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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD HELD ON THURSDAY THE 29TH OF JUNE, 1905, AT No. 320 BROADWAY.

There were present—John H. Starin, Vice-President, presiding; Comptroller Edward M. Grout and Commissioners Woodbury Langdon, Charles Stewart Smith and John Claffin.

Commissioner Morris K. Jesup sent word, asking to be excused on account of absence from the City.

George L. Rives and Albert B. Boardman, counsel; George S. Rice, Chief Engineer, and Alfred Craven, Deputy Chief Engineer, also were present.

The minutes of the 22d of June were read, and it was moved that they be approved.

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

Nays—None.

Carried.

C. B. Stover, representing the East Side Civic Club, appeared before the Board and pointed out that the proposal to construct a Manhattan terminal station of the Williamsburg Bridge, which is pending before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, seems to be in conflict with the plans for additional subway lines hitherto adopted by this Board. The Comptroller explained that the place to make this statement was before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before which body all these matters now are.

Report of the Chief Engineer, as to the matter of improving the condition of the atmosphere of the subway, was read as follows:

NEW YORK, June 19, 1905.

Hon. JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the orders of the Board, I have continued the investigation in reference to the ventilation of the subway.

Arrangements have been made with the operating company to install electric fans at the principal express stations, more particularly at Brooklyn Bridge, Fourteenth street and Forty-second street. These fans, while they will not materially change the air, will act as agitators and give, to some extent, relief during the warmer days.

Provision has already been made to install two large fans in the vicinity of Brooklyn Bridge and Fourteenth street. These large fans will be connected with a duct manhole and will change the air sufficiently to effect a much greater current of air to the station near which they are placed. Later, other fans will be installed and permanent relief will eventually be afforded.

This question of ventilation has been the subject of study by this Department for a number of years, and careful observations have been made on different parts of the subway, as it was foreseen that certain contingencies might arise, and we had anticipated what the conditions would be when the subway was to be in operation. During the winter the average temperature of the tunnel has been about 40 degrees Fahrenheit, but in summer, of course, it is much higher on account of the proximity of the structure to the heated surface of the street.

Since the operation of the road there has been an almost uniform increase in temperature, due to the heat generated by the motors, as the trains increased in number and a larger number of passengers were carried. In the winter time this rise in temperature is not so noticeable, and the problem which now confronts the engineers is to provide some means by which this air can be readily changed at points where the greatest amount of trouble is experienced. This can be done by putting in fans at certain places along the line of the work, and in some cases placing them in the duct manholes which are at frequent intervals along the line of the road. It will, of course, be necessary to take each separate station or section of the subway by itself and evolve a method of proper ventilation. It is not so much a question of the kind of ventilation to be adopted as it is to arrange for the proper location of

the fans, and this method of treatment, to effect the necessary change in the air, will, I think, prove the most economical and feasible.

The running of trains at more frequent intervals may be compared to running, during the busy hours, so many heated stoves through the subway, and if the air is renewed in the manner suggested relief will be afforded.

The odor which is so apparent along the line of the subway, so far as we can ascertain, is due entirely to the oil used for lubricating the moving parts of the trains.

There are times in the operation of the road, even on warm days, when little inconvenience is felt. Last Sunday I went over the whole of the subway, and, although a very warm day, at no station was there discomfort felt from the rise in temperature. The local trains were composed of three cars, while the expresses consisted of five-car trains. On account of the reduction in the number of cars and the lesser number of motors, the heating was appreciably not so great. I emphasize this, because any underground road handling the great number of passengers carried in New York City would experience the same results in this matter of ventilation.

I have been in communication with Mr. E. P. Bryan, Vice-President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, who has agreed to give every assistance toward the installation of these fans, and will proceed with the installation of the larger ones, and arrange for the opening of the surface of certain stations where found desirable.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Chief Engineer.

The Comptroller presented a letter on the same subject, as follows, from John B. McDonald, which was ordered referred to the Chief Engineer for his information:

JOHN B. McDONALD,
No. 32 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1905.

Hon. E. M. GROUT, Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—Agreeable to your request for an opinion as to a practical plan for cooling and clarifying the air in the subway, it seems to me that the simplest plan would be to apply to this problem, some already tested system instead of making new experiments.

You perhaps know that in the Simplon tunnel, through the Alps, recently completed, great difficulty arose owing to high temperatures, and, I am informed, these have been successfully reduced by the simple device of injecting cold water, broken into very fine spray, into the tunnel at various places. Some adaptation of this method might be experimentally made in the New York subways, at very little expense, and the question as to whether it was efficacious could be decided in a very short time.

In my own experience, in the building of the Baltimore tunnel, where this method of cooling the air was crudely applied, the results were very satisfactory.

I herewith send you a sketch that shows a cross-section of the tunnel, with a two-inch pipe through the A braces on the columns and a three-quarter-inch branch to the nozzle. The nozzles can be placed about ten feet apart, and the water distributed by a valve from the station platform, or automatically by the moving trains.

Hoping these suggestions may prove of some advantage to you, I remain,

Very truly yours,
(Signed) JOHN B. McDONALD

A communication from the Secretary of the Department of Health and resolution of that Department were read as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 23, 1905.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Health at its meeting held Thursday, June 22, 1905, requesting the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners to appoint a committee for the purpose of conferring with the President of the Board of Health, relative to the conditions at present existing in the subway operated by the Interborough Railway Company.

It has been suggested that the Chief Engineer of the Rapid Transit Commission be a member of any committee that may be appointed to confer with the President of the Board of Health, who has been authorized by the Board to engage the services of an eminent sanitary engineer to carry on the investigations in connection with this matter on behalf of the Board of Health.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 23, 1905.

At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health held June 22, 1905, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners be requested to appoint a committee to confer with the President of the Board of Health relative to the condition of the air and the sanitary conditions which exist in the subway, operated by the Interborough Railway Company, during seasons of high temperature, with a view to the adoption of means of overcoming same.

A true copy:

(Signed) EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer of this Board be and he hereby is appointed a committee to confer with the President of the Board of Health, relative to the sanitary conditions in the subway, etc.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Claffin.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Communication of the Comptroller, with report to him by the Engineer of his Department as to the tunnel occupied by John Wanamaker under East Ninth street, was presented as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
June 23, 1905.

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

SIR—Inclosed find report of the Engineer of this Department relative to the "Wanamaker tunnel" under the surface of East Ninth street, constructed under a resolution adopted by the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners, at meeting of July 23, 1903.

I would suggest that the matter be presented to the Board for consideration and proper action.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 21, 1905.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Your attention is called to the "Wanamaker tunnel," constructed under the following resolution adopted by the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners at meeting of July 23, 1903 (see page 2240, minutes of Rapid Transit Board):

"Resolved, That the application of the contractor to make an entrance to the private property of John Wanamaker between Eighth street and Tenth street, from the station at Fourth avenue and Eighth street, be granted, together with the right to use the land under Ninth street to a point 36 feet west of Fourth avenue, as a part of such passageway or station, providing the Interborough Rapid Transit Company shall pay for such land used as such passageway at an annual rental, beginning with the opening of the Rapid Transit Railroad for operation, which shall amount each year to the sum of three and one-half (3½) per cent. on the value of such land which shall be deemed to be the same, ratable to area, as the assessed value of the land, without improvements, abutting on the street immediately opposite such passageway, as assessed on the last preceding assessment roll of the City; and upon the further condition that the said Interborough Rapid Transit Company obtain from the said Wanamaker a conveyance to the City of the easement of the land under the private property of the said Wanamaker, described as follows:

"Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Fourth avenue, as now shown upon the map of The City of New York, as altered and amended, with the northerly line of Eighth street; running thence northerly along the said westerly line of Fourth avenue eighty-two feet, be the said distance more or less, to the southerly line of lands belonging to the Trustees of the Sailors' Snug Harbor in The City of New York; thence westerly, along said southerly line, a distance of fifteen feet; thence southerly, seventy-eight feet, be the said distance more or less, to a point on the northerly line of Eighth street, distant twenty-three feet nine and one-fourth inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Eighth street with the westerly line of Fourth avenue, and thence easterly along the northerly line of Eighth street twenty-three feet, nine and one-fourth inches to the point or place of beginning.

"Reserving and excepting therefrom, and subject to, the right of the grantors to enter upon the underground space subjected to the right and easement hereby granted, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining columns for the purpose of supporting a building or buildings to be erected by the grantor or his successors in title above the underground station for the use of which the foregoing easement is granted; and reserving and excepting therefrom the fee of said premises."

—the same to become a part of the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad at this point, and all expenses of the said construction or of the alterations of the plans for the passageway to be borne by the said company or the said Wanamaker."

I would report that the compensation, although fixed by the resolution of the Board, has never been computed. The space occupied by the tunnel or passageway under East Ninth street, between the northerly and southerly house lines of said Ninth street (see accompanying diagram), is 2,215.5 square feet. The assessed valuation (per square foot) of the abutting property, without public improvement, is \$28.

Pursuant to the terms of the resolution, the annual rental, per square foot, for passageway, is 3½ per cent of \$28, or 98 cents, making the annual rental for the tunnel or passageway:

2,215.5 square feet, at 98 cents..... \$2,171 19

The Rapid Transit Railroad began operations on October 27, 1904, and the rental should date from that day.

I would suggest that the matter be brought to the attention of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, and that the Board adopt a resolution establishing the annual rental and fixing upon a date from which the rental should be charged. The Board should also authorize and direct the Comptroller to collect the annual rental from the Railroad Company.

Respectfully,
(Signed) EUGENE E. McLEAN.

The following resolution was moved by the Comptroller:

Resolved, That this Board hereby fixes the annual rental for the tunnel or passageway under East Ninth street, between the northerly and southerly house lines of said street, at \$2,171.19, being in accordance with the resolution of this Board adopted on July 23, 1903 (P. 2240, Minutes), and in accordance with communication of the Comptroller and report of his Engineer, dated the 23d and 21st of June, 1905, respectively, being for 2,215.5 square feet, and in accordance with an assessed valuation per square foot of the abutting property, without public improvement, of \$28, or, at the rate of 3½ per cent. thereon, 98 cents per square foot; and

Resolved, further, That this rental shall date from the day of beginning operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad, to wit, October 27, 1904.

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

Nays—None.
Carried.

Letter of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Water Supply, requesting authority to so alter the roof of the subway at Broadway and Sixty-second street, as to permit of the laying across said street of a 48-inch water main, was read as follows, and referred to the Chief Engineer for report:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
CITY OF NEW YORK, June 26, 1905.

Rapid Transit Commission, No. 320 Broadway, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—This Department proposes to lay a 48-inch main through Sixty-second street, across Broadway, and therefore over the rapid transit tunnel. There is hardly space enough for this main underneath the trolley tracks as they now exist.

I am not familiar with the details of the rapid transit tunnel at that point. Will you kindly advise me whether it will be possible to so alter the top of the rapid transit tunnel as to give us ten inches of additional space from the top of the tunnel to the bottom of the yoke of the trolley tracks, the line being approximately five feet south of the centre of Sixty-second street.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) I. M. DE VARONA, Chief Engineer.

Communication of the Comptroller, with copy of letter to him by Theodore F. Miller, dated the 26th of June, 1905, complaining of the backward condition of the work of restoration of Joralemon street, were presented and referred to the Chief Engineer for report.

Letter of the President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company was read as follows, with report of the Chief Engineer:

INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY,
PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, NO. 23 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, June 14, 1905.

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

DEAR SIR—In view of the probability of your Board adjourning for the summer, I beg to inform you that the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company will be ready to open up and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company will be ready to operate, in connection with the road included in Contract No. 1, that portion of the subway lying south of the Wall Street Station, to and including South Ferry Station, and also that portion of the subway from Lenox avenue, under the Harlem river to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, on or before the 15th of July, and to request that your Board take the necessary steps to authorize the opening and operation of these sections of the Rapid Transit Railroad.

Believe me,

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

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, NO. 320 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1905.

Hon. JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—Mr. August Belmont calls the attention of the Board to the fact that the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company will be ready to open up, and that the Interborough Rapid Transit Company will be ready to operate, in connection with the road included in Contract No. 1, that portion of the subway lying south of the Wall Street Station to and including the South Ferry Station and also that portion of the

subway from Lenox avenue, under the Harlem river to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, on or before the 15th of July. While these portions of the subway are not yet quite completed, they are in such a condition that they can be operated, and the final completion of the work can be carried on at the time of their operation.

By next week these sections will be ready to be opened up and operated, and I recommend that the necessary authority of the Board be granted.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That authority be and the same hereby is given to the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company to open for operation that portion of the Rapid Transit Railroad now under construction, pursuant to contract dated July 21, 1902, lying south of the Wall Street Station and to and including the South Ferry Station, and to begin passenger traffic on said portion of said railroad at such time as the Chief Engineer may report the same to be ready for operation, subject to payment of rental, as provided in said contract, provided, however, that the stations on the said route so opened are to be used solely for railroad purposes and not for the sale of any merchandise or the display of any advertisements.

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

Nays—None.
Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That authority be and the same hereby is given to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to open for operation that portion of the Rapid Transit Railroad now under construction, pursuant to contract dated February 21, 1900, between Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, including the portion under the Harlem river, and to begin passenger traffic on said portion of said railroad at such time as the Chief Engineer may report the same to be ready for operation, subject to payment of rental, as provided in said contract; provided that no advertisements be displayed in the stations thereof until plans for the same be first submitted to and approved by this Board.

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

Nays—None.
Carried.

The following report of the Chief Engineer was read and referred to Counsel for report:

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, NO. 320 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1905.

Hon. JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—On February 4, 1903, an agreement was made with the owners of the Times Building, located at the corner of Broadway and Forty-second street, providing for access to the station from the building, which agreement also included the protection of some columns that might affect the foundations of the building in case of possible derailment of trains passing through the station. I have been in consultation with the architects of the Times Building, and plans to protect these columns have been approved. The work necessary to be done will cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$1,000, and I ask that authority be given to the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company to proceed with this work at once.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Chief Engineer.

Report of the Chief Engineer was presented as follows:

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, NO. 320 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1905.

Hon. JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—A caretaker is needed for the Engineers' and Inspectors' field offices in Battery Park. On account of the tunnel work, a very large amount of dirt collects in these rooms, and it is necessary to have a caretaker sprinkle and sweep the floors and do other necessary work of cleaning and provide the necessary brooms, mops, soap, etc. In Brooklyn we made arrangements with a man to do such work for the rooms engaged there for the men obliged to work in the tunnel, and I should like a similar arrangement made for the offices in Battery Park. We can engage the services of such a caretaker at \$15 per month, and I respectfully recommend that this offer be accepted.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be and he hereby is authorized to contract for the cleaning of the field offices of his staff in Battery Park, in accordance with his report of the 27th of June, at \$15 per month.

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

Nays—None.
Carried.

The Comptroller presented the following joint report of the Principal Assistant Engineer of the Finance Department and of Mr. Rice, on the matter of the condition of the surface in Lenox avenue:

NEW YORK, June 29, 1905.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—We have examined into the question of the amount of work to be done on Sections 8 and 9 of the rapid transit contract, along Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Forty-second streets.

This work has been under construction for a number of years, and that portion of it remaining to be completed is, as stated in the report of Chief Engineer George S. Rice, submitted to Mr. Albert B. Boardman, counsel, under date of June 22, 1905. The surface railway tracks have been undermined by the operation of building the Rapid Transit Railway which lies principally to the west of the tracks on Lenox avenue, and the settlement varies in different parts from one-half inch to several inches, and this settlement has affected the alignment of the railroad.

In our opinion, the restoration of these tracks devolves upon the contractor, as their present condition is clearly attributable to the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad. The specifications are explicit in this matter, and we recommend that the contractor be ordered to immediately replace the tracks and the pavement not restored, in as good a condition as existed at the commencement of the work.

Respectfully yours,
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE,
Chief Engineer, Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.
CHANDLER WITHINGTON,
Principal Assistant Engineer, Department of Finance.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer notify the contractor to immediately replace the tracks and restore the pavement, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, along Lenox avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, and in case of the refusal of the contractor to comply with said order, that the said work be done under the direction of the Chief Engineer, but at the expense of the contractor.

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

Nays—None.
Carried.

The following report of the Chief Engineer and letter to him by the Vice-President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, as to the entrance to the Brooklyn Bridge Station from the Staats-Zeitung Building, were presented and referred to counsel:

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, No. 320 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1905.

Hon. JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President, Rapid Transit Board:

DEAR SIR—At the last meeting of the Board I was ordered to notify the contractor to finish the construction of the Brooklyn Bridge station and to discontinue the opening which had been made to the rathskeller in the Staats Zeitung Building. I have received the inclosed letter from the Vice-President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, in which he states that by virtue of their lease that company is in possession of the premises and that the Rapid Transit Board is without jurisdiction to interfere with the maintenance of the station.

I desire to call the attention of the Board to the fact that on July 23, 1903, the former Chief Engineer of the Board was authorized to make certain arrangements with reference to connecting stations with private property, and under that authorization I find that Mr. Parsons had the connection with the Staats Zeitung Building made.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Chief Engineer.

INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1905.

GEORGE S. RICE, Esq., Chief Engineer, Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of June 20, quoting a resolution adopted at a meeting of your Board, whereby we are directed to finish the construction of the Brooklyn Bridge station in accordance with the plans and specifications thereof.

I am at a loss to understand the meaning of the resolution, as the Brooklyn Bridge station has been finished in precise accordance with the plans and specifications thereof. Kindly refer to the plans approved by Chief Engineer Parsons, showing the opening to the rathskeller.

I am advised by our counsel, by virtue of our lease, this company is in possession of the premises, and that the Rapid Transit Board is without jurisdiction to interfere with the maintenance by it of the entrance into the Staats Zeitung Building or the maintenance of the sign thereon.

Yours truly,
(Signed) E. P. BRYAN, Vice-President.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That this Board hereby makes the following promotions, accepts the following resignation and consents to the following transfers:

Name and Title.	Salary.	To Take Effect.
<i>Promotions.</i>		
William L. Hanavan, Rodman, to Topographical Draughtsman	\$1,200 00	July 1, 1905
John L. Hogan, Rodman, to Topographical Draughtsman	1,200 00	July 1, 1905
<i>Resignation.</i>		
Harry Hollander, Rodman		June 26, 1905
<i>Transfers.</i>		
John A. Gorman, Architectural Draughtsman, to the Borough of Brooklyn		
Walter McGivney, Rodman, to the Borough of The Bronx		
D. F. Driscoll, Axeman, to the Borough of The Bronx		

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

Nays—None.
Carried.

Mr. Rives submitted the following report, which was ordered spread upon the minutes:

No. 32 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, June 28, 1905.

Hon. JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President, Rapid Transit Commission:

DEAR SIR—Some time ago, the Committee on Plans and Contracts of your Board requested counsel to consider the possibility of including in future rapid transit contracts "a provision as to the capitalization of property acquired for right of way, so that on this necessarily large expenditure by the City, the operating company may also pay 4½ per cent., or thereabouts, the percentage required on the cost of construction."

We have deferred an answer to this request because of the pressure of other business and because the matter was not of immediate importance.

The question relates to the interpretation to be put upon certain portions of section 34 of the Rapid Transit Act, which deals with the form of contracts for constructing, equipping and operating rapid transit railways owned by the City. The theory upon which that entire section rests is that the City shall own the whole road absolutely and shall lease it to the same contractor who does the work of construction.

It is evidently intended that, for the most part, every such road shall run through City streets; but provision is also made for cases where the City must buy land in fee, or acquire a right of way, or (as in the case of elevated structures) extinguish easements belonging to abutting owners.

When the railroad is finished and in operation the contractor must pay rent for it. The act does not attempt to fix what the rent shall be. It merely provides that it shall be

"a sum which shall not * * * be less than the annual interest upon the bonds to be issued by said city for the construction of said road as hereinafter provided for, and in addition to said interest, a further sum which shall be equal to a percentage of not less than one per centum upon the whole amount of said bonds."

The act then proceeds to define what bonds are to be considered as "Bonds issued by said City for the construction of said road." This phrase, as we interpret the act, is to include (1) bonds issued to pay for work of construction, (2) bonds issued to pay for lands acquired in fee, (3) bonds issued to pay interest on the two former classes of bonds. The phrase is not to include bonds issued to pay for easements or property, other than land acquired by the City in fee, nor bonds issued to pay interest on such last mentioned bonds.

If therefore the minimum rental permitted by the act is to be exacted, the cost of rights of way must be excluded in calculating the amount of such rent.

We think, however, that the Rapid Transit Commission has the right, in its discretion, to require the payment of a larger rental than that fixed in the act, and that it may add any amount it thinks proper to the percentages above referred to. Such additional rent may be ascertained in any manner and may take any form which the Commission considers proper. Thus the percentage might be increased, and instead of fixing as rent the interest paid by the City plus 1 per cent., the rent might be the interest paid by the City plus 2 per cent., or 3 per cent., or any other percentage. Or, as the City cannot pay (under section 37) more than 3½ per cent. interest on rapid transit bonds, the rent might be fixed at 4½ per cent. or at 5 or 6 per cent. Or the Board might make the contractor pay a fixed sum of money each year in addition to the percentages required by law. Or, again, the Board might provide for payment of a percentage of the contractor's earnings in addition to the required percentages on cost of construction.

In like manner the lease might, in the discretion of the Board, include a requirement that the lessee should pay as a part of his rent a percentage of the cost of easements acquired for right of way, in addition, of course, to the percentages fixed by the act on the other payments by the City.

The language of the act does not, we think, forbid such a provision. After fixing the minimum rent, as stated above, there follows this proviso:

"Provided, that in estimating such annual interest and additional percentage, there shall be deducted from the amount of said bonds the amount thereof issued to pay for rights, terms, easements, privileges or property other than lands acquired in fee."

We think that these words only mean that bonds of the kind referred to shall be excluded in ascertaining the minimum rent permissible. They do not mean that a percentage upon such bonds shall never be included in the rent, if the Board should think it wise to include it.

