street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated the 20th day of August, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn on the 6th day of May, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of May, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from Third avenue to the Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Ninety-sixth street, from Third avenue to the Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Ninety-sixth street from Third avenue to the Shore road, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated the 4th day of April, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn on the 7th day of April, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of May, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 KINGSTON AVENUE from Eastern parkway to Malbone street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Kingston avenue, from Eastern parkway to Malbone street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Kingston avenue from Eastern parkway to Malbone street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated the 4th day of April, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn on the 7th day of April, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of May, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 BROOKLYN AVENUE from Canarsie lane to Paerdegat basin, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Brooklyn avenue, from Canarsie lane to Paerdegat basin, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Brooklyn avenue from Canarsie lane to Paerdegat basin, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated April 4, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 7th day of April, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of May, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 KINGSTON AVENUE from Winthrop street to Malbone street, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Kingston avenue, from Winthrop street to Malbone street, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Kingston avenue from Winthrop street to Malbone street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and dated April 4, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 7th day of April, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from the old City line to the east side of Kouwenhoven lane, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Fifty-fifth street, from the old City line to the east side of Kouwenhoven lane, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Fifty-fifth street from the old City line to the east side of Kouwenhoven lane, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated March 6, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 9th day of March, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 BAY SIXTEENTH STREET, from Bath avenue to Cropsey avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Bay Sixteenth street, from Bath avenue to Cropsey avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Bay Sixteenth street from Bath avenue to Cropsey avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George

J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, and dated December 31, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 5th day of January, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 BAY THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Cropsey avenue, in the Thirty-first Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Bay Thirty-fourth street, from Eighty-sixth street to Cropsey avenue, in the Thirty-first Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Bay Thirty-fourth street, from Eighty-sixth street to Cropsey avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated December 31, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 5th day of January, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 WEST THIRD STREET, from Sheephead Bay road to Canal avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as West Third street, from Sheephead Bay road to Canal avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening West Third street, from Sheephead Bay road to Canal avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated December 31, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 5th day of January, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 ENGERT AVENUE, between Graham avenue and Manhattan avenue, in the Seventeenth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Engert avenue, between Graham avenue and Manhattan avenue, in the Seventeenth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Engert avenue between Graham avenue and Manhattan avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made

by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated August 20, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 31st day of August, 1902.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 DAHLGREEN PLACE, from Eighty-sixth street to the United States Government Reservation, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York on the 25th day of May, 1903, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the 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 appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Dahlgreen place, from Eighty-sixth street to the United States Government Reservation, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Dahlgreen place, from Eighty-sixth street to the United States Government Reservation, as aforesaid, are shown on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the Map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings, made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer in Charge, and dated the 31st day of December, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 5th day of January, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 9th day of May, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
m9-20 No. 166 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by Plymouth street, Adams street, Washington street and Water street; in the block bounded by Adams street, Plymouth street, Pearl street and Water street; in the block bounded by Adams street, Water street, Washington street and Front street, and in the block bounded by Adams street, Water street, Pearl street and Front street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected according to law, with other lands, as a site for the construction and permanent location of a suspension bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, in The City of New York, known as the Manhattan Bridge (Bridge No. 3).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court, Special Term, for the hearing of motions, at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of May, 1903, at the calling of the calendar on that day, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, the fee of which is to be acquired by The City of New York for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, known as Manhattan Bridge. The property proposed to be taken in this proceeding is situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, and is bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL No. 1.

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Water street, which point is forty-seven and fifty-seven hundredths (47.57) feet westerly of the point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Pearl street with the northerly side of Water street, and running thence along the northerly side of Water street north eighty-seven degrees twenty-one minutes and twenty-six seconds west (N. 87° 21' 26" W.) one hundred and fifty-nine (159.00) feet to the easterly side of Adams street; thence along the easterly side of Adams street north two degrees thirty-two minutes and forty-four seconds east (N. 2° 32' 44" E.) two hundred and fifteen hundredths (200.15) feet to the southerly side of Plymouth street; thence along the southerly side of Plymouth street south eighty-seven degrees sixteen minutes and sixteen seconds east (S. 87° 16' 16" E.) sixty-three and thirty hundredths (63.30) feet; thence south twenty-three degrees east (S. 23° 00' 00" E.) two hundred and twenty-one and ninety-three hundredths (221.93) feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL No. 2.

