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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

### REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1907.

Department of Public Charities of the City of New York,  
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,  
September 18, 1907.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor of the City of New York:

Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith, pursuant to the provisions of section 1544, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, the report of the Department of Public Charities of the City of New York for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, together with the report of the heads of the institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department for the same period.

#### Census for the Quarter.

The average daily census of patients in all the hospitals, schools for the feeble-minded, asylums, homes for the aged and infirm and other institutions of the Department for the quarter has been 7,871 as against 7,923 for the corresponding period for the preceding year, and 644 less than the preceding quarter. This decrease in the census is due to the fact that as warm weather approaches, there are not so many applicants for admission to the homes for the aged and infirm; this is true in all the Boroughs.

#### General Improvements.

On April 2 the following request was sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$3,742,000 to provide for the new buildings which were considered to be most urgently needed to carry on the work of the Department:

"To meet the most urgent and pressing needs of the Department of Public Charities, and to make provision for the immediate future in the way of 'new buildings and apparatus,' I have the honor very respectfully to request an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$3,742,000 to be expended for the purposes hereinafter specifically set forth.

"In making this request I assume that it will continue to be the policy of the City to care for the more continued as well as the chronic and incurable class of public dependents in the Island hospitals and related institutions of the Department of Public Charities where they are maintained at a minimum of expense. The land already belongs to the City, and it is proposed to erect buildings, which while good and substantial and necessarily commodious, will be of the most simple and economical form of construction.

"So rapid is the increase in the growth of the population of the City, and particularly in the number of new comers having small and at times uncertain incomes, that it is my profound conviction that much want and suffering are likely to ensue unless there is prompt and adequate extension of the facilities of the hospitals and other institutions of this Department. The advent of bad times, from which, for various reasons, we periodically suffer, will greatly add to the seriousness of the situation. As a matter of fact, so pressing is the need for most of the items specified in this request, that the work of construction should long ago have been fully accomplished.

"In order to carry out contemplated improvements at the Island institutions on a definite and comprehensive plan, I have caused a survey to be made covering the grounds of all such institutions, together with a proposed lay out of the grounds of the City Hospital district at the south end of Blackwell's Island, and also the grounds of the Metropolitan Hospital district at the north end of Blackwell's Island. These lay outs will show in detail the present buildings and the proposed improvements in the hospital districts named, and attention to them is respectfully invited.

#### "The Metropolitan Hospital District, Blackwell's Island.

"The greatest need at this institution at the present time is a substantial increase in the facilities for the care of tuberculosis patients. The two infirmary buildings for this class of patients have a normal bed capacity for 362 patients, while the adjacent tents have bed capacity for 171 additional patients, making 533 in all. The census has, however, shown as many as 608 patients in these two buildings and the tents during a large part of the winter. The facilities of the other hospitals of the City having this class of patients have also been greatly overtaxed and relief to many needy persons has in consequence been greatly delayed if not denied altogether. The construction of the proposed 'Sea View Hospital' for tuberculosis patients at Staten Island is being obstructed by injunction proceedings, and it is possible that this institution may not be completed for some years. In view of these urgent conditions and the further fact that the more advanced cases of tuberculosis will not be sent to the 'Sea View Hospital,' but will continue to be cared for at the Infirmary at Blackwell's Island, it is proposed to construct simple hospital buildings for this class of patients at the Infirmary, at a cost not to exceed \$2,000 per capita.

"At the present time application is made for means to pay for the construction of a building, with accessories, for three hundred tuberculosis patients at a total cost of \$600,000. This will relieve the pressure for admission and enable patients to be taken from the tents where advanced cases cannot be properly cared for during the inclement weather of winter.

"Toward the north end of the Metropolitan Hospital district are a number of old wooden buildings, erected for temporary use about the time of the Civil War. These buildings are used for shop, stable and dormitory purposes. They are not only unsightly structures but are unsanitary and owing to their flimsy construction a dangerous fire risk for the other buildings of the hospital. It is proposed to remove these dilapidated structures and to erect in another location new shops and stables and an addition to the present inadequate power house and laundry at a cost of approximately \$400,000, with \$150,000 additional for equipment, making the total amount desired for these purposes \$550,000.

"In order further to extend the facilities of this hospital it is proposed to construct a series of buildings designed to allow more room for patients and the administrative force in the hospital proper. Such proposed buildings are as follows:

"A staff house for the physicians resident at the hospital, such as has been granted for the City Hospital at the south end of Blackwell's Island. This will make provision for forty physicians and other employees and will cost approximately \$80,000.