A practical interpretation in accordance with the foregoing views has already been given by the Board.

In the contract of July 21, 1902, for the construction of the Manhattan-Brooklyn subway, the rent is made to consist of

(1) The interest payable on bonds issued to provide means for construction, including therein bonds issued to pay interest on bonds theretofore issued for all lands acquired in fee, but not bonds issued to pay for other rights, terms, easements or privileges.

(2) One per cent. per annum on the whole amount of the said bonds (with the exceptions above noted), subject to certain deductions in case the contractor earns less than five per cent. during the first ten years.

(3) "A further annual sum which shall be equal to the amount of the annual interest payable by the City upon bonds issued to provide means to pay for rights of way acquired on, under, through or over lands not belonging to the City."

Thus in the Brooklyn contract the rent includes interest (but not a sinking fund payment) on bonds issued for acquiring rights of way.

In our opinion, therefore, the whole question is one which the Board may freely deal with as a matter of sound business judgment, provided only that it does not exact less than the minimum rental required by the act. The effect of charging one rate of rent rather than another might be to encourage or to discourage bidders from using their own money in building; or it might add to the City's revenue, but tend to induce poor service. But all these are things, which, within the limits already indicated, are entrusted to the good judgment of the Rapid Transit Board.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed) G. L. RIVES,
(Signed) BOARDMAN, PLATT & SOLEY.

Counsel reported on the matter of the agreement with the owners of the Evening Post Building, at the southeasterly corner of Broadway and Fulton street, Borough of Manhattan.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the President and Secretary of the Board be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to execute, acknowledge and deliver to the owners of the Evening Post Building, at the southeasterly corner of Broadway and Fulton street (Manhattan), an agreement in such form as may be approved by the Chief Engineer and Counsel to the Board; which agreement shall contain, first, a grant from said owners to the City, for a nominal consideration, of a right or license to place in the wall of the present building, or of any future building to be erected on the same site, steel or iron beams or supports, for the stairway leading from Fulton street to the subway station at that point; and, second, an agreement that the owners may, at their own expense, at any time hereafter, open a door from said building to the station platform, in such location and of such form and character as the Chief Engineer shall prescribe, so long as the said entrance is not used to give access to any saloon or place for the sale of liquors.

Aye—The Vice-President, the Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Claflin.

Nays—None.
Carried.

Mr. Boardman reported progress in the matter of obtaining consents of property owners and said that he would know in a few days whether or not consents to the new routes were to be obtained of a majority in value of the property owners. He also reported that Justice Blanchard had handed down a decision in the matter of the suit to restrain the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from acting on the rapid transit plans on the ground of the unconstitutionality of the act of the Legislature transferring this power to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from the Board of Aldermen, that the act was not unconstitutional and refusing the injunction.

A report was presented by counsel and the Chief Engineer as to method of computing rental, etc., under Contract No. 1, and it was understood that it would be referred to Mr. Hague of the Finance Department, after which it is to be returned to this Board for final action.

The Board then adjourned.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending July 8, 1905.

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

BAROMETER.

DATE.	JULY.	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.	Time.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	2	29.946	29.876	29.86	29.893	29.982	29.982	29.982	29.982	29.982	29.982	29.982	29.982	10 P. M.	29.843	10 P. M.	29.843
Monday,	3	29.870	29.800	29.804	29.901	29.966	29.966	29.966	29.966	29.966	29.966	29.966	29.966	12 P. M.	29.820	4 P. M.	29.820
Tuesday,	4	29.980	29.900	29.900	29.930	29.930	29.930	29.930	29.930	29.930	29.930	29.930	29.930	12 P. M.	29.952	3 A. M.	29.952
Wednesday,	5	30.074	30.040	30.040	30.040	30.074	30.074	30.074	30.074	30.074	30.074	30.074	30.074	7 A. M.	30.000	2 A. M.	30.000
Thursday,	6	30.046	30.026	30.026	30.026	30.046	30.046	30.046	30.046	30.046	30.046	30.046	30.046	9 A. M.	30.010	10 P. M.	30.010
Friday,	7	30.010	29.996	29.996	29.996	30.010	30.010	30.010	30.010	30.010	30.010	30.010	30.010	10 A. M.	29.941	8 P. M.	29.941
Saturday,	8	29.942	29.922	29.922	29.922	29.942	29.942	29.942	29.942	29.942	29.942	29.942	29.942	7 A. M.	29.900	4 P. M.	29.900

Mean for the week..... 29.958 inches.
Maximum " at 7 A. M., July 5..... 30.074 "
Minimum " at 10 P. M., July 2..... 29.818 "
Range "256 inch.

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.	
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Sunday,	2	69	67	72	69	71	71	71	71	74	72	69	66	79	71 P. M.
Monday,	3	72	68	81	74	78	71	72	72	85	6 P. M.	68	66	81	11 A. M.
Tuesday,	4	74	70	82	73	73	70	76	77	84	5 P. M.	71	69	84	12 M.
Wednesday,	5	69	66	79	72	73	71	73	73	81	4 P. M.	71	69	84	2 P. M.
Thursday,	6	72	69	82	74	73	72	75	71	83	4 P. M.	77	74	84	12 M.
Friday,	7	72	69	82	76	74	77	77	73	85	4 P. M.	78	74	84	12 M.
Saturday,	8	75	73	85	81	87	80	83	77	87	1 P. M.	51	47	84	12 M.

Mean for the week..... 75.7 degrees.
Maximum " at 1 P. M., July 8..... 87 "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., July 5..... 67 "
Range " 20 "

WIND.

DATE.	JULY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Sunday,	2	S	SSW	E	56	49	9	114	1/2	0	0	1	8.30 A. M.
Monday,	3	NNE	NE	SSW	28	57	23	102	0	1/2	1/2	1	0 A. M.
Tuesday,	4	W	S	S	32	37	52	121	0	1/2	1/2	1	3.50 P. M.
Wednesday,	5	ENE	S	SE	24	42	33	99	0	0	0	1	12 M.
Thursday,	6	SSE	SSE	SE	30	33	39	102	0	0	0	1	2.30 P. M.
Friday,	7	ESE	SSW	S	15	36	40	91	0	0	0	1	0 4 P. M.
Saturday,	8	ENE	S	SW	9	23	38	70	0	1/2	1/2	1	5.30 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week 705 miles.
Maximum force 1 1/4 pounds.

DATE. JULY.		Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
		FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR. O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday, 2	.635	.668	.745	.682	89	85	45	87	10	10	10	4 A.M. 9 P.M.	8.30 A.M. 11 P.M.	4.30 2.00	.11 .11	..... .....	
Monday, 3	.631	.745	.785	.720	86	70	82	77	3 Cir.	2 Cir.	5 Cir.					
Tuesday, 4	.679	.690	.693	.687	81	64	8	76	7 Cir.	3 Cir.	0	..... .....	..... .....	..... .....	..... .....	..... .....
Wednesday, 5	.599	.690	.731	.673	84	60	90	81	8 Cir.	1 Cir.	10					
Thursday, 6	.608	.758	.771	.732	85	74	05	84	10	0	10	..... .....	..... .....	..... .....	..... .....	..... .....
Friday, 7	.668	.816	.799	.761	85	74	85	81	8 Cir.	4 Cu.	10					
Saturday, 8	.784	1.003	.873	.886	90	83	82	85	10	10	10	3 P.M.	4 P.M.	1.00	.12	.....	

Total amount of water for the week34 inch.
Duration for the week 7 hours, 30 mins.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday,	July 2	Mild, raining.	Calm, hazy.
Monday,	" 3	Warm, hazy.	Warm, pleasant.
Tuesday,	" 4	Warm, pleasant.	Warm, pleasant.
Wednesday,	" 5	Warm, hazy.	Warm, pleasant.
Thursday,	" 6	Close, hazy.	Warm, pleasant breeze.
Friday,	" 7	Close, hazy.	Warm, pleasant.
Saturday,	" 8	Close, fog.	Close, lightning and thunder, 3 p. m.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 1, 1905.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

During the week ending July 1, 1905, twenty-seven orders—thirteen for supplies and fourteen for repairs—were issued by the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Bills aggregating \$9,490.04 were signed and forwarded to the Commissioner for transmission to the Department of Finance for audit and payment.

Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.

Complaint Department.

Mail	6
Office	7
Inspectors	7
Police Department	9
Total	29

Classification and Disposal—

Trees and limbs removed by Incumbrance Bureau	13
Push carts and wagons found, removed on reinspection	2
Miscellaneous removed by Incumbrance Bureau	9
Posts, stumps	1
Total	25

Inspectors' Department.

Complaints made	7
Complaints settled	24
Slips settled	155

Permit Department.

Permits Passed—	
Builders'	35
Cross walk	31
Vaults	2
Vault repairs	5
Cement walk	28
Driveways	11
Corporations, gas, electric, etc.	187
Special permits	170
Total	469

Permits Passed—

Tap water-pipes	95
Repair water connections	103
Sewer connections	91
Sewer connection repairs	18
Total	307

Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—	
Repaying over water connections	\$810 00
Repaying over sewer connections	582 00
Vaults	67 50
Total	\$1,459 50

Bureau of Sewers.

Number of. Amount. Appropriations. Funds.

Moneys Received.			
For sewer permits		\$1,424 00	
Number of permits issued	140		
For new sewer connections	120		
For old sewer connections (repairs) ..	20		
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller ..	6	\$2,201 12	\$11,904 92

Linear feet sewer built, 90 inches to 166 inches	524
Linear feet sewer built, 24 inches to 90 inches	468
Linear feet pipe sewer built	2,816

Total number of feet sewer built

Number of manholes built	19
Number of basins built	3
Number of basins repaired	5
Linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned	37,800
Linear feet of sewers examined	87,350
Number of basins cleaned	383
Number of basins examined	1,216
Manhole heads and covers set	3
Manhole covers put on	6
Number of basin pans set	6
Number gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward	72,296,028
Number gallons sewage pumped, Thirty-first Ward	27,025,960
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward	72,064
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward	22,844
Cellers pumped out	1
Cubic feet dredged	2 000

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

	Foremen.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Horses and Carts.
Sewer repairing and cleaning, Pay-rolls and Supplies	8	2	42	19
Street Improvement Fund			2	
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works			11	
Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works	2		13	

Bureau of Highways—Division of Street Repairs.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements.

Mechanics	53
Laborers	97
Horses and wagons	21
Foremen	20
Horses and carts	27
Teams	12

Work Done by Connection Gangs.

Water and sewer connections repaired	100
Gas connections repaired	25
Dangerous holes repaired and made safe	128
Complaints received	58
Defects remedied	87

Work Done by Repair Gangs.

	Square Yards.
Greenpoint avenue, between Jewell and Bridge streets, granite	1,159
Johnson avenue, between Stewart and Flushing avenues, cobbles	1,650
St. Nicholas avenue, between Stockholm and Suydam streets, belgian	36
Meeker avenue, between Van Dam and Varick avenue, granite	105
Snediker avenue, between Liberty and Atlantic avenues, belgian	553
Ashford street, between Liberty and Atlantic avenues, belgian	105
Linwood street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, belgian	886
Marcy avenue and Pulaski street, cobbles	95
Marcy and DeKalb avenues, cobbles	50
South Elliott place and Lafayette avenue, belgian	15
Nevins street, between Dean street and Atlantic avenue, brick	83
Nassau street, between Hudson avenue and Jay street, granite	444
Talman street, between High and Charles streets, granite	420
Prince street, between Fleet street and Myrtle avenue, cobbles	461
Ten Eyck street, between Leonard and Humboldt streets, cobbles	28
Troutman street, between Evergreen and Central avenues, cobbles	23
South Eleventh street, between Kent avenue and Berry street, cobbles	35
Washington avenue, between Fulton street and Myrtle avenue, granite	140
Repaired by connection gangs	856
Miles street sprinkled	491.4
Total number of square yards of pavement repaired	7,150
Linear feet of curbing reset	135
Linear feet of gutter reset	222
Square feet of bridging relaid	544
Square feet of flagging relaid	5,163
Square feet of cement walk	2,695

Force Employed on Macadam and Unimproved Roadways.

Steam rollers	3
Mechanics	4
Foremen	10
Laborers	65
Horses and wagons	9
Teams	13
Sprinklers	19
Horses and carts	27

Macadam roadway cleaned, linear feet	33,358
Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned, linear feet	13,500
Gutter cleaned, linear feet	88,416
Sidewalks cleaned, linear feet	7,180

Repairs Made to Macadam Roadways.

	Square Yards.
West Third street, between Railroad and Sea Breeze avenues	1,818
Sixtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues	2,007
Second avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets	876

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Week Ending July 1, 1905.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$938,200)	76
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$306,900)	75

Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$129,935).....	78
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$9,840).....	116
Plumbing slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$3,000).....	14
Bay-window permits issued (estimated cost, \$12,860).....	34
Unsafe cases filed.....	19
Violation cases filed.....	93
Unsafe notices issued.....	19
Violation notices issued.....	93
Complaints received.....	22

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for Corresponding Week Ending July 2, 1904.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$762,000).....	82
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$70,485).....	23
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$35,300).....	62

Respectfully submitted,
MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President, Borough of Brooklyn.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 8, 1905.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

During the week ending July 8, 1905, fifty-one orders—thirty for supplies and twenty-one for repairs—were issued by the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Bills aggregating \$1,223.22 were signed and forwarded to the Department of Finance for audit and payment.

Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.

Complaint Department.

Bureau of Complaints.....	1
Mail.....	7
Office.....	10
Inspectors.....	1
Police Department.....	2
Total.....	21

Classification and Disposal.

Slot machines removed.....	1
Trees and limbs removed by Incumbrance Bureau.....	12
Coal box and tool-house found, removed.....	1
Miscellaneous removed by Incumbrance Bureau.....	16
Total.....	30

Inspectors' Department.

Complaints made.....	1
Complaints settled.....	18
Slips settled.....	142

Permit Department.

Permits Passed—	
Builders'.....	38
Cross walk.....	37
Vaults.....	2
Vault repairs.....	1
Cement walks.....	27
Driveways.....	3
Corporations, gas, electric, etc.....	147
Special permits issued.....	117
Total.....	372

Permits Passed—	
Tap water-pipes.....	115
Repair water connections.....	85
Sewer connections.....	119
Sewer connection repairs.....	29
Total.....	348

Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—	
Repaving over water connections.....	\$679 00
Repaving over sewer connections.....	262 00
Vaults.....	26 60
Total.....	\$967 60

July 10, 1905.

Bureau of Sewers.
Superintendent's Office, Borough of Brooklyn.

Number of. Amount. Appropriations. Funds.

Moneys Received.			
For sewer permits.....		\$910 05	
Number of permits issued.....	108		
For new sewer connections.....	80		
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	28		
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller.....	4	\$20,000 48	\$4,624 14

Linear feet sewer built, 90 inches to 166 inches.....	195
Linear feet sewer built, 24 inches to 90 inches.....	521
Linear feet pipe sewer built.....	4,408

Total number of feet sewer built..... 5,124

Number of manholes built.....	20
Number of basins repaired.....	11
Linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned.....	36,000
Linear feet of sewers examined.....	47,220
Number of basins cleaned.....	335
Number of basins examined.....	958
Manhole heads and covers set.....	4
Manhole covers put on.....	2
Number of basin pans set.....	8
Number gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	70,125,880
Number gallons sewage pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	72,264
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	26,712,392
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	22,844

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

	Inspectors of Construction.	Foremen.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Horses and Carts.
Sewer repairing and cleaning, Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	..	8	2	49	19
Street Improvement Fund.....	42	..	..	2	..
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	..	..	..	11	..
Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works.....	..	2	..	13	..

Appointed—Seven Laborers and three Inspectors of Construction.

Bureau of Highways—Division of Street Repairs.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements.

Mechanics.....	45
Laborers.....	83
Horses and wagons.....	20
Horses and carts.....	24
Teams.....	11

Work Done by Connection Gangs.

Water and sewer connections repaired.....	52
Gas connections repaired.....	20
Dangerous holes repaired and made safe.....	71
Complaints received.....	45
Defects remedied.....	41

Work Done by Repair Gangs.

	Square Yards.
Nassau street, between Pearl and Bridge streets, granite.....	867
Meeker avenue, Vandam street to Varick avenue, granite.....	71
Greenpoint avenue, between Jewell and Bridge streets, granite.....	892
Washington avenue, between Greene and Atlantic avenues, granite.....	44
Fulton street and Classon avenue, granite.....	18
Flushing avenue, between East and Market streets, granite.....	20
North Seventh street, between Wythe and Metropolitan avenues, granite.....	29
Smith street, between Bay and Sigourney streets, granite.....	71
Hamilton Avenue Bridge, granite.....	73
Linwood street, between Fulton and Liberty streets, belgian.....	734
Snediker and Atlantic avenues, intersection of, belgian.....	74
Sackman street, between Livonia and Sutter avenues, belgian.....	176
Ashford street, between Liberty and Atlantic avenues, belgian.....	35
Scheneck street, between Jamaica and Arlington avenues, belgian.....	95
Johnson avenue, between Gardner and Flushing avenues, cobbles.....	1,200
Eldert street, between Hamburg and Evergreen avenues, cobbles.....	172
St. Charles street, between Degraw street and St. John's place, cobbles.....	60
Jefferson street and Hamburg avenue, cobbles.....	60
Prince street, between Concord street and Myrtle avenue, cobbles.....	408
Washouts—	
First avenue and Seventy-second street.....	
Stillwell avenue and Seventy-eighth street.....	
Fifteenth avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-ninth streets.....	
Eighty-first street, near Stillwell avenue.....	
Total number of square yards of pavement repaired.....	5,746
Linear feet of curbing reset.....	473
Linear feet of gutter reset.....	125
Square feet of bridging relaid.....	128
Square feet of flagging relaid.....	3,409
Square feet of cement walk laid.....	2,542

Force Employed on Macadam and Unimproved Roadways.

Steam rollers.....	3
Mechanics.....	4
Laborers.....	59
Horses and wagons.....	8
Teams.....	12
Foremen.....	9
Sprinklers.....	17
Horses and carts.....	23
Macadam roadway cleaned, linear feet.....	20,950
Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned, linear feet.....	12,440
Gutter cleaned, linear feet.....	70,780

Repairs Made to Macadam Roadways.

	Square Yards.
Emmons avenue, between Ocean avenue and railroad tracks.....	275
Voorhees avenue, between Shore road and East Twenty-third street.....	410
Ocean and Voorhees avenues, intersection of.....	140
East Twenty-third street, between Emmons and Jerome avenues.....	280
Sixtieth street, between Fourth and Seventh avenues.....	2,085
Sixty-seventh street, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth avenues.....	1,400
Miles of street sprinkled.....	341.8

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Week Ending July 8, 1905.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$1,071,950).....	109
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$254,645).....	65
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$805,959).....	60
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$10,507).....	109
Plumbing slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$3,500).....	14
Bay-window permits issued (estimated cost, \$10,580).....	26
Unsafe violation cases filed.....	8
Violation cases filed.....	61
Unsafe violation notices issued.....	8
Violation notices issued.....	61
Complaints received.....	18

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for Corresponding Week Ending July 9, 1904.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$701,600).....	57
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$134,085).....	44
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$32,445).....	59

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President, Borough of Brooklyn.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

RECORD OF TRANSACTIONS, JUNE 19 TO 25, 1905.

Communications Received.

From the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Secretary transmits certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board, which reads as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of Section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000), for the purpose of providing means for constructing, improving, permanently bettering and equipping buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by chapter 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 16, 1905.

(Signed) J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

From the Finance Department—Returning proposal of Charles F. Matlage for supplies, with approval of the sureties. Awards to be made and contracts drawn.

From Civil Service Commission—In regard to notice sent to W. C. Hall, on Civil Service list, for Stationary Engineman. Copy of letter of August 31, 1904, signed by Mr. Hall, sent to Civil Service Commission.

From Fire Department—Transmitting consent, in triplicate, for transfer of James Cooney, Keeper to the Fire Department as Watchman, for signature of Commissioner of Correction. Consent signed and returned to Fire Department.

From Department of Public Charities—Asking for a detail of men to unload flour at the Bakery Dock, on Blackwell's Island. Request granted. Attended to by telephone.

From Commissioner of Public Parks, Brooklyn—Declining to accept broken stone tendered, without charge, as it is not thought suitable for use of the Department of Parks. On file.

From United States Marshal Henkel—Asking that bill for board of U. S. prisoners at the City Prison be sent in not later than 3 p. m., on June 30, 1905. Copy of letter sent to Warden of City Prison, who will comply with request of the Marshal.

From United States Local Inspector of Steamboats—Stating that boiler for "Minnahanonck" may be built as per data given, provided it is done in accordance with rules, etc. On file.

From J. W. Sullivan, No. 384 South Street—Requesting, under date of June 8, 1905, an extension of ten (10) days' time for completion of his contract for repairs to steamer "Massasoit." Request granted.

From A. L. Martin, Counselor at Law—Inclosing copy of order continuing lien on certain work done by contractors at City Prison, said lien having been placed by his client, P. G. Smack. File with General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting that meats, fish, bread, milk, etc., for week ending June 17, 1905, agreed with specifications of the contracts. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reports, census, labor, etc., for week ending June 17, 1905. On file.

From Department Inspector—Recommending that single boiler now at the Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, be sent to Hart's Island for use in new laundry building. Recommendation approved. Mr. Lippe, architect, to include this work in plans now being made.

From Department Inspector—Stating that repairs on the "Massasoit" have been completed and that boat is now in first-class condition, with excellent fire equipment, etc. On file.

From Department Inspector—Reports of inspection of work now being done by contract at several institutions of the Department. On file.

From City Prison—Fines received during week ending June 17, 1905:

From Court of Special Sessions.....	\$25.00
From City Magistrates' Court.....	56.00
Total.....	<u>\$81.00</u>

On file.