Beginning at the point made by the intersection of the southerly side of Water street with the westerly side of Pearl street, and running thence along Pearl street south two degrees forty-three minutes and forty-nine seconds west (S. 2° 43' 49" W.) two hundred and nine hundredths (200.09) feet to the northerly side of Front street; thence along the northerly side of Front street north eighty-seven degrees twenty-two minutes and thirty-six seconds west (N. 87° 22' 36" W.) two hundred and five and eighty-one hundredths (205.81) feet to the easterly side of Adams street; thence along the easterly side of Adams street north two degrees thirty-two minutes and forty-four seconds east (N. 2° 32' 44" E.) two hundred and seventeen hundredths (200.17) feet to the southerly side of Water street; thence along the southerly side of Water street south eighty-seven degrees twenty-one minutes and twenty-six seconds east (S. 87° 21' 26" E.) two hundred and six and forty-seven hundredths (206.47) feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL No. 3.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Plymouth street with the westerly side of Adams street; and running

thence along the westerly side of Adams street south two degrees thirty-two minutes and forty-four seconds west (S. 2° 32' 44" W.) two hundred and eleven hundredths (200.11) feet to the northerly side of Water street; thence along the northerly side of Water street north eighty-seven degrees twenty-one minutes and twenty-six seconds west (N. 87° 21' 26" W.) seventy (70.00) feet; thence north two degrees thirty-eight minutes and thirty-four seconds east (N. 2° 38' 34" E.) one hundred and sixteen and seventy-seven hundredths (116.77) feet; thence north twenty-three degrees west (N. 23° 00' 00" W.) ninety-two and thirty-two hundredths (92.32) feet to the southerly side of Plymouth street; thence along the southerly side of Plymouth street south eighty-seven degrees twenty-four minutes and fifty-five seconds east (S. 87° 24' 55" E.) one hundred and nine and sixty-one hundredths (109.61) feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL No. 4.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Water street with the westerly side of Adams street; and running thence along the westerly side of Adams street south two degrees thirty-two minutes and forty-four seconds west (S. 2° 32' 44" W.) one hundred and five and twelve hundredths (105.12) feet; thence north twenty-three degrees west (N. 23° 00' 00" W.) one hundred and sixteen and sixty hundredths (116.60) feet to the southerly side of Water street; thence along the southerly side of Water street south eighty-seven degrees twenty-one minutes and twenty-six seconds east (S. 87° 21' 26" E.) fifty and twenty-eight hundredths (50.28) feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon row, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the widening of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Webster avenue and the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Webster avenue and the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue (legally opened at Bronx River road) distant 3.23 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, as legally opened;
1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of said Webster avenue for 3.23 feet;
2d. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, as legally opened, for 280.54 feet to the centre line of the Bronx river;
3d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 58 degrees 5 minutes 37 seconds to the left for 6.43 feet;
4th. Thence northwesterly for 283.75 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue distant 31.03 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street;
1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 8.81 feet;
2d. Thence easterly still along the eastern line of Webster avenue (as legally opened) for 16.33 feet;
3d. Thence northeasterly still along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 5.89 feet to the southern line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, as legally opened;
4th. Thence southeasterly along last mentioned line for 278.05 feet to the centre line of the Bronx river;
5th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 104 degrees 2 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 15.11 feet;
6th. Thence northwesterly for 291.48 feet to the point of beginning.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street is shown on a map entitled "Plan and profile showing change of lines of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Webster avenue to a point 50.284 feet easterly of Second street, and change of grades from Webster avenue to Olinville avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the office of the Register of the County of New York and the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on the 30th day of January, 1903.