"Kitchen, Service and Storage Building—The present kitchen building is an old and dilapidated structure, inadequate and unsuitable for the purposes of this large and growing hospital, as well as badly located. It is lacking in proper storage and refrigerating capacity, and is without employees' dining-rooms and other desirable accessories of a modern service building. It is proposed to erect in its place a new service building, with refrigerating plant and kitchen, dining-room and storage capacity. Such a building must be constructed with a view to the future needs of this hospital, and it is estimated will cost approximately \$350,000.

"Reception Building—The Metropolitan Hospital has at the present time no adequate reception building, and one is greatly needed in order that proper provision may be made to receive, bathe and examine patients, to detain contagious cases or those suspected of having such diseases, and to fumigate and store personal effects for both male and female patients, with complete separation of the sexes. The cost of this proposed building is estimated to be approximately \$60,000.

"Morgue and Pathological Building—This hospital has at the present time no proper morgue or pathological building, which is a great disadvantage. It is proposed to construct such a building, which, with its accessories, is estimated to cost approximately \$40,000.

"The total estimated cost of the improvements desired at the Metropolitan Hospital is \$1,680,000.

#### "The City Hospital District, Blackwell's Island.

"One of the greatest needs of this hospital at the present time is a new maternity hospital building, to replace the present old wooden structure, which is not only inadequate but is, because of its flimsy construction, a serious fire menace to the other buildings of the group. It is estimated that the cost of a new building and its accessories, with capacity for twenty-five patients at a time, will be approximately \$60,000.

"A dormitory for convalescent patients is one of the pressing needs of this hospital, and it is estimated that one of suitable capacity can be constructed and equipped for \$50,000.

"In order to provide more room in the hospital for the care of patients and to improve the operating room service, it is proposed to remove the operating rooms to the upper floor, now occupied by the kitchen, which is to be located in the new service building. The cost of such work is estimated to be \$20,000.

"New elevators and machinery are needed in this hospital to improve the service. The estimated cost is \$15,000.

"The total estimated cost of the improvements needed at the City Hospital is \$145,000.

#### "The City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Blackwell's Island.

"The hospital and other facilities of this home are greatly overtaxed, and their considerable increase is urgently needed.

"A new hospital pavilion, at an estimated cost of \$40,000, is one of the pressing needs of this home, as the facilities of the present hospital buildings are inadequate to meet the requirements of the home.

"An addition to the laundry facilities of this institution, at an estimated cost of \$30,000, is another urgent need which should be met, as the present facilities are entirely inadequate to meet the demands upon them.

"A pavilion for an outpatient department, at an estimated cost of \$10,000, is a further need of this home.

"The total estimated cost of the improvements needed at the City Home is \$80,000.

#### "The Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randall's Island.

"A Nurses' home, with capacity for 150 Nurses, is one of the greatest needs of this hospital at the present time. This would release a considerable part of the hospital itself for the use of the children. This proposed Nurses' home should have a capacity for 100 Nurses, and its estimated cost is \$200,000.

"A kitchen, dining-room and service building is greatly needed at this institution. The erection of such a building would release a large amount of room in several buildings for the use of the inmates. The estimated cost of this building is \$125,000.

"A new shop building is also required at this institution, as the present one is inadequate and has to be shored to keep it from falling down. The estimated cost of the proposed new building is \$40,000.

"A new ice house is also required, at an estimated cost of \$10,000.

"The total estimated cost of the improvements needed at the Children's Hospitals and Schools is \$375,000.

#### "The Municipal Lodging House, Manhattan.

"Owing to the discovery of quicksand in the part of the site selected for the location of the boiler pit the contractor who is erecting the Municipal Lodging House in East Twenty-fifth street was unable to proceed with the work along the original plans, and is required to sink a caisson in order to comply with the requirements of the amended plans that have been approved by the Department of Buildings. The Corporation Counsel advises that the contractor is not required to do this work, the estimated cost of which is \$50,000.



**"The Steamboat Service, Manhattan.**

"A new boat is needed for the Hart's Island and Staten Island service, to take the place of the small boat 'Fidelity,' which is about thirty-five years old, practically worn out and in need of constant repairs.