From District Prisons—Fines received, week ending June 17, 1905:

From City Magistrates' Courts.....	<u>\$485.00</u>
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On file.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending June 17, 1905: Men, 18; women, 2. On file.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Warden transmits certificate of Prison Physician in cases of Andrew Finn and Frederick Meyer, two prisoners suspected of insanity, and asks that the Corporation Counsel be requested to take steps to have Examiners in Lunacy appointed to inquire into the mental condition of these prisoners. Papers forwarded to the Corporation Counsel, with request that examiners be appointed.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Report of fines paid at the Workhouse during week ending June 17, 1905, amounted to \$177. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Deaths at Workhouse: On June 19, 1905, Frederick Harding, aged 40 years. Friends notified. On June 21, 1905, Michael A. Lopez, aged 25 years. Friends unknown.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Asking that gas main connection be made to new laundry building, and that meter be put in. Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity asked to have this work done.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Head Keeper reports accident to Charles Granville, Helper; fracture of wrist. On file.

From City Cemetery, Hart's Island—List of interments during week ending June 17, 1905. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—List of prisoners received week ending June 17, 1905: Men, 25; women, 7. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Prisoners to be discharged, June 19 to 24, 1905: Men, 22; women, 4. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Reports, census, labor, supplies, etc., for week ending June 17, 1905. On file.

Contract Awarded.

Ordered, That the proposal of June 6, 1905, of Charles F. Matlage, No. 335 Greenwich street, for—

400 bushels dried beans, at \$1.68 per bushel;
100 quintals codfish, at \$4.98 per quintal;
10 dozen canned salmon, at \$1.1248 per dozen;
50 dozen canned tomatoes, at \$0.7248 per dozen;
1 800 pounds cheese, at \$0.0948 per pound;
88 barrels sal soda, 375 pounds to the barrel, at \$0.6182 per 100 pounds.
Total, \$1,625.73.
Bond, \$815.
Sureties: Harry Behrman, Louis Matlage.

—be accepted, the same being the lowest bid, the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller, etc.

Proposal Accepted.

John Hankin & Bro.—To replace tubes and stud bolts for upright quarry boiler at Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island; also new tube and rivet in mud ring of laundry boiler, work and materials to be the best, for \$197. Accepted, the same being the lowest bid received.

Communication Transmitted.

To Warden of Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Inclosing copy of Senate Bill 1181 (Chapter 638, Laws of 1905), which took effect June 1, 1905, in regard to persons committed under the Accumulative Sentence Law, who must now be under the "Bertillon System." Warden instructed to make requisition for books, photographic materials, etc., in order that the requirements of the law may be carried out.

Appointed.

Michael J. O'Connell, Orderly at Storehouse, Blackwell's Island, at \$240 per annum, to date from June 21, 1905. (Departmental examination.)

Transferred.

James J. Burns, Stoker, at \$912 per annum, from City Prison to Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.

Michael Broderick, Stoker, at \$912 per annum, from Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, to City Prison.

Salaries unchanged. Action in each case to date from July 1, 1905.

Resigned.

Thomas J. Kilcullen, Keeper, at \$800, Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, to date from July 8, 1905. (Action dismissing Keeper Kilcullen rescinded, and resignation accepted in lieu thereof.)

Died.

Charles G. Hallerstein, Helper at Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, on June 18, 1905.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, JUNE 26 TO JULY 2, 1905.

Communications Received.

From the Board of Aldermen—Transmitting copy of an Ordinance, which reads as follows:

"AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) for the purpose of providing means for constructing, improving, permanently bettering and equipping buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction.

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

"Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 16, 1905, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified.

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000), for the purpose of providing means for constructing, improving, permanently bettering and equipping buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

"Unanimously adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 20, 1905, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

"Approved by the Mayor, June 27, 1905.

"(Signed)

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk."

Acknowledged.

From the Board of Aldermen—Transmitting copy of a resolution, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one thousand four hundred and forty-nine dollars (\$1,449), the proceeds whereof shall be applied by the Commissioner of Correction to remove fifteen Keystone electrical instruments at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, and to replace them with fifteen of a different make; and further, that the Commissioner of Correction be authorized to enter into contract, without public letting, for the replacing of said instruments, the change therefor being made necessary by injunction of the United States Supreme Court.

"Adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 20, 1905, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

"Approved by the Mayor, June 27, 1905.

"(Signed)

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk."

From the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Transmitting copy of a resolution adopted on June 23, 1905, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the positions of Secretary of the Board of Parole, Overseer of the Reformatory and Special Parole Officer, and fixing salaries of said positions. The Civil Service Commission requested to place the above-named positions in the exempt class.

From Civil Service Commission—Calling attention to Rule XV. in regard to keeping records of employees, showing credits and discredits of each. Promotion examinations will not be held unless this rule is complied with. Heads of institutions of this Department requested to comply with instructions of the Civil Service Commission.

From Finance Department—Returning proposal of William Horne Company for boilers, Second District Prison, for substitution of sureties. Substitution approved.

From Finance Department—Returning above proposal, with approval of sureties. Award to be made and contracts drawn.

From Finance Department—Returning two vouchers in favor of John F. Walsh, Jr., aggregating \$703, and asking if work on "The Bronx," mentioned in said vouchers embraces all the necessary repairs required by this boat, or if additional work will be needed. Repairs were entirely completed up to June 21. Since that date an accident has occurred, which will require further work to be done. For this work estimates have been asked.

From Finance Department—Stating that during the present year purchase of horse hair has amounted to the sum of nearly five hundred dollars, and asking why same has not been bought on contract. The price of last hair bought on contract was 54 cents per pound. The price of this last hair, bought from J. F. Herbert, was 53½ cents per pound. This was an emergency call (beds being needed at once by a City department), and it was bought in the open market to avoid delay of advertising, etc.

From Supervisor of the City Record—Calling attention to request for list of officers and employees of the Department for publication, and inclosing blanks for such list. Blanks transmitted to heads of institutions with instructions that they comply with the law.

From Department of Public Charities—Asking for a detail of men (prisoners) to unload flour at the Bakery Dock, Blackwell's Island. Request granted. Arranged by telephone.

From Attorney, "People's Security Company"—Transmitting demand of Marine Engineers of Department for "the prevailing rate of wages." Wages of Daniel Cavanagh and William M. Hatch fixed at \$4.10 per diem. Wages of O. R. Todd and Darius Gallagher at \$2.70 per diem in each case "for each day actually employed." (Above action rescinded July 1, 1905.)

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting that meats, bread, milk, fish, etc., for week ending June 24, 1905, agreed with specifications of the contracts. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reports, census, labor, punishments, etc., for week ending June 24, 1905. On file.

From City Prison—Report of fines received during week ending June 24, 1905:

From Court of Special Sessions.....	\$35 00
From City Magistrates' Court.....	40 00
Total.....	<u>\$75 00</u>

On file.

From District Prisons—Fines received during week ending June 24, 1905:

From City Magistrates' Courts.....	<u>\$509 00</u>
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On file.

From District Prisons—Reporting that plumber was called in to make emergency repairs at Third District Prison, as a bad leak in pipes was discovered. On file.

From District Prisons—Transmitting annual per capita report and abstract of ledger for 1904. On file.

From District Prisons—Department Inspector reports that boiler feed pump at Second District Prison has been in use about twenty-seven years and is not worth repairing. New feed pump was not included in contract for boilers, but enough money is on hand for new pump. Bid to be asked for from contractor for boilers.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending June 24, 1905: men, 19; women, 1. On file.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Department Inspector reports that "Key-stone" electrical instruments have been removed, and plant is again in operation. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Fines paid at Workhouse during week ending June 24, 1905, amounted to \$188. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Warden asks that leave of absence of Frank Degnan, "a faithful helper," be extended for one month, as he is still ill. Granted.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Death of June 29, 1905, of Israel Starkind, aged 62 years. Friends notified. On file.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—List of interments in City Cemetery during week ending June 24, 1905. On file.

From Jacob Oberle, contractor—Asking for passes for four (4) mechanics, who will work on his contract on Hart's Island. Passes furnished. Head Keeper instructed to furnish board for these men, as per specifications of contract.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Prisoners received week ending June 24, 1905: men, 55; women, 1. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Prisoners to be discharged June 21 to July 1, 1905: men, 45; women, 1. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Reports, census, labor, supplies, etc., for week ending June 24, 1905. On file.

Communications Transmitted.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Acknowledging receipt of letter from that Board, also a copy of communication from J. J. Waters, relative to salaries paid to Marine Engineers in the Department of Correction. This Department desires to increase these salaries as requested, and asks for \$950 additional to the salary appropriation for the current year in order to be able to make such increase.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Requesting an additional appropriation of \$5,000 for salaries, etc., for the remainder of the year 1905, in order that the provisions of Senate bill 1181 (chapter of the Laws of 1905) may be carried out. This law requires the application of the "Bertillon System" of measurement and identification to be applied to Workhouse prisoners; \$1,850 of above amount will be needed for supplies and \$3,150 for salaries.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Requesting permission to increase the salaries of four (4) Matrons in the Department, who are now receiving salaries ranging from \$450 to \$500 to \$700 per annum.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Inclosing copy of letter from General Bookkeeper and Auditor explaining state of Department resources for the current year. It will be almost impossible to successfully carry on the institutions with the amount available for the purchase of supplies. The Commissioner, therefore, asks for \$22,000 additional, to be obtained from the sale of Revenue Bonds.

To Civil Service Commission—List of appointments made during the month of June, 1905, after departmental examinations.

Contract Awarded.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposal of June 15, 1905, of William Horne Company, No. 245 West Twenty-sixth street, for two (2) horizontal tubular boilers for Second District Prison for \$1,973, the same being the lowest bid; the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Bond, \$1,000.

Surety: The Title Guaranty and Trust Company of Scranton, Pa.

Proposals Accepted.

Of P. J. Carlin & Co., to build and connect cesspool for yard drain at entrance to bridge at City Prison, as directed by the Department Inspector, including cutting of walls and repairing of asphalt, for \$100.

Of William Horne Company, to furnish and connect one (1) 6 by 4 by 6 pump, with automatic tank valve attached; also one steam separator to elevator engine, with steam trap, and connect same to blow-off tank, all for \$285.

Proposals of June 27, 1905.

R. H. Macy & Co., Thirty-fifth Street and Broadway—
Hardware, water coolers, crockery, ammonia, etc. \$18.12

Leon Hirsh, No. 368 Greenwich Street—
Sal ammoniac for batteries. \$13.90

John Wanamaker, Ninth Street and Fourth Avenue—
Hardware, shoe thread, soap, oil cloth, etc. \$32.93

Ogden & Wallace, No. 577 Greenwich Street—
Hoop and round iron. \$17.84

J. W. Buckley, No. 69 Warren Street—
Washers and gaskets. \$1.75

F. T. Witte Hardware Co., No. 107 Chambers Street—
Hardware, wire netting, plated spoons, etc. \$52.40

Thomas C. Dunham, No. 68 Murray Street—
Glass, ultra-marine, enamel, brushes, etc. \$43.76

Oscar Schlegel Manufacturing Company, No. 182 Grand Street—
Cement, paints, gold leaf, machine oil, cotton waste, white zinc, etc. \$56.72

Edward G. Shepard, No. 10 Chambers Street—
Hardware, steam fittings, electric batteries, curled hair, fire hose, etc. \$584.97

William T. Smith, No. 149 Church Street—
Brass chain, cotton rags, hardware, harness, wire, etc. \$121.64

Charles H. Heinsohn, Eighteenth Street and Avenue A—
Lumber. \$329.95

Accepted, the same being the lowest bids.

Appointed.

Charles Barnett, Keeper, at \$800 per annum, at City Prison, to date from July 1, 1905. Certified by Civil Service Commission, June 21, 1905.

John Murphy, Keeper, at \$800, at Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, to date from July 1, 1905. Certified by Civil Service Commission, June 21, 1905.

John M. Baltimore, Stationary Engineman at City Prison, at \$3.50 per diem, to date from July 1, 1905. Certified by Civil Service Commission, June 12, 1905.

Timothy W. Saunders, Hospital Helper, at Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island, at \$480 per annum, to date from July 1, 1905. Departmental examination.

Resigned.

Daniel W. Elmore, Keeper, at \$800, at City Prison, to take effect July 1, 1905.

Timothy W. Saunders, Orderly, at \$240 per annum, to date from June 30, 1905.

Salaries Increased.

Order of June 26, fixing salaries of the following Marine Engineers, is hereby rescinded, and such salaries are fixed at the rates set opposite their respective names, to date from July 1, 1905:

	Per annum.
William M. Hatch.....	\$1,500
Daniel Cavanagh	1,500
Orville R. Todd.....	1,350
Darius F. Gallagher.....	1,350

Transferred.

Peter Nealis, Keeper, at \$1,000 per annum, from Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island, to Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island.

John Butler, Keeper, at \$800 per annum, from Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, to Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island.

Action in both above transfers to date from July 1, 1905. Salaries unchanged.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

New York City, July 13, 1905.

I herewith submit a report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Richmond, for the week ending July 8th, 1905:

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$13,975).....	5
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$7,017).....	16
Plans filed for plumbing (estimated cost, \$535).....	4
Violations of the law reported.....	2
Violation notices issued.....	2
Permit to demolish building issued.....	1
Construction inspections made.....	164
Plumbing and drainage inspections made.....	59
Fire escape inspections made.....	4
Iron and steel inspections made.....	55
Unsafe building inspections made.....	2
Petitions for modification of the law received.....	4
Letters sent out (including action on plans).....	29

JOHN SEATON,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Richmond.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

New York, July 10, 1905.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the week ending July 5, 1905:

Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring and repaving pavement (general account).....	\$1,688 96
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	75
For vault permits.....	5,744 41
For shed permits.....	95 00
For sewer connections.....	900 38
For bay window permits.....	642 62
For ornamental projection permits.....	17 44

Total..... \$9,389 56

Permits to open streets to make sewer connections.....	73
Permits to place building material on streets.....	119
Permits to construct street vaults.....	7
Permits to construct sheds.....	19
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	26
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections.....	219
Permits for railway construction and repairs.....	3
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	72
Permits for sewer connections.....	33
Permits for sewer repairs.....	18
Permits for bay windows.....	19
Permits for ornamental projections.....	2

Total..... 610

Obstructions Removed.

Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues..... 5

Repairs to Pavement.

Square yards of pavement repaired..... 5,526

Repairs to Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer built.....	248
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	11,837
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	3,507
Basins cleaned.....	241
Basins examined.....	10

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$43,288 00

Statement of Laboring Force Employed During the Week Ending July 1, 1905.

	Bath					
	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Carts.	Attendants.	Cleaners.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.....	257	209	5	103	..	..
Boulevards, roads and avenues (maintenance of).....	10	75	24	14	..	..
Roads, streets and avenues.....	..	32	12	9	..	..
Sewers, maintenance, cleaning, etc.....	90	93	10	48	..	1
Cleaning public buildings, baths, etc.....	130	56	..	31	128	236
Total.....	487	465	51	205	128	237

Changes in Working Force for Week Ending July 1, 1905.

Bureau of Sewers—

1 Laborer increased from \$2 to \$2.25.

1 Laborer increased from \$2.25 to \$2.50.

Bureau of Highways—
 1 Paver reinstated.
 1 Paver transferred from Department of Docks.
 1 Paver deceased.
 1 Laborer deceased.
 1 Cartman removed.
 1 Cartman appointed.
 2 Rammers appointed.
 1 Foreman transferred to Department of Docks.
 Office of Borough President—
 1 Stenographer and Typewriter (female) resigned.
 Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—
 8 Cleaners (female) appointed.
 1 Foreman reinstated.
 39 Bath Attendants (male) appointed.
 31 Bath Attendants (female) appointed.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Thursday, July 6, 1905.

Stated meeting 3 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Pallas (President), Schrader and Kennedy.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate-box was opened and all the bids or proposals which had been received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

For Furnishing and Delivering Grass Sod (200,000 Square Feet).
 BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Bidders.	Price.	Amount.
Charles L. Doran, per 1,000.....	\$14 00	\$2,800 00
James Weir, per 1,000.....	22 50	4,500 00
William Young, per 1,000.....	10 90	2,180 00

For Furnishing and Delivering Hudson River Road Gravel on Parks and Parkways.
 BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Items and Quantities.	The Bracken-McAveney Company.		Isaac Harris.		H. Miller.	
	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Double screened gravel, Ocean parkway, 960 cubic yards.....			\$2 10	\$2,016 00	\$2 04	\$1,958 40
2. Double screened gravel, Eastern parkway, 1,480 cubic yards....			2 10	3,108 00	2 04	3,019 20
3. Double screened gravel, Prospect Park, southern section, 1,760 cubic yards.....	\$2 08 3/4	\$10,103 50	2 10	3,696 00	2 04	3,590 40
4. Double screened gravel, Prospect Park, at Bowl, 640 cubic yards.....			2 10	1,344 00	2 04	1,305 60
5. Fine gravel, Prospect Park, at Bowl, 750 cubic yards....	2 08 3/4	1,565 63	2 10	1,575 00	2 04	1,530 00
Total.....		\$11,669 13		\$11,739 00		\$11,403 60

For Repairing Asphalt Roadway Pavements where Directed.
 BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Items and Quantities.	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.		The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.		Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company.	
	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. For furnishing materials for and laying roadway pavement of asphalt (of whatever character) with bituminous concrete binder, including the cost of cutting out and disposing of the present defective pavement, per square yard, 8,000 square yards.....	\$1 07	\$8,560 00	\$1 26	\$10,080 00	\$1 08	\$8,640 00
2. For furnishing and laying concrete in roadway foundation where required, including the cost of excavation and removal of present foundation if required, 10 cubic yards.....	6 23	62 30	7 50	75 00	4 00	40 00
Total.....		\$8,622 30		\$10,155 00		\$8,680 00

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Kennedy offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to cause form of contract and specifications to be prepared for the construction of a shelter house in Fulton Park, and when the same shall have been approved by the Corporation Counsel, to advertise for proposals for the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Kennedy offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to cause form of contract and specifications to be prepared for the repairs to the Terrace Bridge in Prospect Park, and when the same shall have been approved by the Corporation Counsel, to advertise for proposals for the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Kennedy offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to cause form of contract and specifications to

be prepared for the erection of a boundary wall to Prospect Park on the Ninth avenue side, and when the same shall have been approved by the Corporation Counsel, to advertise for proposals for the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Kennedy offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to cause form of contract and specifications to be prepared for three buggies and one two-seated wagon, and when the same shall have been approved by the Corporation Counsel, to advertise for proposals for the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Kennedy offered the following:

Resolved, That the proposals of the lowest formal bidders, respectively, for erecting shelter houses in Cooper Park, Borough of Brooklyn, and Forest Park, Borough of Queens, for which bids were received on the 29th ult., be forwarded to the Comptroller for his approval of sureties, and when so approved, that contracts for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Schrader offered the following:

Resolved, That the proposals of the lowest formal bidders, respectively, for erecting a camel house and a men's toilet and women's toilet in the New York Zoological Garden, Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, for which bids were received on the 29th ult., be forwarded to the Comptroller for his approval of sureties, and when so approved that contracts for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Schrader offered the following:

Resolved, That all the bids or proposals received on 29th ult. for furnishing, etc., broken trap rock and trap rock screenings for parks in The Bronx, be and the same hereby are rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

Commissioner Kennedy offered the following:

Resolved, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for Hudson River road gravel for parks and parkways in Brooklyn and Queens, for which bids have been this day received, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schrader, Kennedy—3.

On motion, at 3.25 p. m., the Board adjourned.

CLINTON H. SMITH, Assistant Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Municipal Civil Service Commission,
 No. 61 Elm Street,
 City of New York, June 7, 1905.

A meeting of the Civil Service Commission of The City of New York was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Wednesday, June 7, 1905, at 9.30 a. m.

There were present—President Baker and Commissioner Appleton.

The minutes of the meetings held May 31 and June 2 were approved.

The requests of the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman that they be permitted to correct the date of birth on their applications were granted, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission, from the proof submitted, that the same was incorrect as first given:

20693. John J. Cronin, No. 150 East One Hundred and Third street.
 24355. Richard Collis, No. 292 St. Lawrence avenue, The Bronx.
 24957. Alan G. Pringle, No. 422 Mott avenue.
 22712. John F. Carey, No. 150 Conover street, Brooklyn.
 22344. Thomas Hall, No. 106 West One Hundred and Third street.
 24645. Henry Schneider, No. 886 Hart street, Brooklyn.

The requests of the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman that they be permitted to correct the date of birth given on their applications were denied, the proof submitted by them being insufficient:

23352. Earl D. Proper, No. 551 Hudson street.
 23320. William E. Blackford, No. 103 Devoe street, Brooklyn.
 24566. Michael J. Doyle, No. 255 Kingsland avenue, Brooklyn.
 19082. Louis J. Anderson, No. 245 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.
 19400. Robert E. Petersen, No. 1499 Third avenue.
 19530. William W. Ball, No. 486 Ralph avenue, Brooklyn.
 19643. Charles J. Sorensen, No. 932 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.
 22728. Charles F. Fleury, No. 358 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

22102. Joseph H. Comerford, No. 315 West twenty-sixth street.
 19681. Joseph J. Graebe, No. 56 Hatfield avenue, Port Richmond.
 22567. Walter J. Miller, No. 1492 Lexington avenue.