The land to be taken for the widening of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street is located in Blocks 3360 and 3390 of Section 12 of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Riverside Drive Extension, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One

Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Broadway to Riverside Drive Extension, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Broadway distant 199.83 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel with said street for 584.35 feet to the easterly line of Riverside Drive Extension;

2d. Thence northerly along said line for 61.54 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to the first course above mentioned to the westerly line of Broadway for 570.65 feet;

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Broadway to Riverside Drive Extension, is shown on a map entitled "Plan and Profile showing the laying out of a new street to be known as West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Broadway to Riverside Drive Extension, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York," and filed in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Corporation Counsel of the City of New York and Register of the County of New York, on or about the 15th day of July, 1902.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Broadway to Riverside Drive Extension, is located in Block 2002 of Section 7 of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14.

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 HAWKSTONE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as Hawkstone street, from Walton avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Walton avenue distant 227.50 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Belmont street;

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Walton avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 306.93 feet to the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse;

3d. Thence northerly along the last mentioned line for 61.87 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 291.83 feet to the point of beginning.

Hawkstone street is shown on Section 9 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for Hawkstone street is located in Blocks 2836, 2837 and 2838 of Section 11 of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14.

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 DAWSON STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Craven street (East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street) to Intervale avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as Dawson street, from Craven street (East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street) to Intervale avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Longwood avenue distant 200 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Kelly street;

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of Longwood avenue for 80 feet;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 560 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (formerly Craven street);

3d. Thence easterly along the last mentioned line for 80 feet;

4th. Thence northerly for 560 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Longwood avenue distant 200 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Kelly street;

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of Longwood avenue for 80 feet;

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 787.23 feet;

3d. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 600 feet radius and tan-

gent to the preceding course for 335.56 feet to the southern line of Dongan street;

4th. Thence easterly along last mentioned line for 3.07 feet to the western line of Intervale avenue;

5th. Thence southerly along last mentioned line on the arc of a circle of 858.68 feet radius for 321.70 feet to a point of reverse curve;

6th. Thence westerly on the arc of a circle of 50 feet radius 104.39 feet;

7th. Thence southerly for 856.84 feet to the point of beginning.

Dawson street is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on Section 3 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York January 18, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, January 19, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on January 20, 1894.

The land to be taken for Dawson street is located in Blocks 2695, 2696, 2697, 2701 and 2702 of Section 10 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETEENTH STREET, from Highwater Mark to Bulkhead Line, in the Eighth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1903, 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 376 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 468 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, May 4, 1903.

JOSE E. PIDGEON,
GEORGE PHILLIPS,
JOHN J. KUHN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. m4-14.

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

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as Harrison avenue, from the first drainage street lying northerly of Tremont avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Burnside avenue distant 20.74 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of the Old Croton Aqueduct;

1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of Burnside avenue for 129.29 feet;

2d. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course the radius of which circle is 25 feet for 40.57 feet;

3d. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 592.33 feet;

4th. Thence southerly deflecting 2 degrees 45 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 504.26 feet;

5th. Thence westerly deflecting 93 degrees 31 minutes 12 seconds to the right for 60.11 feet;

6th. Thence northerly deflecting 86 degrees 28 minutes 48 seconds to the right for 499.12 feet;

7th. Thence northerly deflecting 2 degrees 45 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 590.88 feet;

8th. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 24.60 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 44.39 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street distant 318.13 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Aqueduct avenue;

1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street for 60.88 feet;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 99 degrees 45 minutes 53 seconds to the right for 821.44 feet to the northern line of Burnside avenue;

3d. Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 75.83 feet;

4th. Thence northerly for 819.51 feet to the point of beginning.

Harrison avenue is shown on Sections 15 and 16 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed respectively in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on December 16, 1895, and November 18, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and November 18, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895, and November 20, 1895.

The land to be taken for Harrison avenue is located in Blocks 2868, 2869, 3206 and 3210 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Audubon avenue to Wadsworth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, from Audubon avenue to Wadsworth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue distant 9,514.17 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly line of St. Nicholas avenue, formerly called Eleventh avenue, for 350 feet;

2d. Thence northerly and along said easterly line of St. Nicholas avenue for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to first course to the westerly line of Audubon avenue for 350 feet;

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line of Audubon avenue to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue, formerly Eleventh avenue, distant 9,514.17 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue for 300 feet;

2d. Thence northerly along said easterly line of Wadsworth avenue for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to the first course to the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue for 300 feet;

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, from Audubon avenue to Wadsworth avenue, is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating and laying out of avenues, streets and a public park in that part of the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded by a property line north of West One Hundred and Ninety-third street and Eleventh avenue line 200 feet north of West Ninety-first street and Audubon avenue," prepared by the Board of Public Improvements, under authority of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, dated November 26, 1901, and filed in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Register of the County of New York and Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 18th day of December, 1901.

The land to be taken for said West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, from Audubon avenue to Wadsworth avenue, is located in Section 8, Blocks 2161 and 2169, of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14.

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 COSTER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Hunt's Point road and Edgewater road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as Coster street, between Hunt's Point road and Edgewater road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Spofford avenue distant 200 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Manida street;

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of Spofford avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 622.22 feet to the western line of Hunt's Point road;

3d. Thence northwesterly along last-mentioned line for 132.83 feet;

4th. Thence southerly for 740.73 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Randall avenue distant 200 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Manida street;

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of Randall avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 750 feet to the southern line of Spofford avenue;

3d. Thence westerly along the southern line of Spofford avenue for 60 feet;

4th. Thence southerly for 750 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Randall avenue distant 200 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Manida street;

1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of Randall avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 3,300 feet;

3d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4th. Thence northerly for 3,300 feet to the point of beginning.

Coster street is shown on Sections 4 and 5 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The

City of New York on July 8, 1893, in the office of the Register of The City and County of New York on July 12, 1893, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on July 18, 1893.

The land to be taken for Coster street is located in Blocks 2763, 2764, 2765, 2766, 2768, 2769, 2772, 2774, 2775, 2776, 2777 and 2779, of Section 10 of the Land Maps of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14.

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 BATTERY AVENUE, from One Hundred and Seventh street to Eighty-sixth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our 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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of May, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, of the Law Department, of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 3d day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of One Hundred and Seventh street, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Battery avenue and Seventh avenue; running thence northerly along the centre line of the block between Battery avenue and Seventh avenue to the southerly side of Ninety-second street; running thence northwesterly to the northerly side of Ninety-second street, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Battery avenue and Parrott place; thence northeasterly along said centre line of the block and parallel with Battery avenue to the southerly side of Eighty-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of Eighty-sixth street to the centre line of the block between Battery avenue and Dahlgren place; thence southerly along the centre line of the block between Battery avenue and Dahlgren place to the land of the United States Government Reservation; thence southeasterly to the westerly side of Battery avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Battery avenue to the southerly side of One Hundred and Seventh street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Seventh street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, May 4, 1903.

HORATIO C. KING, Chairman;
GEO. W. PALMER,
ALBERT C. GOODWIN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. m4-20.

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 TERRACE PLACE, from Gravesend avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our 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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of May, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, of the Law Department, of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 3d day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Gravesend avenue distant 210 feet, more or less, from the northerly side of Terrace place; running thence easterly and parallel with Terrace place to the westerly side of Prospect avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Prospect avenue to the northerly side of Seelye street; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Seelye street to the easterly side of Gravesend avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Gravesend avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department,

at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, May 4, 1903.

WILLIAM A. MATHIS, Chairman;
ARTHUR BECKWITH,
SOLON BARBANELL,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands required for the purpose of opening and extending JOHNSON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Spuyten Duyvil road to West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

JAMES R. TORRANCE,
ARTHUR J. MOORE,
F. B. DELEHANTY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

WILBER McBRIDE,
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
ALFORD W. COOLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Arthur avenue to the junction of Crescent avenue and Belmont avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

JULIUS HEIDERMAN,
GEO. E. MORGAN,
CHAS. P. DILLON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the north side of Cromwell's creek to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

HENRY THOMPSON,
ARTHUR MAYER,
JOHN F. BOULLON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for

the purpose of opening and extending the PUBLIC PARK bounded by Bridge street, Tillary street, Jay street and the northerly line of a new street, in the Fourth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 10th day of December, 1902, 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 12th day of December, 1902, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section No. 1, block No. 119, 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 acquiring title to the said public park, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4, of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of acquiring said public park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of May, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 30, 1903.