The requests of the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman for a medical re-examination were granted, it appearing from the doctors' certificates furnished by them that errors must have been made by the examining physician:

21913. Henry P. Davis, No. 55 Hudson avenue, Brooklyn.
 22765. James E. Toscani, No. 219 Bleecker street.
 23140. Thomas McCullough, Jr., No. 942 East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

19056. Daniel Custy, No. 20 James Slip.
 20294. Patrick J. Fannon, No. 6 Teasdale place, The Bronx.
 22469. John Jaquillard, Jr., No. 645 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 22419. Denis King, No. 386 First avenue.
 20369. Michael Bunworth, No. 58 East Ninety-eighth street.
 18982. Harry Hummell, No. 421 East Fifty-sixth street.
 20811. Jacob Gosker, No. 1185 Madison street, Brooklyn.
 21651. Pierce N. Poole, Jr., No. 3 Mangin street.
 21331. Edward J. Ryan, No. 157 Windsor place, Brooklyn.
 18983. John T. Meagher, No. 540 West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.
 18887. Louis F. Helt, No. 358 West Fifty-second street.
 19247. John Goerg, No. 184 Van Buren street, The Bronx.
 18938. John J. Reilly, No. 568 Clinton street, Brooklyn.
 19714. Thomas F. Dempsey, No. 345 East Thirtieth street.
 19070. Thomas F. Quinn, No. 103 Milton street, Brooklyn.
 20550. William P. Post, No. 73 Montgomery street.
 19358. John J. Murray, Two Hundred and Twentieth street and Broadway.
 20258. Albert Schmieder, No. 703 East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.
 22513. Robert J. Kelly, No. 50 Cheever place, Brooklyn.
 22793. Thomas J. Larkin, No. 212 Twenty-second street, Brooklyn.
 22720. Francis Mulvihill, No. 186 Nelson street, Brooklyn.
 22275. Cornelius J. Dwyer, No. 78 Kimball road, Brooklyn.
 22270. Seely Culver, No. 330 West Thirty-eighth street.
 21784. John J. Melleady, No. 78 Moquette place, Yonkers.
 21642. John J. Coleman, No. 319 West Forty-fourth street.
 21664. Morris Volensky, No. 58 Rutgers street.
 21539. Daniel J. Quinn, No. 57 East Fourth street.
 21485. John J. Cavanagh, No. 446 Lewis avenue, Brooklyn.
 21287. John Kramer, No. 322A Seventeenth street, Brooklyn.
 21128. Thomas P. Fitzgerald, No. 836 Second avenue.
 21244. William B. Woods, No. 301 West Forty-sixth street.
 20963. Dennis P. Sheridan, No. 126 Hoyt street, Brooklyn.
 24114. Edward F. Farrell, No. 802 East Ninth street.

21017. Joseph Fiore, No. 682 Fourth avenue.
 21887. Michael O'Sullivan, No. 836 Eighth avenue.
 22001. Joseph Callaghan, No. 327 West Seventeenth street.
 21801. Charles J. Walters, No. 302 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street.
 22132. Joseph J. Cooney, No. 462 Ninth avenue.
 23454. Thomas A. Thompson, No. 838 East One Hundred and Forty-first street.
 23405. William D. O'Grady, No. 308 East Ninetieth street.
 21608. James J. Jones, No. 509 Glenmore avenue, Brooklyn.
 20667. Martin E. Owens, No. 532 Liberty avenue, Brooklyn.
 22365. Patrick J. Fitzgibbon, No. 333 East Twenty-third street.
 21355. Harry Hauser, No. 306 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
 23016. Thomas Sheridan, No. 209 Prospect street, Long Island City.
 23433. William Willison, No. 457 West Thirty-seventh street.
 23184. Charles T. Bollerman, No. 1778 Second avenue.
 23451. Joseph M. Norton, No. 240 East Twenty-first street.
 22408. William H. Farley, No. 100 Fifteenth street, Brooklyn.
 22480. James J. Fagan, No. 77 Warren street, Brooklyn.
 23442. Elmer D. McManus, Fifth avenue and Thirty-sixth street, Brooklyn.
 23182. James P. Maher, No. 202 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.
 23936. David F. McClunn, No. 34 Fourth place, Brooklyn.
 22439. John J. Phillips, No. 183 Spring street.
 19365. Edward P. Brennan, No. 252 Bond street, Brooklyn.
 24466. Michael C. Lee, No. 4921 Third avenue, Brooklyn.
 24591. Edward M. Connors, No. 29 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.
 20511. Joseph B. Coleman, No. 205 East Forty-sixth street.

The requests of the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman that they be granted a medical re-examination were denied, the proof submitted by them being insufficient to convince the Commission that any error was made by the examining physician.

21065. Joseph Levy, No. 187 Division street.
 19622. John Leonard, No. 1055 Carroll street, Brooklyn.
 20751. Charles Lancer, No. 240 Woodbine street, Brooklyn.
 20268. Richard L. Tawlor, No. 1273 First avenue.
 19182. Henry Brewer, One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Ogden avenue.
 22679. John J. McCullough, No. 161 West Ninety-eighth street.
 22397. Joseph A. Scanlon, No. 65 Java street, Brooklyn.
 22331. Benedetto Pesce, No. 184 Bridge street, Brooklyn.
 21573. David Rosenthal, No. 435 East Tenth street.
 19671. Frank A. Mulvaney, No. 354 Eighteenth street, Brooklyn.
 22993. William Goetz, No. 338 West Eleventh street.
 23268. Michael J. McGeough, No. 506 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.
 24580. James J. Molloy, No. 214 East Seventy-third street.

The requests of the following-named candidates for the position of Patrolman, for a postponement of their medical and physical examination, were granted:

24659. William F. Hefferman, No. 715 Washington street.
 24034. Frank G. Rinn, Jr., No. 401 West Forty-second street.
 19484. Thomas J. Sullivan, No. 5 Desbrosses street.
 22427. Joseph A. Flock, No. 569 Burnside avenue.
 22465. Thomas Joyce, No. 433 West Fifty-seventh street.
 21150. William F. Horn, No. 210 Twenty-eighth street, Brooklyn.
 22756. Mortimer J. Tubridy, No. 2 Beekman avenue, The Bronx.
 22892. Valentine Carleton, No. 148 Bowery.
 22917. Joseph A. Stapleton, No. 224 South street.
 23343. Luke J. Dunnigan, No. 24 Luquer street, Brooklyn.
 23357. Alonzo E. Findley, No. 938 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.
 23568. Edward A. Marron, One Hundred and Seventieth street and Nelson avenue.
 22775. Thomas J. Mulligan, No. 62 Watts street.
 24093. Thomas F. Halton, No. 30 Little West Twelfth street.
 24288. John J. Gillen, No. 108 Rodney street, Brooklyn.
 23032. James Reilly, No. 531 West Twenty-ninth street.
 19779. Frederick C. Ruckert, No. 528 East Eighty-fourth street.
 23032. James Reilly, No. 531 West Twenty-ninth street.
 22116. Daniel C. O'Connor, No. 113 Broad street.
 23538. Frederick Roth, No. 123 Norman avenue, Brooklyn.
 22975. John J. Lines, No. 130 Engert avenue, Brooklyn.
 23223. Nicholas J. Gorman, No. 1506 Lexington avenue.
 22742. Andrew R. Dwyer, No. 565 Tenth avenue.
 21594. Raphael A. Holwell, No. 94 Enfield street, Brooklyn.
 24750. Paul A. Fenley, No. 41 Monroe avenue, Tompkinsville.
 24565. Thomas F. Flynn, No. 371 Covert avenue, Brooklyn.
 20417. Daniel J. Courtney, No. 311 Madison street.
 22174. Paul J. Shafer, No. 173 East One Hundred and Eleventh street.
 22527. Charles A. Gehrhardt, No. 1283 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.
 23740. Philip J. Barry, No. 1768 Amsterdam avenue.
 23841. Joseph E. Ackerman, No. 1887 Amsterdam avenue.
 24383. Edward J. Hannon, No. 741 Washington street.
 24445. George W. Beatty, No. 54 Johnson avenue, Jamaica.
 24633. James F. Donovan, No. 4 Jones street.
 23801. William J. Whitehill, No. 36 Howard avenue, Brooklyn.
 23531. John H. Vaughan, No. 266 Nassau avenue, Brooklyn.
 23778. Edward J. Kolgen, No. 224 Woodward avenue, Long Island City.
 23426. Edward Dollard, No. 440 West Forty-seventh street.
 21155. William C. Doyle, No. 772 Fiftieth street, Brooklyn.
 22375. Robert Mullen, No. 540 East Eighty-fifth street.
 22612. James Ford, No. 251 Van Brunt street, Brooklyn.
 22199. George Anton, No. 780 Second avenue.
 22670. John T. Dardis, No. 140 West Fifty-second street.
 22700. Fred N. Boyce, No. 886 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.
 22886. William Edelmann, No. 413 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.
 22912. Bartholomew A. Moran, No. 163 Noble street, Brooklyn.
 23399. William S. Drum, 1017 Flushing avenue, Brooklyn.
 24083. Stephen B. McManus, No. 72 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.
 23109. George Hayes, No. 1057 Decatur street, Brooklyn.
 23508. Charles J. Donovan, No. 688 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.
 22624. Joseph H. Saunders, Jr., No. 178 Richardson street, Brooklyn.
 22707. James H. Parker, No. 22 West Ninety-ninth street.
 21738. Frank A. Rogers, No. 14 West One Hundredth street.
 23506. Michael J. Gannon, No. 190 Columbus avenue, Van Nest.
 19736. Alfred Bricker, No. 413 Grand street.
 21340. Herman Storjohann, No. 986 Washington avenue, The Bronx.
 21635. George E. Green, No. 702 East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.
 21855. Michael J. Diskin, No. 485 Columbus avenue.
 22459. James Mulcahey, No. 12 Tiffany place, Brooklyn.
 22743. James M. Sharp, No. 1546 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.
 23118. Richard G. Kirby, No. 331 West Eleventh street.
 23189. James I. Wickes, No. 150 East Fiftieth street.
 23193. Frederick A. Benkler, No. 192 First avenue.
 23297. John J. Madigan, No. 355 West street.
 23367. Philip G. Smith, No. 179 Carroll street, Brooklyn.
 23474. John J. McGurk, No. 32 St. Marks place.
 23511. Edward Birch, No. 606 Van Buren street, Brooklyn.
 21789. Jeremiah Veale, No. 154 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.
 23597. Herman Crouse, No. 1282 Hancock street, Brooklyn.
 21102. Harry F. Dwyer, No. 87 Morton street.
 23816. James J. Donleary, No. 236 East Thirty-sixth street.
 21064. John J. Humphrey, No. 631 East Eleventh street.
 23674. John J. Sullivan, No. 36 West Sixty-fourth street.
 23630. Martin O'Melia, No. 226 East Ninety-fifth street.
 23393. John L. P. Jensen, No. 515 Third avenue.
 24454. Francis J. O'Brien, No. 345 East Thirty-fourth street.
 23040. Harvey A. Montgomery, No. 203 Stuyvesant avenue, Brooklyn.
 22212. John A. Albert, No. 198 Jefferson street, Brooklyn.
 24009. John J. Gargan, No. 77 Barrow street.
 21232. Patrick J. Nally, No. 205 Woodbine street, Brooklyn.
 21848. Daniel Carey, No. 120 North Elliott place, Brooklyn.

21920. Thomas F. R. Murtha, No. 3428 Park avenue.
 22318. Albert E. Hazlitt, 3105 Park avenue.
 22648. Daniel Madigan, No. 159 East Sixtieth street.
 24298. James J. Donlin, No. 419 East Seventeenth street.
 24380. Thomas J. McGovern, No. 36 State street, Brooklyn.
 23818. William H. Schultheis, No. 177 North Eighth street, Brooklyn.
 23613. James M. Frawley, No. 103 Leroy street.
 24808. James F. Pelham, No. 48 Wolcott street, Brooklyn.
 22368. Bernard Rooney, No. 5 Spring street.
 24990. Charles F. Wallace, No. 50 Morton street.
 24363. John P. Regan, No. 573 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.
 21384. Stephen J. McMahon, No. 125 Greenpoint avenue, Blissville.
 21798. Edward J. Rasp, Yonkers, N. Y.
 19510. Edward A. Miller, No. 393 East Tenth street.

The request of John J. Flynn, No. 129 Perry street, candidate for Patrolman, for a second adjournment of his physical examination, was granted, it appearing that he was prevented from appearing, owing to illness, on the day set for such examination.

The Committee on Transfers recommended that the transfer of Henry L. Connell from the position of Transitman and Computer in the Department of Bridges to a similar position in the Department of Finance be allowed; and recommended that the request for the transfer of William C. Smith from the position of Axeman to that of Rodman in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan be denied, for the reason that Mr. Smith has not qualified for the position to which transfer is sought. The recommendations of the Committee on Transfers were adopted.

H. M. Devoe, Esq., Supervisor of Janitors in the Department of Education, appeared before the Commission in behalf of the request of the Board of Education, under date of May 8, 1905, that the Commission formulate a new or sub-list for Janitors in public schools, by examining all those whose names appear upon the present eligible list for Janitor, in so far as may be necessary, to determine their fitness to properly care for heating apparatus such as is installed in public school buildings in The City of New York. Mr. Devoe stated that in many cases when candidates for the position of Janitor, who have been certified to the Department of Education by the Civil Service Commission, are sent to the Police Department to qualify as Engineers, as required under the law, they are refused the necessary license by that department for the reason that they have not had the necessary experience, and are not qualified to handle boilers and care for heating apparatus such as is installed in the larger public school buildings; and that, in view of the complications which are constantly arising from the fact that persons certified by the Civil Service Commission and Appointed to the position of Janitor are rejected by the Police Department as unfit persons to care for the heating apparatus in the school buildings, the Department of Education requested that the Commission ascertain the qualifications of all the Janitors on the present eligible list, to the end that no person who is not thoroughly qualified in that regard will be certified in future. After a careful consideration of the matter the Chief Examiner was instructed to proceed at once with a supplemental examination of all the persons whose names appear on the present eligible list for Janitor, to determine their fitness to properly care for the heating apparatus installed in public school buildings in this City. Mr. Devoe then retired.

The communication from the State Civil Service Commission, dated May 24, which was laid over from the meeting of May 31, stating that the State Commission is in receipt of a memorandum presented on behalf of certain Patrolmen in New York City, who feel that credit for distinguished services should count in all promotion examinations, and not merely be counted to the credit of the candidate in an examination for promotion to the grade next higher than the one in which the services were performed, was again presented for consideration. The matter was again laid over.

The communication from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, dated May 10, which was laid over from the meeting of May 12, requesting authority to appoint provisionally, under the provisions of Civil Service Rule XII, paragraph 3, Mr. Emanuel E. Keyser, pending the establishment of an eligible list for the position of Statistician (fourth grade), was again presented for consideration. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Chief Examiner and request him to proceed with the necessary non-competitive examination to qualify Mr. Keyser for employment under the provisions of Civil Service Rule XII, paragraph 3, and also to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Statistician (fourth grade).

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to proceed with open competitive examinations for the positions of Office Boy (age 14 to 18 years) and Junior Clerk (age 18 to 25 years).

On the recommendation of the Chief Examiner the reports of Boards of Examiners for positions in the Non-competitive Class of the following departments were approved:

- Department of Education, May 11, May 23.
 Department of Correction, May 31.
 Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, March 30, 30, 30, 30, 30.
 Schoolship "St. Mary's," June 1.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated May 23, transmitting, for the information of the Commission, copy of a letter addressed by him to Mr. George Hartman, candidate for Registrar of Records, Mr. Hartman's appeal having been referred to him for disposition. It appeared that the candidate did not finish his papers in the required time, and appealed for permission to complete the same at this time. The reply of the Chief Examiner stated that at the outset of the examination candidates were notified of the work they would be required to do and the length of time they would be allowed in which to complete such work; that it is an invariable rule of the Commission that candidates must stand by their examination papers as they are handed in on the day of the examination. The action of the Chief Examiner was approved and the letters were ordered filed.

The application of Denis Herlihy, No. 151 East Ninety-seventh street, New York City, candidate for Fireman No. 15062, was rejected under the provisions of Civil Service Rule VII. for a false statement in answer to question 13.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated May 23, transmitting a report of Examiner Bonnett on the protest of William F. Brendlin, candidate for the position of Mechanical Engineer, who protested against having the list resulting from the last examination for that position supersede the list established on January 17, 1903, on the ground that the two examinations were not similar in character. The report of Examiner Bonnett stated as follows:

"In regard to the protest of William F. Brendlin against having list from examination for Mechanical Engineer of April 13, 1905, supersede list for examination of same title of December 24, 1902 (date of list from same stated as January 17, 1903), I would respectfully beg to report that I do not consider the protest well grounded for the following reasons:

"The examination of December 24, 1902, was drawn for the purpose of filling a special position, i. e., Superintendent of Draughting Room in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and the requirements for same were specifically stated in the advertisement. The grade and salary were fixed under the classification then in force at tenth grade and salary \$2,100 per annum. The result of this examination was, as I was afterwards informed, the filling of the position to the entire satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the department.

"The examination of April 13, 1905, was, as I understood at the time, to obtain a general list for Mechanical Engineer, with no specific position or requirements in view; and the papers were drawn with a view of endeavoring to cover as well as possible in the limited time given for the examination (one day) the whole subject of mechanical engineering—a requirement of no little difficulty.

"The protest on the several questions asked requiring a knowledge of electricity I do not consider well grounded for the reason that in the present wide use of electricity in all branches of mechanical engineering, a thorough knowledge of that subject is considered a fundamental requirement in a mechanical engineer.

"I would state that my knowledge of the subject matter of the two examinations in question is based on the fact that all of the papers in both were drawn up by me."

After consideration of the matter, the Secretary was instructed to communicate with Mr. Brendlin and state that the Commission does not consider the protest well grounded, and the papers were ordered filed.

A report was presented from Clerk Woodward, dated May 25, on a protest received from Morris Weinstein, of No. 26 Montgomery street, Manhattan, to the effect that

he did not receive a notice to appear for the second examination for the position of Draughtsman's Helper, although he had been notified to appear for the first examination, which was afterwards canceled. Clerk Woodward stated in his report that some question arose as to the acceptance of Mr. Weinstein's application, and it was placed in Examiner Byrne's hands for investigation; that at the time the first examination was canceled and the candidates were notified to appear for re-examination, the application was not in its place, and through error the candidate was not notified to appear; that Examiner Byrne subsequently reported the application to be O. K. and that, therefore, the candidate was entitled to have been admitted to the second examination. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to summon Morris Weinstein, of No. 26 Montgomery street, New York City, for a special examination for the position of Draughtsman's Helper, it appearing that Mr. Weinstein's failure to appear for examination on May 15 was due to the failure of the Record Clerk in the office of the Commission to send him a notice for said examination.

A communication was presented from Clerk Woodward, dated June 6, requesting permission to summon Patrick J. Coen, No. 569 Macon street, Brooklyn, for a physical examination for the position of Patrolman, he having inadvertently omitted to summon the candidate sooner in his regular order. The request was granted.

The Secretary called the attention of the Commission to the following opinion of the Attorney General of the State of New York, dated June 2, 1905, which was transmitted to the Municipal Civil Service Commission by the Secretary of the State Board:

"June 2, 1905.

"Mr. JOHN C. BIRDSEYE, Secretary, State Civil Service Commission, Albany, N. Y.:

"My Dear Sir—I have your communication of May 9, 1905, in which you ask my opinion in accordance with the following resolution of the State Civil Service Commission:

"Resolved, That the Attorney General be respectfully requested to furnish the commission with his opinion as to whether or not the rights for appointment of veterans whose names appear upon an eligible list take precedence of the right to transfer a person already in the service when said transfer is not a promotion."

"After a careful examination, I have concluded that the appointment of a veteran, whose name appears upon an eligible list, does not take precedence of the right to transfer a person already in the Civil Service when said transfer is not a promotion."

"I am assuming in this answer, of course, that the transfer to which you refer is a legitimate transfer, made in pursuance of law and of the rules duly adopted, and that the place to which a person in the Civil Service is transferred is, as matter of fact, a place of similar character with that from which he was transferred."

"You attach to your letter various communications, which I presume, were for the purpose of illustration. I return these communications as requested, remarking in this connection that I have not passed upon the individual cases referred to in these communications, but I have only answered the question mentioned in your resolution as a question of law."

"Respectfully yours,
"(Signed) JULIUS M. MAYER, Attorney General."

On motion, the communication was ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated May 27, requesting an examination for promotion of the Stenographers and Typewriters in that department from the third to the fourth grade. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Richmond, dated May 17, requesting that the examination for promotion to Transitman and Computer in his department, already allowed by the Commission, be opened to the Topographical Draughtsmen as well as the Levelers. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated May 29, again requesting that the Commission approve the emergency appointment of Rienzi Coons as Engineman for seven (7) days from May 10. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with Secretary Borden, and state that his request had been denied at the meeting of May 24 for the reason that the Commission had already allowed one emergency appointment to the position of Engineman for a period of seven days, during which time a permanent appointment should have been made to fill the vacancy.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated May 31, with reference to the appointment of Thomas V. McGrane as Engineman in that department. It appeared that the said Thomas V. McGrane was certified to the Department of Public Charities and to the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, at the same time; that he was first notified to appear by the Department of Parks, and accepted employment in said department; but that, upon receiving a notice of appointment from the Department of Public Charities two days later, he resigned from the Department of Parks and accepted an appointment in the Department of Public Charities. Upon being informed that Mr. McGrane's pay-roll could not be certified until the matter was adjusted, the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities addressed this communication to the Commission, with the request that Mr. McGrane's appointment in his department be approved, as his services were most satisfactory, and that it was the desire of the Department of Public Charities to retain him in its service.

On motion, the appointment of Thomas V. McGrane in the Department of Public Charities was approved, and the Secretary was instructed to pass his pay-roll from the date on which he entered the service in said department.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Brooklyn, dated May 24, requesting authority to appoint Mr. Charles E. Jackson, of No. 48 Dey street, New York City, provisionally pending the establishment of an eligible list for the position of Engine Inspector, under the provisions of Civil Service Rule XII., paragraph 3. The request was granted, and the Secretary was directed to instruct the Chief Examiner to proceed with the necessary non-competitive examination to qualify Mr. Jackson for employment; and also to hold an open competitive examination for the position of Engineer Inspector at the earliest possible date.

The request of the Department of Health for approval of a leave of absence, without pay, from June 1 to August 31, granted May M. Lowden, M. D., Bacteriologist, was granted, it appearing from the doctor's certificate furnished that such leave of absence was granted because of illness.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated May 29, requesting the Commission to hold an open competitive examination for the position of Medical Clerk, and, pending the establishment of such list, to authorize them to appoint Dr. Edward E. Wilson of No. 249 Albany avenue, Brooklyn, under the provisions of Civil Service Rule XII., paragraph 3. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to proceed with a non-competitive examination to qualify Dr. Wilson for employment in the Department of Health, and also to hold an open competitive examination for the position of Medical Clerk at the earliest possible date.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Health, dated June 2, requesting that the Commission allow Wilfred A. Breen, a second grade Clerk in his Department, to enter the coming examination for promotion to fourth grade Clerk. It appearing that Mr. Breen had not served in his present position the required length of time, the request was denied.

A communication was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Police Department, dated June 1, requesting the Commission to restore the name of John W. Hayes to the eligible list for Patrolman, and to recertify the same for appointment in the Police Department. It appeared that Mr. Hayes was appointed to the position of Patrolman in the Police Department on April 28, 1905, and resigned on May 9, before he had completed his probationary period. The matter was laid over.

A communication was presented from the Aqueduct Commission, dated June 1, requesting that, owing to the difficulty that Department had experienced in securing men from the eligible lists to fill positions in the Engineering Corps on account of the location of the work to be performed, the Commission either certify only those who are willing to accept employment out of the City limits, or else certify at least twelve names in response to each requisition of that department. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Aqueduct Commission and state that the Commission could not undertake to ascertain from eligibles whether or not they were willing to accept employment at the places designated in his requisitions; that the rules provide that when a requisition is made for names from which to make an

appointment, the three names standing highest on the eligible list for the position shall be certified; and that it is then the duty of the appointing officer to ascertain whether or not such persons are willing to accept the appointment; to state further that all eligible lists in the office of the Commission are open to the inspection and consideration of the appointing officers in the various departments of the City.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, dated May 31, requesting that an examination be held for the promotion of the Examiners in his department from the eighth to the tenth grade. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to proceed with the examination.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, dated June 1, requesting the Commission to hold an examination for promotion of Clerks in his department from the eighth to the tenth grade. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to proceed with the examination.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, dated June 5, in answer to the letter of the Commission concerning the complaint of the Association of Eccentric Engineers against the assignment of Michael Kenney, Gardener, to perform the duties of an Engineer. The Commissioner stated that Michael Kenney, although employed under the title of Gardener, held an Engineer's license, and among his other duties operated a small steam pump which supplied the flower garden in Highland Park with water, which work took up at most two or three hours each day. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Commissioner and state that Mr. Kenney must be assigned to the work of Gardener only; that his performance of the duties of an Engineer constitutes a violation of the Civil Service Law; that, if there is necessity for the services of an Engineer in Highland Park, the Commission will certify a person from the eligible list for that position upon request.

A communication was presented from Mr. J. E. Douglass, Chief Clerk in the Building Bureau of the Department of Education, dated May 23, requesting to be informed of his eligibility for promotion to the tenth grade without further examination. After consideration of the facts in the case, the Secretary was instructed to communicate with Mr. Douglass, and state that it will be necessary for him to qualify in an examination before he will be eligible for promotion to the tenth grade (\$3,000 per annum).

The request of Samuel Hollander, of No. 126 Sheriff street, dated May 29, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Temporary Clerk was denied, it appearing that he resigned from the position of Temporary Clerk held by him in the Department of Finance on October 1, 1904.

The request of B. F. Marsh, No. 1456 Fifty-second street, Brooklyn, under date of June 5, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Topographical Draughtsman, was granted, it appearing that he declined \$1,200 per annum, and the Certification Clerk was under the impression that the eligible list from which he was certified was limited to that compensation.

The request of John P. Hogan, No. 430 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street, under date of June 5, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Topographical Draughtsman, was laid over.

The request of Nicholas Bozza, No. 312 South Fourth street, Brooklyn, under date of May 10, that he be given a special examination for the position of Assistant Dump Inspector, was denied for lack of power.

The Secretary presented the resignation of Mr. Samuel E. Keyser from the position of Monitor in the Civil Service Commission, to take effect June 2, 1905. On motion, the same was accepted.

A communication was presented from Alfred L. Marilley, Esq., No. 27 William street, New York City, dated June 2, 1905, requesting on behalf of Edward F. Washburn, of No. 83 East Fifty-fifth street, that he be given a special examination for the position of Architect, on the ground that Mr. Washburn applied for the position, but was never notified to appear for examination. It appearing from a report of the Record Clerk that Mr. Washburn was duly notified for the examination, and that the notice was not returned to this office by the Post Office authorities, leading to the inference that same was received; and further that on the morning of the examination he telephoned the office and was informed by the Record Clerk that if he would come to the examination room he would be admitted, and that he did not do so, the request was denied.

The request of Miss Mary F. Wynne, of No. 343 East Fifty-second street, dated June 3, 1905, that her name be restored to the eligible list for Typewriting Copyist, was granted, it appearing that she declined appointment in the Department of Health on April 27, 1905, because the position was temporary, and not because it was "not temporary," as she stated.

A communication was presented from Miss Maude Hitchcock, of No. 416 St. Nicholas avenue, requesting that she be restored to eligibility for appointment to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter at \$900 per annum, and stating that when she declined appointment at that salary she was receiving a higher one, but that now her circumstances have changed and she would be glad to accept an appointment at that amount. The request was granted.

On the recommendation of the Labor Clerk, the following requests were granted: Request of Daniel Quigg, No. 1202 Eighth avenue, Brooklyn, that his name be restored to the preferred eligible list of Park Laborer, he having presented a doctor's certificate showing that he was ill on May 8, 1905, and could not report to notice of appointment sent him by the Department of Parks, Brooklyn.

Request of John H. Stevens, No. 243 Wallabout street, Brooklyn, that his name be restored to the preferred list of Laborer, he having presented a sworn statement that notice of appointment from the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, sent April 17, 1905, was not addressed properly, and that the same was not received by him until May 29, 1905.

Request of Domenick Lopiano, No. 91 Roosevelt street, that his name be restored to the regular eligible list of Laborer, he having produced a doctor's certificate showing that he was ill and unable to appear in response to notice of appointment from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on April 18, 1905.

Request of Max Goldner, No. 964 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, that his name be restored to the preferred eligible list for Laborer, he having claimed that he changed his address at the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, from No. 960 to No. 964 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and that notice of appointment sent by that Department on May 15, 1905, never reached him.

Request of Thomas King, No. 1002 Brook avenue, that his name be restored to the preferred eligible list of Laborer, he having produced a doctor's certificate showing that he was ill on January 12, 1905, when notice of appointment was sent him from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the classification of positions in the City Magistrates' Court, in the exempt class, as fixed by the Civil Service Rules, be and the same is hereby amended by including therein the following:

Thirteen Probation Officers, one for each district in the boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

The Commission then adjourned to meet on Friday, June 9, 1905, at 9.30 a. m.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Municipal Civil Service Commission,
No. 61 Elm Street,
City of New York, June 9, 1905.

A meeting of the Civil Service Commission of The City of New York was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Friday, June 9, 1905, at 9.30 a. m. All the Commissioners were present.

The requests of the following-named applicants for the position of Patrolman for a postponement of their medical and physical examination were granted:

No.

22912. Harry Segeritz, No. 461 West Forty-sixth street.

24924. Frederick W. Weber, No. 1426 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

24556. Harry F. Ench, No. 708 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.

24958. William V. Gaul, No. 209 Heyward street, Brooklyn.

24941. Frank W. Annistead, No. 23 West Eighth street.

23879. William F. Kies, No. 233 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.

24229. Michael Imbriani, No. 200 Sands street, Brooklyn.

24607. Charles J. Krumm, No. 52 Lawrence street.

23966. Ernest Kuhrt, No. 3 Elizabeth street, Tompkinsville.
 24458. Lawrence Klosset, Jr., No. 54 Greenwich avenue.
 23971. Peter J. Murphy, No. 1632 Bathgate avenue.
 20166. Simon Falk, No. 230 East Tenth street.
 18845. Thomas J. Nosky, No. 115 Freeman street, Brooklyn.
 22445. Simon Egan, No. 361 West Fifteenth street.
 23131. Michael Gavigan, No. 931 Sixth avenue.
 19589. Eugene A. Blue, No. 292 First avenue.
 23307. Edward C. Daly, Logan street and Vienna avenue, Brooklyn.
 23494. Thomas J. J. Meary, No. 408 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.
 23262. Albert Klecka, No. 1428 First avenue.
 24217. Timothy M. Kirwan, No. 117 India street, Brooklyn.
 20610. William D. Mildrum, No. 1048 East One Hundred and Eightieth street.
 19128. John J. Helbig, No. 348 West Fifty-third street.
 20558. Peter J. Boyle, No. 53 Prospect street, Long Island City.

The requests of the following-named applicants for the position of Patrolman for a postponement of their medical and physical examination were denied for the reason that they were not presented in the proper form:

24724. Edward A. Blakeney, No. 2394 Eighth avenue.
 24518. Charles A. Ford, No. 196 Norman avenue, Brooklyn.
 24179. Frank W. Fitzpatrick, No. 349 East Seventeenth street.
 24133. Herman Tillman, No. 11 East Third street.
 21346. Elmer W. Bamford, No. 299 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn.
 23177. Walter S. Springs, No. 170 South Second street, Brooklyn.
 24213. Frederick Eckenfelder, No. 535 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.
 24267. John T. Ryan, No. 870 Eagle avenue.
 24894. Francis J. Welch, No. 43 Albany avenue, Brooklyn.
 24886. Charles H. Butt, No. 2270 Broadway.
 24935. Charles Woehr, No. 103 West One Hundred and Fifth street.
 22900. Edward L. Moran, No. 50 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.
 24725. Livingston S. Eccleston, No. 19 Sixth avenue, New Brighton.
 24452. George Wendling, No. 517 West Forty-third street.
 24437. George T. Miller, No. 41 Sutton street, Brooklyn.
 24230. Patrick Curry, No. 445 West Thirty-fourth street.
 24059. James A. Creegan, No. 303 East Fifty-ninth street.
 23600. Henry A. Sinderhauf, No. 1194 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 22890. Thomas J. Farrell, No. 1966 Amsterdam avenue.
 19206. Louis C. Bahr, No. 22 Beach terrace, The Bronx.
 24402. Robert Adams, No. 1649 Amsterdam avenue.
 23854. Henry Slevin, No. 102 West Seventy-fifth street.
 23837. Hubert J. Carraher, No. 161 West Ninety-eighth street.
 24131. David P. Conway, No. 165 Dupont street, Brooklyn.
 24078. Daniel J. McCleary, No. 1670 Park avenue.
 24338. Charles F. McCarthy, No. 693 Wendover avenue.
 24249. Frederick C. Meckes, No. 220 East Eighty-ninth street.
 23743. John A. Kavanagh, Jr., No. 211 West One Hundred and Fourth street.
 23706. James A. Noone, No. 29 Third avenue.
 23577. Stetson Clifford, No. 118 Dean street, Brooklyn.
 23478. Charles J. O'Halloran, No. 41 Wright street, Stapleton.
 23285. John N. Martin, No. 1509 Lexington avenue.
 23200. John C. Elkins, No. 121 Rapelyea street, Brooklyn.
 23201. William J. Rigley, Avenue L and East Thirty-fifth street, Flatbush.
 23027. Bernard J. Buggeln, No. 94 Varick street.
 22996. Bart F. Reed, No. 124 Fourth place, Brooklyn.
 22979. Nelson K. Jacobs, No. 210 Sands street, Brooklyn.
 22957. Charles G. McCartney, No. 125 East Sixty-third street.
 22945. Gustave F. Damm, No. 246 Stagg street, Brooklyn.
 22771. Albert E. King, No. 214 Lynch street, Brooklyn.
 22623. Thomas Finch, No. 72 University place.
 22614. Harry M. Crane, No. 2162 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 22556. Vincent J. Boylan, No. 164 East Ninetieth street.
 22559. Richard A. Schilbach, No. 742 Tremont avenue.
 22451. John Kenney, No. 212 Elton street, Brooklyn.
 22478. John H. Ronan, No. 234 Spencer street, Brooklyn.
 22473. Philip Hyland, No. 405 West Twenty-sixth street.
 22412. Joseph A. Hughes, No. 124 Meserole street, Brooklyn.
 22333. Edward J. Clinton, Main street, Westchester.
 22360. Charles F. Williams, No. 526 East Thirteenth street.
 22019. Gustave Russ, No. 181 Sackett street, Brooklyn.
 21191. Patrick J. Cunningham, No. 72 Christopher street.
 21703. William H. Quinn, No. 248 West Twentieth street.
 21705. Joseph W. Muller, No. 1655A St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.
 21655. John A. Lewis, No. 436 Essex street, Brooklyn.
 21609. Frank G. Bechlein, No. 541 West Fifty-fourth street.
 21427. John H. Schoendorf, No. 139 Linden street, Brooklyn.
 21495. John E. Loughlin, No. 884 Greene avenue, Brooklyn.
 21436. George E. Reynolds, No. 502 West Forty-second street.
 21418. John L. Hoffmann, Napanoch, N. Y.
 21349. William Bloom, No. 135 Stockton street, Brooklyn.
 21300. Henry Seelig, No. 285 First avenue.
 21331. Mortimer W. Nolan, No. 1461 Hoe street.
 21323. William Conway, No. 15 Brook street, Tompkinsville.
 21227. Edward Stewart, No. 307 East Seventieth street.
 21250. Thomas M. Cowan, No. 176 State street, Brooklyn.
 21165. John H. E. Miller, No. 1212 Decatur street, Brooklyn.
 21170. Arthur M. Blauvelt, No. 368 West Twenty-third street.
 21019. Daniel E. Morgan, No. 280 West Eleventh street.
 21046. Charles L. Denkert, No. 256 North Seventh street, Brooklyn.
 21058. Miles McPartland, No. 841 Eighth avenue.
 20964. Joseph T. Gough, No. 1487 Vyse avenue, The Bronx.
 20931. John E. Wescott, Ossining, N. Y.
 20845. Edmond Joyce, No. 2413 Eighth avenue.
 20895. Edward J. Walsh, No. 16 Huntington street, Brooklyn.
 20758. John J. Quinn, No. 79 Carlton avenue, Brooklyn.
 20734. Joseph J. King, No. 313 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street.
 20767. Charles Steyn, No. 105 East One Hundred and Thirty-first street.
 20733. Charles J. Williams, No. 72 Park avenue, Brooklyn.
 20689. Thomas Mulligan, West Two Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, City.
 20657. Frederick R. Grundmann, No. 52 East One Hundredth street.
 20562. Joseph M. McNulty, No. 428 West Fifty-second street.
 20523. Albert Urquhart, No. 361 West Fifty-eighth street.
 20452. Thomas M. McQuade, No. 219 West Sixtieth street.
 20384. Thomas A. Byrne, No. 1135 Nostrand avenue, Brooklyn.
 20346. Harry A. O'Neill, No. 41 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn.
 20386. James G. J. Scanlon, No. 14 East One Hundred and Thirty-second street.
 20254. James Tansey, No. 1663 Avenue A.
 20156. Philip C. Koeune, No. 202 Scholes street, Brooklyn.
 20016. Thomas Dugan, No. 738 Second avenue.
 20038. Louis W. Morales, No. 41 Perry street.
 20024. John J. McCandless, No. 502 West Fifty-fifth street.
 20013. George H. Lahey, No. 422 West One Hundred and Fiftieth street.
 20019. Robert H. Gibbons, Jr., No. 245 West Fourth street.
 19788. Dominick Galgano, No. 155 Elizabeth street.
 19753. Edward J. Roach, No. 55 West Eleventh street.
 19663. Joseph A. McTiernan, No. 396 Water street.
 19675. John J. Walsh, Lafayette street, Unionport.
 19507. Charles A. Fleming, Millerton, N. Y.
 19408. William J. Burke, No. 431 West Forty-eighth street.
 19439. Louis Kluge, No. 83 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
 19397. John J. Ryan, No. 413 First avenue.
 19320. William C. Silvia, No. 442 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.
 19218. John D. Ferguson, No. 4 Folsom place, Brooklyn.
 19175. Joseph A. Lillis, No. 1108 Park street, Peekskill.
 19048. George C. Patton, No. 161 Penn street, Brooklyn.
 18889. Charles F. Goldwater, No. 66 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

The requests of the following-named applicants for the position of Patrolman that they be permitted to correct the date of birth set forth on their applications were granted, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission, from the proof submitted, that the dates first given were incorrect:

22916. Arthur Reside, No. 771 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street.
 23679. James Lyman, No. 65 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
 20067. Sylvester Carroll, No. 98 Penn street, Brooklyn.
 24456. William F. Naylor, No. 244 Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn.

The requests of the following-named applicants for the position of Patrolman that they be permitted to correct the date of birth set forth on their applications were denied, the proof submitted by them in substantiation of their statements being insufficient:

21851. Edward Osborn, No. 274 West street.
 24263. John Ferry, No. 246 East Eighty-seventh street.

The requests of the following-named applicants for the position of Patrolman for a physical re-examination, they having failed in their original examination, were granted, it appearing from the doctors' certificates presented that an error must have been made by the examining physician:

19553. Conrad T. Goertz, No. 335 Fortieth street, Brooklyn.
 21132. Edward J. Dooley, No. 436 East Fifty-third street.
 20160. John J. Mara, No. 492 Third avenue.
 20945. Francis S. McQuade, No. 100 Clay street, Brooklyn.
 21212. Edgar O. Sackmann, No. 87 Arlington avenue, Brooklyn.
 21961. Daniel F. Loughlin, No. 100 Heyward street, Brooklyn.
 22498. George W. Bradford, No. 523 Fifty-first street, Brooklyn.
 23653. James H. Keenan, No. 115 Eagle street, Brooklyn.
 23811. Frank Kinsella, No. 408 Eighteenth street, Brooklyn.
 24928. William J. Kelly, No. 421 East Seventeenth street.
 23830. John F. LaFrenz, No. 29 India street, Brooklyn.
 23914. John J. Gilmartin, No. 1009 Sixth avenue.
 21312. John Waiblinger, No. 536 East Eighty-fourth street.

The requests of the following named applicants for the position of Patrolman for a physical re-examination were denied, the proof submitted by them being insufficient to convince the Commission that an error was made by the examining physician:

20793. Joseph F. Ryan, No. 85 North Oxford street, Brooklyn.
 21373. Samuel J. Benjamin, No. 165 Ryerson street, Brooklyn.
 24874. Hugh J. Graham, No. 231 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.
 24911. Peter Achtziger, No. 147 Diamond street, Brooklyn.

The Commission then adjourned to meet on Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 9.30 a. m.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.



CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

July 19—At a meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held on the 18th inst., the following-named persons were appointed Axemen, with salary at the rate of \$70 per month, to take effect when assigned to duty, viz.:

James H. McKenna, No. 600 East One Hundred and Forty-third street.

Courtlandt C. Van Vechten, Thirty-second street, New Brighton.

August Von Bartheld, No. 4390 Park avenue, The Bronx.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

July 19—

Appointed.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

As ununiformed Firemen for a probationary term of one month, from the 18th inst., with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum each:

George E. Bannan, to Engine Company 13.

John A. Kavanagh, Jr., to Hook and Ladder Company 1.

Thomas J. Hickey, as ununiformed Stoker, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem, to take effect from July 20, 1905, and assigned to Engine Company 51 (Fire-boat "Zophar Mills").

Promoted.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Fireman first grade George F. Ricketts, Engine Company 56, to be Assistant Foreman, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, to take effect from July 19, 1905, and assigned to Engine Company 30.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,

Borough of The Bronx.

July 19—Resignation of John M. Fitzgerald, No. 684 East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, Park Laborer, to take effect this date.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

July 17—Resignation of Thomas J. Shelley, Clerk, to take effect as of June 30, 1905, has been accepted.

The Commissioner has restored the wages of Thomas McGibney, Foreman Laborer, to the regular rate paid to Foreman Laborers, McGibney having reported for duty to-day.

July 18—The Commissioner has discharged Allen Price, Dock Builder, from the service of this Department for misconduct.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

July 20—The transfer of Mr. Henry Solinger, No. 32 Scammel street, Manhattan, from the position of Sweeper in the Department of Street Cleaning, to that of Laborer in this Department, notice of which was mailed to you on July 17, 1905, is hereby canceled, pursuant to a communication received this day from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, as follows:

"The authorization given you under date of the 14th inst. for the transfer of Harry Solinger from the position of Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning, to the position of Laborer in your Department, was issued to you in error, and the same is hereby canceled, as he has not been one year in that Department."

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

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 rant Clerk.

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Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
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First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a jury.
Fourth Thursday of February, without a jury.
Fourth Wednesday of March, without a jury.
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a jury.
Fourth Wednesday of July, without a jury.
Fourth Wednesday of September, without a jury.
Fourth Wednesday of October, without a jury.
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Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.
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Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.
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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10:30 A. M.
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Part III.
Part IV.
Part V.
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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
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Justices—John Courtney, Howard J. Forker, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.

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Second District—Flushing.
Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—John Croak, Nathaniel Marsh.
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Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**Borough of Manhattan.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards and all that part of the First Ward lying West of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands.
New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, Corner of Wooster street.

Wauhoopie Lynn, Justice. Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, No. 59 Madison street.

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

George F. Roesch, Justice. Andrew Lang, Clerk.
Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Livingston street, and on the centre line of Livingston street south to Norfolk street.

Benjamin Hoffman, Justice. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.

Daniel F. Martin, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk.
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock except Sundays and legal holidays, and continues open to close of business.

Herman Joseph, Justice.
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 9 A. M.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.

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

Henry Merzbach, Clerk.

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

Joseph P. Fallon, Justice. William J. Kennedy, Clerk.