ANDREW LEMON,
WILLIAM J. BUTTLING,
JOHN MCKEOWN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 opening AUDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of May, 1903, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of May, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 1st day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Broadway; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence continuing northeasterly along a straight line to the point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Broadway with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence continuing northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Ninetieth street; thence northwesterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly line of Kingsbridge road to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Fairview avenue; thence southeasterly, easterly, northeasterly and again southeasterly along said line parallel to Fairview avenue and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Fort George avenue; thence easterly, northeasterly, easterly-southeasterly and southerly following the windings of Fort George avenue along said last mentioned parallel line and southeasterly along a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Amsterdam avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence northwesterly 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan,

in The City of New York, on the 23d day of July, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 14, 1903.

CHARLES HAZEN RUSSELL,
Chairman;
BENJ. OPPENHEIMER,
ANDREW RUEHL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 opening WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Riverdale avenue to Broadway, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

ABRAM L. ELKUS,
HENRY B. STAPLER,
JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MAX Altmayer, Edward Duffy and William J. Carroll, who were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal by an order dated April 28, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part II., to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of May, 1903, at 11 o'clock, to be examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated New York, May 1, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan,
The City of New York.

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 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.

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as College avenue, 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, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A." Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street distant 185.27 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Morris avenue; 1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 60 feet; 2d. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 37 minutes 27 seconds to the right for 312.27 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; 3d. Thence westerly for 60.17 feet along last mentioned line; 4th. Thence northerly for 308.12 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B." Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 298.09 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Morris avenue; 1st. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 96.68 feet; 2d. Thence southerly deflecting 38 degrees 21 minutes 42 seconds to the right for 664.48 feet; 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 36 minutes 43 seconds to the left for 60 feet; 4th. Thence southerly 3 minutes 23 seconds to the left for 438.93 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; 5th. Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 60 feet; 6th. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees 16 minutes 27 seconds to the right for 438.93 feet; 7th. Thence northerly deflecting 2 minutes 58 seconds to the right for 60 feet; 8th. Thence northerly for 741.27 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C." Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 298.09 feet southeasterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Morris avenue; 1st. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 96.68 feet; 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 141 degrees 38 minutes 18 seconds to the left for 2,024.19 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; 3d. Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 60.07 feet;

4th. Thence southerly for 1,951.33 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D." Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street distant 185 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Morris avenue; 1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street for 60 feet; 2d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 412.52 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; 3d. Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 60.07 feet; 4th. Thence northerly for 409.58 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E." Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street distant 185 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Morris avenue; 1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street for 60 feet; 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 410.46 feet; 3d. Thence northerly deflecting 34 degrees 10 minutes to the left for 23.86 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; 4th. Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 40.58 feet; 5th. Thence southerly for 427.09 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "F." Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street distant 185.39 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Morris avenue; 1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street for 6.95 feet; 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 59 degrees 13 minutes 59 seconds to the left for 12.24 feet; 3d. Thence southerly for 10.54 feet to the point of beginning.

College avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on Section 9 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York October 31, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for College avenue is located in Blocks 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, of Section 9, and in Blocks 2783, 2784, 2785, 2786 and 2787, of Section 11, of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Prospect avenue and Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, between Prospect avenue and Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Prospect avenue distant 355 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street;

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Prospect avenue for 60 feet; 2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 304.40 feet to the western line of the Southern Boulevard; 3d. Thence northerly along the last mentioned line for 60.71 feet; 4th. Thence westerly for 295.10 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on Section 12 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on October 31, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street is located in Block 3114 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 opening and extending WOODLAWN ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Bronx Park, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the

provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
WM. H. MCCARTHY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TELLER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 the 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as Teller Avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street distant 222.45 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Clay Avenue;

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 61.91 feet;

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 75 degrees 43 minutes 13 seconds to the left for 347.24 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street;

3d. Thence easterly along last mentioned line for 60.99 feet;

4th. Thence northerly for 351.58 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street distant 209.02 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Clay Avenue;

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 60.01 feet;

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees 56 minutes 33 seconds to the right for 924 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street;

3d. Thence easterly along last mentioned line for 60.34 feet;

4th. Thence southerly for 929.24 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 220.38 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Clay Avenue;

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 62.81 feet;

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 107 degrees 11 minutes 53 seconds to the right for 2,066.61 feet;

3d. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 340 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 156.47 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street;

4th. Thence easterly along the last mentioned line for 60 feet;

5th. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 400 feet radius for 184.08 feet; the centre of said circle lies in the western prolongation of preceding course;

6th. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 2,048.04 feet.