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

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street, Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Thomas E. Murray, Justice. Michael Skelly, Clerk.

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

Francis J. Worcester, Justice. Herman B. Wilson, Clerk.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the center line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the center line of Seventh avenue and south of the center line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway and south of the center line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2630 Broadway.

Alfred P. W. Seaman, Justice; James V. Gilloon, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Leon Sanders, Justice. James J. Devlin, Clerk.

Court-room, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

William W. Penfield, Justice. Thomas F. Delehanty, Clerk.

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

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

John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.

John J. Waish, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.

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

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 405 Gates avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 9 o'clock A. M.

Gerard B. Van Wan, Justice. William H. Allen, Clerk.

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

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

William J. Lynch, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.

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

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

Thomas H. Williams, Justice.

G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk.

R. M. Bennett, Assistant Clerk.

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

Fifth District—Eight, Twenty-second, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.

Cornelius Fargueson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

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

Thomas C. Kaden, Justice. Thomas F. Kennedy, Clerk.

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

William Rasquin, Jr., Justice. Henry Walter, Jr., Clerk.

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

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former towns and villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Kew-Forest Beach.

James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Telephone, 180 Jamaica.

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

Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock A. M.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.

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

Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M.

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

George W. Stake, Justice. Peter Iernan, Clerk.

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

Court opens at 9 A. M. Calendar called at 9 A. M.

Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

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 QUEENS.

List 8452, No. 1. Sewer in Academy street, from Grand avenue to a point 500 feet south of Grand avenue, First Ward.

List 8454, No. 2. Sewer in Carver street, between Newtown and Flushing avenues, First Ward.

List 8455, No. 3. Sewer in Crescent street, from Flushing avenue to Hoyt avenue, First Ward.

List 8457, No. 4. Sewer in Davis street, from Jackson avenue to the Long Island Railroad tracks, First Ward.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Academy street, from Grand avenue to a point about 500 feet south of Grand avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Carver street, from Flushing avenue to Newtown avenue; north side of Newtown avenue, from DeBevoise avenue to Carver street; west side of DeBevoise avenue, about 315 feet north of Newtown avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Crescent street, from Flushing avenue to Hoyt avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Davis street, from Jackson avenue to within about 100 feet of the Long Island Railroad tracks.

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 August 23, 1905, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 8391, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Mapes avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

List 8399, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Weeks avenue, from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

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—

1. Both sides of Mapes avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

2. Both sides of Weeks avenue, from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

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1. Both sides of Mapes avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

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CRESCENT STREET, from Liberty avenue to Pitkin avenue.

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

2,770 square yards of asphalt pavement.
385 cubic yards of concrete.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LAFAYETTE AVENUE, from Cumberland street to Vanderbilt avenue.

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

4,075 square yards of asphalt pavement.
4,075 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.
1,200 linear feet of new curbstone.
650 linear feet of old curbstone.
13 noiseless covers and heads complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING PRESIDENT STREET, from Bedford avenue to Rogers avenue.

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

1,310 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.
11,868 cubic yards of earth excavation.
65 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING UNION STREET, from Bedford avenue to Rogers avenue.

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

1,185 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.
28,913 cubic yards of earth excavation.
59 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

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

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING EAST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Avenue F to Glenwood road.

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

1,620 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.
1,510 cubic yards of earth excavation.
80 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President.

Dated July 20, 1905.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 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, JULY 26, 1905.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OFFICE FURNITURE, CARPETS, SHADES, ETC., FOR THE OFFICES OF THE COUNTY CLERK, HALL OF RECORDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President.

Dated July 7, 1905.

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

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York City, March 26, 1904.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1905.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

1,325 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

235 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

950 linear feet of old curbstone rejoined, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 20 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN CROTONA AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Minerva place.

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

7,550 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,350 cubic yards of rock excavation.
15,700 cubic yards of filling.

8,850 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoined and reset.

32,400 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

3,500 square feet of old flagging, rejoined and relaid.

3,000 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

160 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry, in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

280 square feet of old bridgestone rejoined and relaid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 125 working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPP

laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary, in Kingsbridge avenue, between West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Broadway.

No. 496. Paving with asphalt blocks on concrete where the grade is less than three per cent., and medina stone on concrete where the grade is three per cent. or over, and setting curb where necessary, in Boscobel avenue, between Jerome avenue at One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Aqueduct avenue at Washington Bridge, as a connection between the Concourse and the Washington Bridge, the same to be done as a general improvement and at least one-half of the cost to be borne and paid by the City at large.

No. 497. Paving with asphalt blocks on concrete foundation Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and setting curb where necessary.

No. 498. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between Southern Boulevard and Hoe avenue; and in Hoe avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

No. 499. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between Morris avenue and Findlay avenue; and in College and Findlay avenues, between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

No. 500. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Rochambeau avenue, from Bainbridge avenue to East Two Hundred and Twelfth street.

No. 501. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Steuben avenue, from Moshulu parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 502. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Kossuth place, from Moshulu parkway to DeKalb avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

No. 503. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in East Two Hundred and Eighth street, from Reservoir Oval, West, to Jerome avenue.

No. 504. Paving with sheet asphalt on concrete where the grade is under two per cent., and block asphalt on concrete where grade is over two per cent., and setting curb where necessary in Hughes avenue, between Tremont avenue and St. John's College.

No. 505. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Beck street, between Prospect and Leggett avenues.

No. 506. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Beck street, between Prospect and Leggett avenues.

No. 507. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the opening of One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Park to Morris avenue, as laid down on the map of The City of New York.

No. 508. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Rochambeau avenue, from Two Hundred and Twelfth street to division line of the property of William W. Niles and that formerly owned by Michael Varian, as per map hereto attached.

No. 509. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Decatur avenue, between East Two Hundred and Seventh street to Gun Hill road.

No. 513. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue, with a branch in Townsend avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Belmont street.

No. 514. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in the Grand Boulevard and Concourse (both sides), between East Two Hundred and Fourth street and Van Cortlandt avenue; in East Two Hundred and Sixth street, between Moshulu parkway, South, and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; and in Van Cortlandt avenue (south side), between Moshulu parkway, South, and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on August 3, 1905, at 4 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated JULY 20, 1905.
LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
jy21,24,29,33

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, 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:

No. 510. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Thaman avenue (First street), between Zerega avenue (Green lane) and Benson avenue (Madison avenue).

No. 511. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in City Island avenue (Main street), from Minneford avenue to Long Island Sound, at the southerly end of City Island.

No. 512. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in City Island avenue (Main street), from Minneford avenue to Long Island Sound, at the southerly end of City Island.

No. 515. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Zerega avenue, between Castle Hill avenue, near Hart's street, to Castle Hill avenue, at or near the West Farms road, being the whole length of Zerega avenue (including Avenue A and Green lane).

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on August 3, 1905, at 4.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated JULY 20, 1905.
LOUIS F. HAFKEN,
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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

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

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1905.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRICK DUCT AND EXHAUST AIR OUTLET BOX IN THE CITY HALL IN CONNECTION WITH THE VENTILATING SYSTEM.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is eighteen (18) working days.

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

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

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

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, July 17, 1905.
jy18,28

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

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

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 932.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRANITE STONE FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER WALL.

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

For Class I., 120 calendar days.
For Class II., 60 calendar days.

The amount of security required is—

For Class I., the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars.

For Class II., the sum of Three Thousand 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 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 Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated JULY 15, 1905.
jy18,28

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

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

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

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1905.

Borough of The Bronx.

CONTRACT NO. 930.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A SEA WALL AT THE NORTHERLY END OF NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, EAST RIVER.

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

The amount of security required is Twenty-one Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 933.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND PUTTING IN PLACE ABOUT 15,000 CUBIC YARDS OF COBBLE AND ABOUT 20,000 CUBIC YARDS OF RIP-RAP STONE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is, for Class I., cobble, the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Dollars; Class II., rip-rap, the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, 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.

CONTRACT NO. 934.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 54,800 POUNDS OF MANILLA ROPE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

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

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

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

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated JULY 5, 1905.
jy8,21

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, March 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,
Secretary.

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 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 145 TONS WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE STOVE COAL; 30 TONS WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE NUT COAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1905.

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

The bidder will state the price per ton, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JULY 15, 1905.
jy17,28

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1905.

Borough of The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REMOVING SNOW AND ICE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before April 15, 1906.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder.

The bidder will state the price per cubic yard, by which the bids will be tested. 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 JULY 13, 1905.
jy15,26

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

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

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

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1905.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEVEN (7) SWEEPING MACHINES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

The bidder will state the price per sweeping machine contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

J. MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JULY 7, 1905.
jy10,21

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

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

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE (5) SWEEPING MACHINES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

The bidder will state the price per sweeping machine contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

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J. MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JULY 7, 1905.
jy10,21

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

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

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REMOVING SNOW AND ICE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before April 15, 1906.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for each district, if the bid is for less than the eleven districts into which the Borough of Manhattan is divided for the purposes of the Department of Street Cleaning, and One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) for all the districts of the Borough.

Each bid or estimate must be for one or more of the eleven districts into which the Borough of Manhattan is divided for the purposes of the Department of Street Cleaning. Each bid must state the price or prices per cubic yard for each district for which the bid is made.

A contract, or contracts, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder for each district.

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

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JULY 7, 1905.
jy8,21

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ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 1905.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 28, LOCATED AT NO. 1907 AMSTERDAM AVENUE, MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

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 THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A BUILDING FOR ENGINE COMPANY 23, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, 225 FEET WEST OF SEVENTH AVENUE, MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is two hundred and thirty (230) days.

The amount of security required is Sixteen Thousand Dollars.

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

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

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated JULY 12, 1905.
jy13,25

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 a. m. on

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 1905.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH RUBBER FIRE HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT THOUSAND FEET OF 2½-INCH COTTON FABRIC RUBBER-LINED FIRE HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND FEET OF ¾-INCH COTTON FABRIC RUBBER-LINED FIRE HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800).

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 directed.

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

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated JULY 12, 1905.

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BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 107 WEST FORTY-FIRST STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Elections of The City of New York at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY PRINTING AND SUPPLIES FOR ELECTION PURPOSES FOR THE YEAR 1905.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract for the Primary Elections, is on or before August 31, 1905, and for the General Election, on or before October 1, 1905.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and samples may be seen at the office of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, No. 107 West Forty-first street.

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
CHARLES B. PAGE,
JOHN MAGUIRE,
MICHAEL J. DADY,
Commissioners of Elections of The City of New York.

A. C. ALLEN,
Chief Clerk.
Dated JULY 15, 1905.

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 avenue in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
NORTHERN AVENUE—OPENING, from West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to points 784.3 feet and 756.23 feet northerly therefrom. Confirmed June 19, 1905; entered July 20, 1905. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Southerly by a line parallel to and 100 feet south of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, easterly by Fort Washington avenue, northerly by a line parallel to and 200 feet northerly from the northerly boundary of Northern avenue and westerly by the Boulevard Lafayette, as such area is shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

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

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

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record." "The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.; and all payments made thereon on or before September 18, 1905, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment."

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 20, 1905.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, buildings, parts of build-

ings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines and on property owned by The City of New York, and acquired for streets.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

1. All of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for Clark street, between Hopkins avenue and Van Alst street, First Ward, Borough of Queens. Sale will take place Wednesday, August 9, at 10 a. m., on the premises.

2. All of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for Debevoise avenue (Second avenue), between Jackson avenue and Flushing avenue, First Ward, Borough of Queens. Sale will take place Wednesday, August 9, at 11 a. m., on the premises.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

1. All of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for Nostrand avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Avenue U. Sale will take place Friday, August 11, at 10 a. m., on the premises.

2. All of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for Martense street, from New York avenue to Flatbush avenue. Sale will take place Friday, August 11, at 11 a. m., on the premises.

3. All of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for Tenth avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth street. Sale will take place Friday, August 11, at 1 p. m., on the premises.

All of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of the above described streets, shall be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of said streets, from the streets by the purchaser or purchasers within thirty days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fail to effect a removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., and The City of New York will cause the same to be removed without notice to the purchaser.

Purchasers to be liable for any and all damages of any kind whatsoever by reason of the occupancy or removal of said buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc.

The bidder's assent and agreement to the above terms and conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

By direction of the Comptroller sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue at the time stated herein.

Full particulars of sale can be obtained at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 20, 1905.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

EIGHTH AND THIRTIETH WARDS, SECTION 3. FIFTY-FIRST STREET REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING OR RESETTING CURB AND PAVING GUTTERS WITH BRICK, where not already done, between Sixth and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-first street, from Sixth to Eighth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues. That the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 18, 1905, and entered July 19, 1905, in the Records 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 the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before September 18, 1905, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 19, 1905.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET (FOX STREET)—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street (Fox street), from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET (WILLIAM STREET)—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Arthur avenue to Belmont avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Arthur avenue to Belmont avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

CLIFFORD PLACE—SEWERS, between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue; TOWNSEND AVENUE—SEWER, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; WALTON AVENUE—SEWER, between Clifford place and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clifford place, from Jerome avenue to Walton avenue; both sides of Townsend avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; both sides of Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to Clifford place; east side of Jerome avenue, from Clifford place to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Townsend avenue to Jerome avenue.

MOHEGAN AVENUE—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, between East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Mohegan avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Southern Boulevard to Mohegan avenue; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Mohegan avenue to Honeywell avenue.

That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 18, 1905, and entered on July 19, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above 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 September 18, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 19, 1905.

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Room 141, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging, erected upon real estate, acquired for various purposes, belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, viz.:

All the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to all the buildings with the appurtenances thereto belonging, erected upon the following described property:

(Acquired for Carnegie Library Purposes.)
1. The property on the southerly side of East Twenty-third street, near Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Twenty-third street distant 335 feet easterly from the intersection of the easterly side of Third avenue with the southerly side of Twenty-third street; running thence southerly and parallel with Third avenue 98 feet 9 inches to the centre line of the block; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block 50 feet; running thence northerly and parallel with Third avenue 98 feet 9 inches to the southerly side of Twenty-third street; running thence westerly and along the southerly side of Twenty-third street 50 feet to the point or place of beginning, said premises being known as Nos. 228, 230 and 232 East Twenty-third street.

By direction of the Comptroller sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue, on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for Carnegie Library Purposes.)
2. The property at the intersection of the westerly side of Brook street, or avenue, and the southerly side of Canal street, in the Borough of Richmond, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Brook street, or avenue, with the southerly side of Canal street; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Brook avenue, or street, 87 feet; thence westerly and at right angles with Brook avenue, or street, 96 feet; thence northwesterly and at right angles with Canal street 38 feet to the southeasterly side of Canal street; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly side of Canal street 84 feet 6 inches; thence easterly along the southeasterly side of Canal street 68 feet 6 inches to the point or place of beginning.

By direction of the Comptroller sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue, on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

The buildings on the premises severally above described shall be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of one-half of the purchase price, as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter. The word "removal" means that the buildings so sold shall be taken down to the curb level and the cellar properly filled in and graded.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within said period, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against and from all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials, machinery, implement or appliance used in the removal of said building by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding. The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right, on the day of sale, to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, or parts of buildings, included in any of the foregoing parcels.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 19, 1905.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Room 141, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging, erected upon real estate, acquired for various purposes, belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, viz.:

All the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to all the buildings with the appurtenances thereto belonging, erected upon the following described property:

(Acquired for the Board of Education.)

1. The property on Marcy avenue, between Rodney and Keap streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Keap street with the northwesterly line of Marcy avenue, and running thence northwesterly along the northwesterly line of Keap street 225 feet; thence northwesterly and parallel with Marcy avenue 100 feet; thence southwesterly and parallel with Keap street 3 feet; thence northwesterly and again parallel with Marcy avenue 100 feet, to the southeasterly line of Rodney street; thence southwesterly along the southeasterly line of Rodney street 222 feet to the northwesterly line of Marcy avenue; thence southeasterly along the northwesterly line of Marcy avenue 200 feet to the northwesterly line of Keap street, the point or place of beginning; and also

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of the above described property distant 70 feet southeasterly from a point on the southeasterly line of Rodney street distant 222 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Marcy avenue; and running thence southeasterly along the northwesterly line of the above described property 30 feet; thence northwesterly along the northwesterly line of the above described property 3 feet; thence again southeasterly and again along the northwesterly line of the above described property 4 feet 6 inches; thence northwesterly and parallel with Rodney street 25 feet; thence northwesterly 33 feet; thence southwesterly and again parallel with Rodney street 13 feet to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, being all that part of Lot No. 35, in Block 2195, Section 5, of the Tax Maps of the Borough of Brooklyn, not included within the area of the above described property.

By direction of the Comptroller sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue, on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for the Board of Education.)

2. The property on the easterly side of Hicks street, between Middagh and Poplar streets, Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Middagh street with the easterly line of Hicks street, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Hicks street 201 feet 8 inches to the southerly line of Poplar street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Poplar street 169 feet 6 inches; thence southerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Hicks street 201 feet 6 inches to the northerly line of Middagh street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Middagh street 168 feet 9 inches to the easterly line of Hicks street, the point or place of beginning.

By direction of the Comptroller sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue, on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for the Board of Education.)

3. The property on Jackson avenue, Boston road and Home street, adjoining the Morris High School, Borough of The Bronx, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of the lands of the Morris High School with the westerly line of Jackson avenue, which point is distant 200 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and running thence northerly along the westerly line of Jackson avenue 373.45 feet to the southerly line of Home street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Home street 127.56 feet to the easterly line of Boston road; thence southerly along the easterly

line of Boston road 408.51 feet to the northerly line of the lands of the Morris High School; thence westerly along the northerly line of the lands of the Morris High School 290.75 feet to the westerly line of Jackson avenue, the point or place of beginning.

By direction of the Comptroller, sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for the Department of Bridges).
4. The property on Front street, near Adams street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Front street at a point distant 78 feet, more or less, easterly from the southeasterly corner of Adams and Front streets; running thence easterly along Front street 26 feet 9 inches, more or less, to land of The City of New York; thence southerly along said land of The City of New York and parallel with Adams street 137 feet; thence westerly and parallel with Front street 26 feet 9 inches, more or less, and thence northerly and parallel with Adams street 137 feet to the point or place of beginning, said premises being known by the number 114 Front street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

By direction of the Comptroller, sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for the Department of Bridges).
5. The property on the northwesterly corner of Pearl and York streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Pearl and York streets; running thence northerly along Pearl street 79 feet 4 inches; thence westerly and parallel, or nearly so, with York street 51 feet 7 inches; thence southerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pearl street 79 feet 6 inches to the northerly side of York street, and thence easterly along York street 51 feet and 6 inches to the place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less. Subject to the right of the owner of the lot adjoining on the west to maintain the beams of the shed on said lot in the westerly wall of the westerly building on the land hereby described.

By direction of the Comptroller, sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for the Department of Bridges).
6. The property on the southwesterly corner of Front and Pearl streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of Front and Pearl streets; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Pearl street 137 feet 2 inches; thence westerly parallel, or nearly so, with Front street 101 feet 3 inches; thence northerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pearl street 135 feet 11 inches to the southerly side of Front street, and thence easterly along the southerly side of Front street 101 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning. And also

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Pearl street distant 79 feet 4 inches northerly from the northwesterly corner of Pearl street and York street; running thence northerly along Pearl street 58 feet; thence westerly and parallel, or nearly so, with York street 100 feet 6 inches; thence northerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pearl street 1 foot; thence westerly and parallel, or nearly so, with York street 4 feet 2 inches; thence southerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pearl street 64 feet; thence easterly and parallel, or nearly so, with York street 53 feet 6 inches; thence northerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pearl street 4 feet 2 inches, and thence easterly and parallel, or nearly so, with York street 51 feet 7 inches to the place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

By direction of the Comptroller, sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

(Acquired for the Board of Education).
7. The property in East Forty-first and Forty-second streets, between Third and Second avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of East Forty-first street distant 105 feet easterly from the easterly line of Third avenue, and running thence northerly and parallel with Third avenue 119 feet 9 inches to the southerly line of lands of Public School 27; thence southeasterly along the southerly line of said lands of Public School 27 38 feet 11 inches to an angle in said line; thence easterly and still along the southerly line of said lands of Public School 27 67 feet 2 inches to the easterly line of lands of said school; thence northerly along the said easterly line of lands of Public School 27 98 feet 9 inches to the southerly line of East Forty-second street; thence easterly along the southerly line of East Forty-second street 50 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Third avenue 197 feet 6 inches to the northerly line of East Forty-first street; thence westerly along the northerly line of East Forty-first street 150 feet to the point or place of beginning.

By direction of the Comptroller, sales of the above property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on Thursday, August 10, 1905, at 10 a. m.

The buildings on the premises severally above described, shall be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of one-half of the purchase price, as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter. The word "removal" means that the buildings so sold shall be taken down to the curb level and the cellar properly filled in and graded.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within said period, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them against and from all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper

or defective materials, machinery, implement or appliance used in the removal of said building by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding. The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right, on the day of the sale, to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, or parts of buildings, included in any of the foregoing parcels.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 18, 1905.
J. W. STEVENSON,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.
BONNER PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Morris avenue to its easterly terminus. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bonner place, running easterly from Morris avenue about 225 feet, and including Lot No. 37 of Block 2423, to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Morris avenue.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, PAVING, CURBING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Cypress avenue to Locust avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, commencing about 112 feet west of Cypress avenue to Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Webster avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Webster avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Weeks avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Weeks avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—LAYING TELFORD MACADAM PAVEMENT AND CONSTRUCTING GUTTERS, from Arthur avenue to the Southern Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Arthur avenue to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

HUGHES AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING FENCES AND CONSTRUCTING APPROACHES, from Tremont avenue to the lands of Fordham College. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hughes avenue, from Tremont avenue to land of Fordham College, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TREMONT AVENUE—REREGULATING AND REGRADING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING AND RE-FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS A SPACE OF FOUR FEET WIDE, LAYING AND RELAYING OF CROSSWALKS, BUILDING AND REBUILDING RETAINING WALLS, ERECTING FENCES AND PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCKS, from Third avenue to Boston road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Tremont avenue, from Third avenue to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.
PEROT STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Boston avenue to Sedgwick avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Perot street, from Boston avenue to Sedgwick avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 13, 1905, and entered on July 13, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above 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 September 11, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 13, 1905.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

THIRD WARD.

TWENTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALK, on the west side, from the Long Island Railroad Depot to Queens avenue. Area of assessment: West side of Twenty-second street, from the Long Island Railroad Depot to Queens avenue; —that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on July 11, 1905, and entered on July 11, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessments shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessments to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before September 9, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 11, 1905.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.
MORGAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, between Stagg street and Metropolitan avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morgan avenue, from Stagg street to Metropolitan avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

MORGAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Metropolitan avenue and Meeker avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morgan avenue, from Metropolitan avenue to Meeker avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.
TENTH AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, between Fifteenth street and Prospect avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Fifteenth street to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.
CHESTNUT STREET—GRADING, PAVING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURB, between Jamaica avenue and Atlantic avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Chestnut street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 18 AND 19.
EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING BRICK GUTTERS, between Seventh avenue and Thirteenth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, between Seventh avenue and Thirteenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 11, 1905, and entered July 11, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before September 9, 1905, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 11, 1905.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau

for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

DAWSON STREET—OPENING, from Craven street (East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street) to Intervale avenue. Confirmed June 8, 1905; entered July 7, 1905. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between Kelly street and Beck street with the middle line of the blocks between Leggett avenue and Avenue St. John; running thence northwesterly along the last-mentioned middle line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Prospect avenue and Hewitt place; thence northeasterly and northerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and middle line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Westchester avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Kelly street and Tiffany street; thence southerly and southwesterly along said middle line of the blocks and along the middle line of the blocks between Kelly street and Beck street to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before September 5, 1905, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 7, 1905.
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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.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES, bid or estimate, bond, contract and specifications—

FOR MODELS FOR THE MASON, IRON AND CARPENTER WORK FOR THE BUILDINGS FOR THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO BE ERECTED ON THE PLOTS OF GROUND, LOCATED ON ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

1. Sealed bids or estimates for the above work will be received by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York, at the office of the Board, Lexington avenue and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock m., on

MONDAY JULY 31 1905.

2. The time allowed for doing and completing the work herein specified for the Sub-Freshman and Gymnasium Buildings will be 21 calendar days, and the Main and Chemical Buildings 110 calendar days, the time of each beginning from the award of the contract. (Ordinances, section 351.) (Ordinances, section 354.)

3. The amount of security required will be not less than twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. (Ordinances, section 346.)

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

5. East 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 that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York, is, shall be or become interested directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise, in, or in the performance of the contract, 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 making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. (Ordinances, section 347.) (Charter, section 1533.)

6. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to The City of New York any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which The City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same; that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. (Ordinances, section 349.)

7. No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State 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 security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him. (Charter, section 420.)

8. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the City upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City. (Charter, section 419.)

9. Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give proper security, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to The City of New York, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law. (Charter, section 420.)

10. For particulars as to the quantity and quality and of the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and the plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. (Ordinances, section 346.)

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

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

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

14. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if they deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do. (Charter, section 419.)

EDWARD M. SHEPARD,

Chairman;

CHARLES PUTZEL,

Secretary;

FREDERICK P. BELLAMY,

JAMES BYRNE,

JAMES W. HYDE,

JOSEPH F. MULQUEEN,

THEO. F. MILLER,

M. WARLEY PLATZKE,

PARKER D. HANDY,

HENRY N. TIFFT,

Board of Trustees and

Committee on Buildings.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 18, 1905.

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1905,

At 12 o'clock, noon.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING

410 GROSS TONS OF RED ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS, TO THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AND ITS ANNEXES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before August 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

The bidders must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or sched-

ules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, by which 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, College of The City of New York, southeast corner of Lexington avenue and Twenty-third street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

EDWARD M. SHEPARD,

Chairman, Board of Trustees.

Dated July 17, 1905.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

ARMORY BOARD, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor, Chairman of the Armory Board, in The City of New York, until 2 p. m.,

MONDAY, JULY 31, 1905.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO ARMORY OF THE SEVENTH REGIMENT, N. G. N. Y.

Security required, One Thousand Dollars. Deposit to be made with the bid, Fifty Dollars. Time allowed for doing the work, 60 working days.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE QUARTERS FOR THE FIRST SIGNAL CORPS IN THE NEW SEVENTH REGIMENT ARMORY, N. G. N. Y.

Security required, Five Thousand Dollars. Deposit to be made with the bid, Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars. Time allowed for the work, ninety (90) working days.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE ARMORY FOR SQUADRON C. N. G. N. Y., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Security required, Twenty Thousand Dollars. Deposit to be made with the bid, One Thousand Dollars. Time allowed for doing the work, sixty (60) working days.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Armory Board, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Armory Board, No. 280 Broadway, Stewart Building, Manhattan.

THE ARMORY BOARD.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor;

JAMES McLEER, Brigadier-General, Commanding Second Brigade;

GEORGE MOORE SMITH, Brigadier-General, Commanding First Brigade;

FRANK A. O'DONNELL, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments;

CHARLES V. FORNES, President of the Board of Aldermen.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, July 18, 1905.

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

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

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

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

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

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

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

Designation by Board of City Record April 26, 1904.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, July 11, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

INSPECTOR OF INCUMBRANCES (MALE ONLY), TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1905, AT 10 A. M.

Receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, July 26, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special paper 5
Mathematics 1
Report 2
Experience 2

The percentage required is 75 on the special paper, and 70 on all.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.
WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;
R. ROSS APPLETON, Alfred J. Talley, Civil Service Commissioners.
HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 12, 1905.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, July 7, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

OFFICE BOY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1905, AT 10 A. M.

Applications will be received from July 10 to July 24, inclusive, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

General paper 3
Arithmetic 3
Letter writing 2
Handwriting (rated on letter) 2

Candidates will be required to receive 70 per cent. in order to pass the examination.

In the general paper, candidates will be asked elementary questions in United States history and geography, and will also be asked questions designed to ascertain their intelligence and fitness.

Candidates must not be over 18 years of age. The salary attached to this position is \$300 per annum.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;
R. ROSS APPLETON, Alfred J. Talley, Civil Service Commissioners.
HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 8, 1905.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, July 7, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

INSPECTOR ELECTRICAL LIGHTING AND CONDUCTORS, THURSDAY, JULY 27, AT 10 A. M.

Receipt of applications will close on Saturday, July 22, at 12 m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical 5
Mathematics 1
Report 2
Experience 2

The percentage required is 75 on the technical and 70 on all.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,250 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.
WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;
R. ROSS APPLETON, Alfred J. Talley, Civil Service Commissioners.
HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 8, 1905.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, June 30, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

SUPERINTENDENT OF PONDS AND RESERVOIRS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1905, AT 10 A. M.

Receipt of applications will close on Saturday, July 15, at 12 m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special 5
Arithmetic 2
Experience 3

The percentage required is 70.

Candidates must be familiar with the watershed of the Borough of Brooklyn and local conditions thereon; and with the methods of handling and maintaining a mixed gravity and pumping supply.

Candidates must submit to physical examination. The salary attached to the position is \$2,000 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.
WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;
R. ROSS APPLETON, Alfred J. Talley, Civil Service Commissioners.
HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 12, 1905.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 61 ELM STREET, CORNER OF LEONARD STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1905.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR the following positions on and after April 3, 1905:

Foreman of Park Laborers, Department of Parks.
Foreman of Dock Laborers, Department of Docks and Ferries.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 12, 1905.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, June 16, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

JUNIOR CLERK (MALE), WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1905, AT 10 A. M.

Applications will be received from June 22 to July 6, inclusive.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Spelling 15
Dictation 15
Handwriting 30
Arithmetic 20
Letter writing 20

The percentage required is 70 on all.

Candidates must not be less than 18 years of age, nor more than 25 years of age.

Salary, \$480 to \$600 per annum.
WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;
R. ROSS APPLETON, Alfred J. Talley, Civil Service Commissioners.
HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 12, 1905.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF all competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the CITY RECORD for two weeks in advance of the

date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Post-office and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;
R. ROSS APPLETON, Alfred J. Talley, Commissioners.
HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

July 12, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

MONDAY, JULY 31, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. SANITARY WORK AND GASFITTING, ALSO FITTINGS AND FURNITURE FOR LABORATORIES, ETC., OF ERASMUS HALL HIGH SCHOOL, ON THE EAST SIDE OF FLATBUSH AVENUE, ABOUT 205 FEET NORTH OF GRANT STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 75 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1 \$12,000 00
Item 2 4,000 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item, and award will be made thereon.

No. 2. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN ERASMUS HALL HIGH SCHOOL, ON EAST SIDE OF FLATBUSH AVENUE, ABOUT 205 FEET NORTH OF GRANT STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars.

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

On Contract No. 1 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

Also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Dated July 19, 1905.

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

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

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

MONDAY, JULY 31, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 3. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 25, NO. 326 FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 100 working days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 52, ON BROADWAY, ACADEMY STREET AND VERMILYEA AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 64, ON NINTH AND TENTH STREETS, ABOUT 93 FEET EAST OF AVENUE B, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. INSTALLING ELECTRIC ELEVATORS IN DE WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, ON WEST SIDE OF TENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTY-EIGHTH AND FIFTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

Borough of Queens.

No. 7. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 29, ON THE CORNER OF SIXTH AVENUE AND SIXTEENTH STREET, COLLEGE POINT, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 8. FOR ADDITIONS IN AND ALTERATIONS TO HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 30, ON SOUTH SIDE OF NINTHTEENTH STREET, NEAR ELEVENTH AVENUE, WHITESTONE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated JULY 20, 1905.

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

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

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

MONDAY, JULY 24, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR THE SANITARY WORK AND GAS-FITTING OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 38, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF CLARK STREET, BETWEEN DOMINICK AND BROOME STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 75 working days. The amount of security required is Thirteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR ALTERATIONS AND DIVISIONS TO HEATING APPARATUS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS 20, 111 AND 124, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be until August 28, 1905, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 20..... \$2,000 00
Public School 111..... 900 00
Public School 124..... 150 00
A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 10, ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF EAGLE AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 80 working days. The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

Borough of Queens.

No. 4. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC. AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 79, SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS, WHITESTONE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 50 working days. The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 4, ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF CRESCENT STREET, ABOUT 101 FEET WEST OF BEEBE AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 40 working days. The amount of security required is Seventeen Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR HEATING REPAIRS, ETC., OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 33, 34, 46 AND 47, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 40 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 2..... \$300 00
Public School 33..... 200 00
Public School 34..... 400 00
Public School 46..... 800 00
Public School 47..... 600 00
A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 7. FOR REPAIRING FURNITURE, ETC. IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 40 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Item 1..... \$1,000 00
Item 2..... 1,000 00
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 8. FOR SANITARY WORK OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 33, ON NORTHWEST CORNER OF WASHINGTON AVENUE AND THOMPSON STREET, GRANT CITY, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 60 working days. The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS AND ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 33, ON NORTHWEST CORNER OF WASHINGTON AVENUE AND THOMPSON STREET, GRANT CITY, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 40 working days. The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 10. FOR FURNITURE OF CURTIS HIGH SCHOOL, AT THE INTERSECTION OF ST. MARK'S PLACE AND HAMILTON AVENUE, NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 40 working days. The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR NEW FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 18, ON BROADWAY, MARKET AND WINEGAR STREETS, WEST NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Item 1..... \$900 00
Item 2..... 700 00
Item 3..... 300 00
Item 4..... 1,000 00
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

On Contracts Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 2, 6, 7 and 11 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, and Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated JULY 13, 1905.

jy13,24

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

To whom it may concern:

Take notice that application has been made to the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York, and a petition filed with said Board by the Standard Manufacturing Company, for the approval of a site on which to erect a plant for the treatment and rendering of bones and fat collected in The City of New York, principally in the Borough of Manhattan. The proposed location of the site for the carrying on of the said business is in the Borough of Queens, fronting on Newtown creek, in said Borough, about one thousand feet east of Greenpoint avenue.

Take notice further that action by the Board of Health will be taken on said application at a regular meeting of the said Board, to be held at its offices in The City of New York, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, on the 26th day of July, 1905, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and a hearing will then and there be had on said application and opportunity be given at said time and place to any person to show cause why the said application should not be granted and the site approved by the said Board of Health.

Dated New York, July 14, 1905.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER,
Secretary.

jy14,25

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

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

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO FIT UP AND FURNISH THE CHEMICAL LABORATORY, STOREROOM, ETC., IN THE LABORATORY BUILDING AT THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 45 consecutive working days.

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

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

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

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D.,
President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM McADOO,
Board of Health.

Dated JULY 7, 1905.

jy7,25

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

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

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

TUESDAY JULY 25, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT AND DELIVER COMPLETE ONE SIXTY-FOOT STEAM LAUNCH FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

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

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

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

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D.,
President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM McADOO,
Board of Health.

Dated JULY 7, 1905.

jy7,25

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, JULY 17, 1905.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following named horses will be sold at public auction, at the Thirty-third Precinct, One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Amsterdam avenue, at 11 a. m., July 28, 1905.

SANGER, No. 28, Fortieth Precinct.
STUD, No. 104, Seventy-sixth Precinct.
BOB, No. 174, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
CHAPPIE, No. 411, Forty-first Precinct.
KINGDOVE, No. 30, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
MERCURY, No. 157, Forty-third Precinct.
NERO, No. 341, Seventy-second Precinct.
MARSHAL, No. 497, Sixty-seventh Precinct.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
Property Clerk,
Police Department.

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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, JULY 25, 1905.

FOR SHOEING THE HORSES OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The term of this contract will begin on the first day of the month next succeeding its execution and delivery, and end on the 31st day of December, 1905.

Bidders must state prices at which he or they will furnish the necessary supplies and do all the necessary work, to shoe and remove shoes and reset shoes, sharpen shoes and furnish pads when required, for all the said horses of the Department, so as to keep their feet in good condition, and to secure for their comfort and freedom of action and a firm foothold at all seasons of the year, and to keep each horse thus well shod for at least one month, and also a price when any or all of said horses are to be shod with rubber pads. These prices must be the sum or amount per month for each patrol wagon horse; the sum or amount per month for each delivery wagon horse; the sum or amount per month for each light driving horse; and the sum or amount per month for each saddle horse; and these prices must be written out and must be given also in figures. The supplies required will include the following articles, all to be of the best quality of their kind: Hand made shoes, tips, "bar shoes," properly fitted shoes, rubber pads, leather soles, nails, and all other materials, tools, implements, appliances and machinery necessary, as well as all the coal necessary for the work, as may be required by the Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The bids will be compared by the total sums or amounts for the number of horses given and awarded at a price per month to the lowest bidder.

The bid may be made to include one or more precincts.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM McADOO,
Police Commissioner.

Dated JULY 13, 1905.

jy13,25

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

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, JULY 25, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING, AS SPECIFIED, MATERIAL FOR THE FURNISHING AND EQUIPMENT OF POLICE STATION-HOUSES, AND FOR OTHER DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1905.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and the Police Department reserves the right to award the contract by the entire schedule for all the articles, materials or supplies specified and contained in the annexed specifications and schedule, or to award for each item.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications on file in the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, City of New York.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM McADOO,
Police Commissioner.

Dated JULY 13, 1905.

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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.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
Property Clerk.

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

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

JOSEPH J. CAREY,
Deputy Property Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held July 14, 1905, a public hearing will be had relative to placing underground all railway feeder cables and wires, electric power and lighting cables and wires, electric signal wires, and all other electrical conductors of every name and description whatever, except what are specifically known as "trolley wires," and except, further, such wires and conductors as are now securely attached to the structure of the elevated railroads in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn: Alhambra road, between Brighton Beach Railroad and Ocean avenue; Bedford avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Eastern parkway; Bedford

avenue, between Church and Flatbush avenues; Boerum street and Court square, between Bergen and Fulton streets; Clark street, between Fulton street and Columbia Heights; Clymer street, between Lee and Kent avenues; Court street, between Atlantic avenue and Fourth place; DeKalb avenue, between Fulton street and Clinton avenue; Greene avenue, between Fulton street and Grand avenue; Hicks street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; Hoyt street, between Fulton and President streets; Ocean parkway, between Fort Hamilton avenue and the Concourse; Sands street, between Adams and Navy streets; Throop avenue, between Fulton street and Myrtle avenue; Tompkins avenue, between Fulton street and Myrtle avenue.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Secretary.

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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, AUGUST 3, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

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

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

The bids on lumber will be compared and 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 Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated JULY 19, 1905.

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

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

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 1905.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND PROPERLY INSTALLING NEW LAUNDRY MACHINERY, METAL DRY-ROOMS, ETC., IN NEW LAUNDRY BUILDING, WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 90 consecutive working days.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated JULY 8, 1905.

jy8,25

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

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

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

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated JULY 8, 1905.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The Morning Telegraph."

Evening—"The Globe and Commercial Advertiser," "The Daily News."

Weekly—"The Sunday Democrat," "The New York Realty Journal."

German—"The New Yorker Herald."

Designated by the Board of City Record, February 7, 1905.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1905.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED IN ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF PARADE GROUND BUILDING, TO BE ERECTED ON WESTERLY END OF PARADE GROUND, PARALLEL WITH CONEY ISLAND AVENUE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

JOHN J. PALLAS,

President;

HENRY C. SCHRADER;

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated JULY 17, 1905.

jy20,31

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, JULY 27, 1905.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A TOILET HOUSE IN PELHAM BAY PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred (100) days.

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

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

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

JOHN J. PALLAS,

President;

HENRY C. SCHRADER,

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated JULY 13, 1905.

jy15,27

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW.

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 1905.

FOR FURNISHING THE METAL WORK FOR THE ANCHORAGES AND CONSTRUCTING THE TOWERS, CABLES, SUSPENDERS AND SUSPENSIVE SUPERSTRUCTURE OF THE MANHATTAN BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of this work will be One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000).

The work must be completed by January 1, 1909.

As by far the greater part of this work can be executed only by bridge establishments of the first class, bids will be received only from such parties as have the requisite plant and facilities. The bidders must be, in the opinion of the Commissioner, fully qualified both by experience and in appliances to execute work of this character and importance, according to the highest standard of bridge work at the present time.

Blank forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

Dated JULY 18, 1905.

GEO. E. BEST,

Commissioner of Bridges.

jy20,31

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

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the 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, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of August, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 21, 1905.

CHARLES HAZEN RUSSELL,

BENI OPPENHEIMER,

ANDREW RUEHL,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

jy21,31

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2137, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of September, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 5, 1905.

JOHN C. COLEMAN,

EDWARD D. FARRELL,

JOHN J. MACKIN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

jy5,28

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 widening of THIRD AVENUE, on its easterly side, from Willis avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of July, 1905, Maurice Arnstein, Joseph Liebertz and Walter Muller, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Maurice Arnstein, Joseph Liebertz and Walter Muller, will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JULY 13, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,

Corporation Counsel,

No. 2 Tryon Row,

Borough of Manhattan,

New York City.

jy13,24

COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York, to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by SOUTH AND WATER STREETS, PIKE SLIP AND MARKET SLIP, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for bridge purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT EDWARD B. LA FETRA, William J. Wright and Alfred E. Ommen, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, in the above entitled proceeding, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on July 18, 1905, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court sitting at Special Term, Part II., at the County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to be examined by the Corporation Counsel or by any person interested in the above entitled proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, July 19, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,

Corporation Counsel,

No. 2 Tryon Row,

New York City.

jy20,31

COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by TWENTY-SEVENTH AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NINTH AND TENTH AVENUES, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for public park purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT James Barker, Harkness B. Devoe and James W. Boyle, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 18th day of July, 1905, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court sitting at Special Term, Part II., in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 31st day of July, 1905, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to be examined by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person interested in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, July 19, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,

Corporation Counsel,

No. 2 Tryon Row,

New York City.

jy20,31

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the EASTERLY SIDE OF AMSTERDAM AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, and also a strip of land thirty feet in width lying between the site of the College of The City of New York and St. Nicholas Park, and extending from Convent avenue to St. Nicholas terrace, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as an additional site for the College of The City of New York, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the City Clerk, the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the said City, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, July 20, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the second day of August, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated NEW YORK, July 19, 1905.

FREDERICK ST. JOHN,

MICHAEL B. STANTON,

JOHN M. CARTER, JR.,

Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,

Clerk.

jy20,31

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to new avenue bounding High Bridge Park, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2149, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of September, 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons

in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 7, 1905.

EDWARD W. MURPHY,

Chairman;

FERDINAND LEVY,

WM. H. GENTZLINGER,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

jy7,31

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 WALTON STREET (East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street), (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Marion 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, in re petition of John Miles et al., relative to damage caused by the closing and discontinuance of Orchard street, lying between Oliver place and East Two Hundredth street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 18, 1905.

FREDERICK A. TANNER,

HENRY REYNARD,

CORNELIUS DONOVAN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

jy18,28

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET distant three hundred thirty-five (335) feet easterly from the southeasterly corner of Third avenue and Twenty-third street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public library, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at its office, Room 805, No. 277 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, for the inspection of whomsoever it might concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days from the first publication of this notice, July 15, 1905, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated NEW YORK, July 14, 1905.

JAMES O. FARRELL,

SAMUEL SANDERS,

WILLIAM H. F. WOOD,

Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,

Clerk.

jy15,26

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FORD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tiebout avenue to Webster avenue, as laid out on Section 14 of the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 13th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 3143, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or

laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of September, 1905, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 17, 1905.

FRANCIS W. POLLOCK,
GERALD J. BARRY,
STANISLAUS J. VANECEK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

July 17, 05

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 BATHGATE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Pelham avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 13th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 3058 and 3059, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of September, 1905, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 15, 1905.

WALLACE S. FRASER,
JAMES H. GOGGIN,
PATRICK GORDON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

July 15, 05

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CAMERON PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 1st day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 3180, 3181, 3185 and 3186, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

sequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of September, 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 14, 1905.

J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN,
GEORGE BURCHILL,
GEORGE J. CLARKE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

July 14, 05

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 of PALISADE PLACE, from Putnam avenue to Sedgwick avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of July, 1905, T. Channon Press was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Charles G. F. Wahle, resigned.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said T. Channon Press will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated July 13, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

July 13, 05

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boston road to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of July, 1905, Gerald Barry, Patrick McGuire and Albert Elterich were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Charles G. F. Wahle, resigned.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Gerald Barry, Patrick McGuire and Albert Elterich will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated July 13, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

July 13, 05

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 PUBLIC PARK bounded by Farragut street, Edgewater road, Hunt's Point road and 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 I. thereof in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises,

with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of the public park bounded by Farragut street, Edgewater road, Hunt's Point road and 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 the intersection of the southern and the eastern lines of Hunt's Point road (as legally opened);

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of Hunt's Point road for 107.67 feet;

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 51 degrees 22 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 253.55 feet to the eastern line of Farragut street;

3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Farragut street for 509.99 feet;

4th. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 321.10 feet;

5th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 68 degrees 5 minutes to the left for 12.26 feet;

6th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 153.63 feet;

7th. Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 325 feet radius for 156.66 feet to the point of beginning.

This public park is shown as a public place on section 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 City of New York on July 8, 1893, as Map No. 28, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on July 12, 1893, as Map No. 355, 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 this public park is located in Blocks 2779 and 2780 of Section 10 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

July 12, 05

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bainbridge avenue to Creston avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of July, 1905, Nicholas J. O'Connell, George P. Baisley, Albert Elterich, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Nicholas J. O'Connell, George P. Baisley, Albert Elterich will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated July 13, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

July 13, 05

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 certain lands and premises required for an easement for a STORM RELIEF TUNNEL SEWER, from the Webster Avenue Sewer, near Wendover avenue, in the Millbrook Watershed (Sewerage District No. 33), to the Harlem river, about 231 feet north of High Bridge, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1905, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of July, 1905, Albert Elterich was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Charles G. F. Wahle, resigned.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Albert Elterich will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated July 13, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

July 13, 05

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 FOX STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Leggett avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 1st day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 2683 and 2684, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective

owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of September, 1905, at 11 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 the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 13, 1905.

JOHN J. O'BRIEN,
HENRY W. ILLWITZER,
PIERRE G. CARROLL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

July 13, 05

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 HAVEN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, 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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Haven avenue, from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eightieth street distant 487 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fort Washington avenue; thence northerly and at right angle, distance 296.87 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said line and in a curved line, radius 560 feet, distance 31.40 feet; thence still westerly and tangent to the curve, distance 31.40 feet; thence southerly and parallel to the first course and 60 feet therefrom, distance 278.75 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eightieth street distant 484.32 feet westerly from Fort Washington avenue; thence southerly at right angle, distance 760 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street at a point distant 450.38 feet westerly as measured along said street from Fort Washington avenue; thence westerly and along said line 60 feet; thence northerly and parallel to first course, distance 760 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Land to be taken is found in Section 8, Block 2177, of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a map entitled "Map and profiles of new streets, with their established grades, within the area bounded by One Hundred and Seventy-first street, One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Kingsbridge road and Boulevard Lafayette, to be known as One Hundred and Seventy-third, One Hundred and Seventy-fourth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, One Hundred and Seventy-sixth, One Hundred and Seventy-eighth, One Hundred and Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Eightieth streets, between Kingsbridge road and Buena Vista avenue; Haven avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets, and Buena Vista avenue, from the present terminus of Haven avenue north of One Hundred and Seventy-first street to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York," filed in the offices of the President of the Board of Public Improvements, the Register of the City and County of New York, and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 27th day of December, 1897.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

July 12, 05

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 SEABURY PLACE (although not yet named

by proper authority), from Charlotte street to Boston road, 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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Seabury place, from Charlotte street to Boston road, 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 Charlotte street distant 288.35 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Jennings street.

1. Thence northwesterly along the eastern line of Charlotte street for 89.45 feet.
2. Thence northwesterly deflecting 42 degrees 7 minutes 36 seconds to the right for 723.36 feet to the southern line of Boston road.
3. Thence easterly along last mentioned line for 68.51 feet.
4. Thence southwesterly for 822.76 feet to the point of beginning.

Seabury place is shown as an unnamed street on Section 10 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 June 10, 1895, as Map No. 77, of the Register of the City and County of New York, on June 14, 1895, as Map No. 1061, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1895.

The land to be taken for Seabury place is located in Blocks 2966, 2967 and 2977 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
jy12,25

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of COLLEGE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Teller avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 18, 1905.

WILLIAM W. NILES,
CHARLES V. HALLEY,
WILLIAM G. FISHER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
jy18,28

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 new street located between Broome and Spring streets and extending from the Bowery to Elm street, as laid out by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 29, 1903, and approved by the Mayor on June 17, 1903, in the Fourteenth 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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain new street located between Broome and Spring streets and extending from the Bowery to Elm street, in the Fourteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the line "C D" on the westerly line of the Bowery distant 229.97 feet northwesterly from Broome street as in possession:

- 1st. Thence westerly along line "C D" distant 200.10 feet to the easterly line of Elizabeth street distant 215.44 feet northwesterly from Broome street;
- 2d. Thence northwesterly along the easterly line of Elizabeth street, distance 80.70 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly and parallel with line "C D," distance 200.03 feet to the westerly line of the Bowery;
- 4th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of the Bowery, distance 80.71 feet to the point or place of beginning.

At Elizabeth Street.
Beginning at a point in the line "C D" on the westerly line of Elizabeth street distant 212.27 feet northwesterly from Broome street as in possession:

1st. Thence westerly along line "C D" distant 188.35 feet to easterly line of Mott street distant 198.05 feet northwesterly from Broome street;

- 2d. Thence northwesterly along the easterly line of Mott street, distance 80.69 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly and parallel with line "C D," distance 188.45 feet to the westerly line of Elizabeth street;
- 4th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Elizabeth street, distance 80.70 feet to the point or place of beginning.

At Mott Street.
Beginning at a point in the line "C D" on the westerly line of Mott street distant 194.26 feet northwesterly from Broome street as in possession:

- 1st. Thence westerly along line "C D," distance 200.54 feet to the easterly line of Mulberry street distant 179.84 feet northwesterly from Broome street;
- 2d. Thence northwesterly along the easterly line of Mulberry street, distance 80.67 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly and parallel with line "C D," distance 200.52 feet to the westerly line of Mott street;
- 4th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Mott street, distance 80.66 feet to the point or place of beginning.

At Mulberry Street.
Beginning at a point in the line "C D" on the westerly line of Mulberry street distant 176.28 feet northwesterly from Broome street as in possession:

- 1st. Thence westerly along line "C D," distance 200.31 feet to the easterly line of Marion street distant 162.54 feet northwesterly from Broome street;
- 2d. Thence northwesterly along the easterly line of Marion street, distance 80.67 feet;
- 3d. Thence easterly and parallel with line "C D," distance 200.43 feet to the westerly line of Mulberry street;
- 4th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Mulberry street, distance 80.67 feet to the point or place of beginning.

At Marion Street.
Beginning at a point in the line "C D" on the westerly line of Marion street distant 157.99 feet northwesterly from Broome street as in possession:

- 1st. Thence westerly along line "C D," distance 57.40 feet to the easterly line of Elm street, now called Lafayette street, distant 149.53 feet northwesterly from Broome street;
- 2d. Thence northwesterly along the easterly line of Lafayette street, distance 205.02 feet to the intersection of Marion street;
- 3d. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Marion street, distance 204.20 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Land to be taken for the extension of Delancey street, from the Bowery to Elm street, is found in Section 2, Blocks 478, 479, 480, 481 and 482 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a certain map entitled "Map, plan and profile of the extension of Delancey street, from the Bowery to Elm street, between Broome and Spring streets, with the triangular piece of land bounded by Elm street, Marion street and the northern line of the new street, in the Fourteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, under authority of the Greater New York Charter," and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Register of the County of New York, and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 10th day of October, 1903.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
jy12,25

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands and lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York, on the North river, between West Eighteenth and West Twenty-third streets, and the easterly side of the marginal street, and the place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the North river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, 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 uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings, tenements, hereditaments and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Room No. 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of July, 1905, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of July, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 7th day of August, 1905.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of August, 1905, 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 Manhattan, New York City, July 7, 1905.

WILBUR LARREMORE,
Chairman;
STANLEY W. DEXTER,
JAMES A. ALLEN,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
jy8,25

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-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bailey avenue to the New York and Putnam Railroad, 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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, from Bailey avenue to the New York and Putnam Railroad, 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 western line of Bailey avenue distant 753.17 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of West One Hundred and Ninety-second street:

1. Thence northwesterly along the western line of Bailey avenue for 60 feet;
2. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 144.14 feet to the eastern line of the New York and Putnam Railroad;
3. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet;
4. Thence easterly for 144.10 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street is shown on Section 16 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvement of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, on November 18, 1895, as Map No. 114; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 18, 1895, as Map No. 1062, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 20, 1895.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street is located in Block No. 3238 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
jy12,25

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 an approach to the bridge over the tracks of the New York and Putnam and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroads at Morris Heights, 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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for an approach to the bridge over the tracks of the New York and Putnam and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroads at Morris Heights, 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 on the southwesterly side of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, distant 148.55 feet southwesterly from the United States Pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, and running thence southwesterly along the southwesterly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, a distance of 269.59 feet to the right of way of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad Company; thence southwesterly along the right of way of the said Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad Company 50 feet; thence northwesterly and parallel with West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, a distance of 269.60 feet; thence northwesterly at right angles with a line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, a distance of 50 feet to the point of beginning.

The approach to the bridge over the railroads at West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street is shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan showing additional land required for an approach to bridge over the leased lines of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad at West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, between Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad and Harlem river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York. Prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which map was filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, of the Register of the City and County of New York and of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, on or about the 27th day of March, 1905. The land to be taken for the approach to the bridge at West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street is located in Blocks 2886 and 2882 of section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
jy12,25

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 SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Cedar avenue to the easterly line of the Putnam Division of the New York Central and Hud-

son River Railroad, 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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Cedar avenue to the easterly line of the Putnam Division of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, 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 western line of Cedar avenue distant 580 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Cedar avenue for 60 feet.
2. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 132.28 feet to the easterly line of the Putnam Division of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.
3. Thence southwesterly along last-mentioned line for 60.19 feet.
4. Thence southeasterly for 127.52 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street is shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan of section 15 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards," which map was 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 December 16, 1895, as Map No. 133, and in the office of the Register of The City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, as Map No. 1065, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street is located in Blocks 2883 and 3231 of section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, July 12, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
jy12,25

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Woodlawn road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 13th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 3329, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of September, 1905, at 10.30 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 the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 10, 1905.

MAX BENDIT,
HENRY W. ILLWITZER,
GEORGE BURCHILL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
jy10,22

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the

lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 1st day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2276, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 11th day of September, 1905, at 10.30 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 the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 8, 1905.

PETER J. EVERETT,
JOHN ROONEY,
ALBERT ELTERICH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

jy8,a1

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2137, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of May, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of September, 1905, at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 6, 1905.

JOSEPH P. CASEY,
JOHN J. MACKIN,
MOSES BARNETT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

jy6,29

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 MORRIS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the east side of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, 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 Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 17, 1905.

LORENZO S. PALMER,
ANTHONY J. MCNALLY,
HENRY ILLWITZER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

jy17,27

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BAKER (STREET) AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Baychester avenue to the City Line, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 15th day of May, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of June, 1905, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, on the 6th day of June, 1905, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at his office at White Plains, on the 6th day of June, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, annexed territory east of Bronx river, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of June, 1905, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 6th day of June, 1905, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 6th day of June, 1905, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of September, 1905, 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 the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, July 21, 1905.

WILLOUGHBY B. DOBBS,
EUGENE ARCHER,
T. F. MCGINNIS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

jy21,a14

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 MORRIS PARK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Farms road to Bear Swamp road (at the lands of the Morris Park Race Course), 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough

of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of August, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 21, 1905.

JOHN W. WARD,
PETER A. SHELL,
THOMAS A. NEWELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

jy21,a1

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 EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from Twelfth avenue to Seventeenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of August, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 378 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, July 20, 1905.

FREDERICK E. GUNNISON,
THOMAS H. STEWART,
EUGENE B. HOWELL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

jy20,31

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 RIDGE PARKWAY, between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and extending from a few feet east of Ninth avenue for a distance of 434 feet to a point about midway between Eighth and Ninth avenues, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of August, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, July 20, 1905.

THEO. B. GATES,
GRANVILLE W. HARMAN,
R. S. CORTELYOU,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

jy20,31

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Canarsie lane to Paerdegat avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of August, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, July 20, 1905.

JAMES TAYLOR,
E. D. CHILDS,
SIMON FRANK,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

jy20,31

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BAY FOURTEENTH STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Cropsey avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT John F. Hylan, Charles P. Haggerty and John F. Coffin were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made the 6th day of July,

1905, and entered the 7th day of July, 1905, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, July 19, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
jy19,29

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to AN APPROACH TO MANHATTAN BRIDGE (Bridge No. 3), between Nassau street and Front street, as the same was authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on the 20th day of January, 1905, in the Fourth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Edmund D. Hennessy, Edward Riegelmann and John McKeon were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made on the 6th day of July, 1905, and entered the 7th day of July, 1905, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, July 19, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
jy19,29

COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of the application and petition of Seth Low, Edward M. Grout, Alexander E. Orr and others, constituting the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners of The City of New York, relative to acquiring the perpetual underground right, easement and right of way under Joralemon street, etc.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, Harmanus B. Hubbard and Thomas J. Redmond, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, will apply to the Justice of the Supreme Court sitting at Special Term for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 27th day of July, 1905, at the calling of the calendar on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order appointing a Commissioner of Appraisal in this proceeding in the place and stead of John Lefferts, Jr., deceased.

Dated July 13, 1905.
HARMANUS B. HUBBARD,
THOMAS J. REDMOND.
jy15,26

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 widening LIVINGSTON STREET (from 50 to 80 feet), between Court Street and Flatbush avenue, in the First and Third Wards, 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 5th day of August, 1905, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of August, 1905, 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 17th day of August, 1905.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of 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 Clinton street where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Schermerhorn street and State street; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of Clinton street to the southerly side of Pierrepont street; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Pierrepont street to the westerly side of Fulton street; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Fulton street to its intersection with the westerly side of Court street; running thence southeasterly to the intersection of the southerly side of Myrtle avenue with the easterly side of Fulton street; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Myrtle avenue 100 feet; running thence southerly and parallel with Fulton street and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom to the easterly side of Adams street; running thence southeasterly and parallel with Fulton street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom to the intersection of Pearl street and

Willoughby street; running thence easterly and along the southerly side of Willoughby street to the westerly side of Raymond street; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Raymond street to the southerly side of DeKalb avenue; running thence easterly and along the southerly side of DeKalb avenue to the westerly side of Washington avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Washington avenue to its intersection with the northerly side of Butler street; running thence southerly and along the northerly side of Butler street, or Sterling place, to its intersection with the easterly side of Fifth avenue; running thence northeasterly along the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the northeasterly side of Dean street; running thence northeasterly and along the northerly side of Dean street to the easterly side of Third avenue; running thence northeasterly and along the easterly side of Third avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of State street; running thence westerly and along the centre line of the blocks between State street and Schermerhorn street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1905, at the opening of Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, July 17, 1905.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,
Chairman;
MICHAEL FURST,
LUKE D. STAPLETON,
Commissioners.
JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

jy20,25

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made in the matter of acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between York and Franklin avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, by excluding from said proceeding certain lands not required for said street.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for an order amending the proceeding entitled, "In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of Second street, between York and Franklin avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York," and the petition and order appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment therein, heretofore duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, on the 11th day of July, 1904, by excluding therefrom certain lands and premises not required for said streets, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Parcel "A."
Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Franklin avenue 100.48 feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of First street with said easterly line of Franklin avenue;
1. Thence southerly along said easterly line of Franklin avenue 11.05 feet;
2. Thence easterly, deflecting 95 degrees 36 minutes 50 seconds to the left, 284.67 feet to the westerly line of Minerva place;
3. Thence northerly along said westerly line of Minerva place and deflecting 90 degrees to the left 11 feet;
4. Thence westerly 283.59 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning on the easterly line of Minerva place 100 feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of First street and said easterly line of Minerva place;
1. Thence southerly along said easterly line of Minerva place 11 feet;
2. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left 767.36 feet to the westerly line of York avenue;
3. Thence northerly along said westerly line of York avenue and deflecting 96 degrees 36 minutes 10 seconds to the left 11.08 feet;
4. Thence westerly 766.09 feet to the point of beginning.

Second street is shown on a map entitled "Map Changing the Map or Plan of The City of New York as to certain parts thereof in the Borough of Richmond, and showing layout, grades, and changes of grades of Second street, from Franklin avenue to York avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York," which map was dated October 22, 1904, and was filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York and the Clerk of the County of Richmond on March 20, 1905.

Dated New York, July 15, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

jy15,27

COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises bounded by Ocean parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street and Canal avenue and Coney Island creek, in the Borough of Kings, in The City of New York, duly selected for the Department of Public Charities according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is the intention of the Corporation Counsel, at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 27th day of July, 1905, at the calling of the calendar on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of three disinterested persons, being citizens of the United States and residents of the Borough of Brooklyn, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the property situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Ocean parkway with the centre line of Avenue Y; running thence easterly along the said centre line of Avenue Y to its intersection with the centre line of East

Sixth street; running thence southerly along the said centre line of East Sixth street to its intersection with the centre line of a creek flowing into Coney Island creek; running thence in a southeasterly, southerly and southwesterly direction along said centre line of said creek to its intersection with the centre line of East Sixth street; running thence southerly along the said centre line of East Sixth street to its intersection with the centre line of Canal avenue; running thence westerly along the said centre line of Canal avenue to its intersection with the westerly line of Coney Island creek; thence southerly and westerly along the westerly and northerly line of Coney Island creek to its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean parkway; and thence northerly along the easterly line of Ocean parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, July 14, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row.
jy15,28

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 SIXTH AVENUE, from Sixth street to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, July 14, 1905.

A. F. BRITTON,
WALTER T. BENNETT,
WILLIAM H. GOOD,
Commissioners.
JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

jy14,25

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 DAHLGREN 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, 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 27th day of July, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, July 14, 1905.

CROMWELL G. MACY,
JAMES J. MCINERNEY,
R. S. CORTELYOU,
Commissioners.
JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

jy14,25

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 of the PUBLIC PARK, bounded by Fulton street, Chauncey street, Lewis avenue and Stuyvesant avenue, in the Twentieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, July 14, 1905.

WILLIAM VANAMEE,
S. L. BRINLEY,
CLARENCE B. SMITH,
Commissioners.
JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain lands and premises and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front and harbor of The City of New York for ferry purposes, between RICHMOND AVENUE AND FERRY STREET, Port Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial Department, 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 27th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York to certain lands and premises and lands under water and wharf property, with the buildings and structures erected thereon, for the improvement of the water front and harbor of The City of New York for ferry purposes, between Richmond avenue and Ferry street, Port Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 14th day of October, 1903, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 18th day of November, 1903, and which said lands and premises and lands under water and wharf property are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Richmond avenue distant 130.69 feet northerly from the southeasterly corner of the two-story frame building now forming the northwesterly corner of Richmond avenue and Richmond terrace, measured along said westerly line of Richmond avenue, and running thence westerly 124.62 feet along a line drawn parallel with the bulkhead line, established by the Department of Docks and Ferries in 1903, and at right angles with the said westerly line of Richmond avenue to the easterly line of Ferry street;

Thence deflecting to the right through an angle of 91 degrees 20 minutes and 43 seconds, and running thence northerly and along the easterly line of Ferry street and its prolongation 272.63 feet to the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War in 1890;

Thence deflecting to the right through an angle of 69 degrees 23 minutes and 40 seconds, and running easterly along said pierhead line 125.24 feet to the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Richmond avenue;

Thence deflecting to the right through an angle of 109 degrees 15 minutes and 37 seconds, and running southerly along the westerly line of Richmond avenue and its northerly prolongation 313.83 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said lands and premises, lands under water and wharf property are shown on a certain plan adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 14th day of October, 1903, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 18th day of November, 1903, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New York, July 13, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
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Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
jy13,25

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the WESTERLY LINE OF SCHENECTADY AVENUE and the SOUTHERLY LINE OF DEAN STREET and the NORTHERLY LINE OF BERGEN STREET, adjoining Public School 83, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Solon Barbanell, Adrian Paradis and Peter Hess, Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, have made and signed the final report herein, and on July 13, 1905, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in Kings County, July 26, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, July 13, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
jy13,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, to acquire certain real estate at Wantagh, in the Town of Hempstead, in the County of Nassau, for purposes of water supply.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of William J. Youngs, William H. E. Jay and Paul N. Turner, the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau, on the 26th day of June, 1905, and that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof for motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 28th day of July, 1905, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated June 27, 1905.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EAST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Clarkson street to Church avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Thomas H. Troy, Matthew J. O'Malley and Thomas M. Nolan were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made the 6th day of July, 1905, and entered the 7th day of July, 1905, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, July 19, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Seventh avenue to New Utrecht avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Harry L. Leggett and John A. Warren were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered the 13th day of June, 1905, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and that John S. Bennett was appointed in the place and stead of Henry Yonge, resigned, by an order of the Supreme Court, made the 6th day of July, 1905, and entered the 7th day of July, 1905, Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1905, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, July 19, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.