Teller Avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 9 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for Teller Avenue is located in Blocks 2424, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431 and 2432 of Section 9, and Block 2782 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14

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 of A NEW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Richmond Turnpike and Ward Avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, 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 Richmond, 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, May 2, 1903.

GEO. M. PENNEY, Jr.,
JAMES BURKE, Jr.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 opening JESSUP PLACE (formerly Second Avenue) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boscobel Avenue to Marcher Avenue, as the

same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

FRANKLIN BIEN,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
JOSEPH FREEDMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 opening KINGS-BRIDGE ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster Avenue to the Harlem River, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1903.

H. B. CLOSSON,
WM. J. BROWNE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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 NERED AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from White Plains Road to Bronx River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 Courthouse, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 the 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 opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Nered Avenue, from White Plains Road to Bronx River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of White Plains Road distant 3,401.77 feet from the intersection of said line with the northern boundary of The City of New York;

1. Thence southerly along the western line of White Plains Road for 100.52 feet;

2. Thence southerly deflecting 84 degrees 11 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 1,249.92 feet;

3. Thence westerly deflecting 0 degrees 47 minutes 26 seconds to the left for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly deflecting 3 degrees 45 minutes 37 seconds to the left for 328.86 feet;

5. Thence northerly deflecting 131 degrees 45 minutes 33 seconds to the right for 13.71 feet;

6. Thence easterly deflecting 35 degrees 33 minutes to the right for 50 feet.

7. Thence northerly deflecting 35 degrees 36 minutes to the left for 44 feet;

8. Thence northerly deflecting 6 degrees 27 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 56.26 feet;

9. Thence easterly deflecting 54 degrees 45 minutes 7 seconds to the right for 233.90 feet;

10. Thence easterly deflecting 4 degrees 34 minutes 22 seconds to the right for 60.15 feet;

11. Thence easterly for 1,253.23 feet to the point of beginning.

Nered Avenue is shown on a map entitled "Plan and profile, showing the locating and laying out and the grades of Nered Avenue, from the Bronx River to White Plains Road, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, prepared by the Board of Public Improvements under authority of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on October 28, 1901.

The land to be taken for Nered Avenue is located east of the Bronx River.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. m2-14

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Locust Avenue to the East River, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court,

to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1903, 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 opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Street from Locust Avenue to the East River, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Locust Avenue distant 466.70 feet southeasterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.

1. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Locust Avenue for 60 feet;

2. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 443.0 feet to the United States bulkhead line of the East River;

3. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees 13 minutes 5 seconds to the left along said bulkhead line for 60 feet.

4. Thence northwesterly for 442.77 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Street is laid out on Section 2 of final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York June 15, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York June 15, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary for the State of New York June 15, 1894.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Street is located in Block 2595 of Section 10 of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 2, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2-14

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Cypress Avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of May, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of May, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 1st day of June, 1903.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Walnut Avenue with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-third Street; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Willow Avenue and Cypress Avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second Street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between St. Ann's Avenue and Brook Avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Willis Avenue; thence northerly along said southeasterly line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between St. Ann's Avenue and Brook Avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Willow Avenue and Cypress Avenue; thence southwesterly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-third Street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Walnut Avenue; thence southwesterly along said line of Walnut Avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles 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 I., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 7, 1903.

J. A. GOULDEN, Chairman;
HENRY MARKUS,
CORNELIUS J. EARLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from former City line to Ninth Avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1903, 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, May 4, 1903.

JOHN F. ENO,
JOSEPH A. GUIDER,
M. SHALER ALLEN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

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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 ROCHESTER AVENUE, from East New York Avenue to the former City line of the City of Brooklyn, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1903, 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, May 4, 1903.

JAMES GRAHAM,
GEORGE M. JANVRIN,
CHAS. D. PEARSON,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, 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 thereon, 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 the performance of the contract or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City or 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.