"The department is now running a ferry eighteen hours a day at Randall's Island, making a trip every half hour, and another on a like schedule from Fifty-second street to Blackwell's Island. Passengers and supplies are carried three times daily from Twenty-sixth street to Blackwell's and Randall's islands on the steamer 'Brennan,' and a fourth service is maintained between Twenty-sixth street and Staten and Hart's islands by the 'Fidelity.' With one exception the boats of the department are old and all of them are at times unfitted for service, with the result that boats have to be hired for temporary service at large expense.

"The cost of a new boat such as will be required is estimated to be about \$75,000.

**"The Kings County Hospital, Flatbush.**

"While the hospital system in Manhattan and The Bronx has been greatly improved during the past few years and further large improvements are contemplated, comparatively little has been done in the Borough of Brooklyn, and nothing in the boroughs of either Richmond or Queens. The rapid growth of the Borough of Brooklyn, which will be still further augmented when projected bridges and additional rapid transit facilities are completed, makes the extension of the public hospital facilities of the borough an urgent need.

"A new Nurses' home and training school is required at the Kings County Hospital, with provision for the care of 100 Nurses. This will permit the present Nurses' Home to be used as a home, which is much needed, for the female employees of the hospital. The estimated cost of the proposed new Nurses' home is \$250,000.

"An addition to the present Children's Hospital is a further need of this institution, as the present building is inadequate to meet the needs of the service. The estimated cost of such addition is \$100,000.

"In order to provide additional space to meet the needs of the main hospital it is proposed to reconstruct the annex building on the grounds of the hospital, which was recently vacated by the State Hospital authorities. This will make provision for patients at an estimated cost of \$75,000.

"A new maternity hospital should be constructed at the Kings County Hospital, at approximate cost of \$60,000.

"The facilities of the bakery at this hospital are inadequate to meet the needs of the growing service, and an addition to cost \$25,000 is an urgent need. A new shop is also much needed, and will cost approximately \$20,000. A new fire alarm system is another important need, which it will cost about \$2,500 to meet.

"The hospital also requires much new flooring throughout, at an estimated cost of \$5,000. New sidewalks are also required on the grounds of the hospital, at a cost of approximately \$5,000.

"The total estimated cost of the improvements needed at the Kings County Hospital is \$542,000.

**"The Cumberland Street Hospital, Brooklyn.**

"Additional ground is required for the purposes of this hospital, at an estimated cost of \$100,000, upon which to construct a new Nurses' home and other buildings.

"A new Nurses' home is much needed at this hospital, thereby releasing the present quarters for hospital cases. The cost of such a home, to accommodate 75 Nurses, is estimated to be \$150,000.

"The total cost of the improvements desired at the Cumberland Street Hospital is estimated to be \$250,000.

**"Bradford Street Hospital.**

"Means are needed to construct the proposed new Bradford Street Hospital on the plot of ground purchased by the City for that purpose. The estimated cost of this hospital, with facilities for the care of 100 patients, is \$250,000.

**"The City Farm Colony, Richmond.**

"In order to relieve the overcrowding at the Home for the Aged, male division, Brooklyn, and to provide greatly needed additional facilities for the care of aged and infirm persons dependent upon the City, it is proposed to erect additional dormitories at the Farm Colony at Staten Island, to make provision for 200 men and 100 women. The cost of these additional dormitories is estimated to be \$250,000.

"An adequate and suitable pavilion for the care of insane patients is also greatly needed at the Farm Colony, at an estimated cost of \$20,000.

"A bakeshop and storehouse building is also needed, and should cost approximately \$20,000.

"A new ice house is a further need of the colony, and will cost about \$5,000.

"The total estimated cost of the improvements needed at the Farm Colony is \$295,000."

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment gave prompt and considerate attention to this request, upon which the Chief Engineer of the Finance Department reported to the Comptroller as follows:

"Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

"Sir—Hon. Robert W. Heberd, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, in communication under date of April 2, 1907, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$3,742,000, for the purpose of providing means for the construction of new buildings, additions and extraordinary repairs to buildings and apparatus, including a new steamboat and repairs to existing steamboat, as specified in said communication.

"I would report that I have investigated in detail the statement of the Commissioner, and in a general way I consider all the improvements requested would add to the efficiency of the department, but I hardly consider them all necessary at this time.

"If the financial condition of the City warrants the expenditure, I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$1,300,000 for the purpose of erecting new buildings, additions, improvements and permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings and new steamboats under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities. This will provide means for the following, which I consider urgent and necessary, namely:

"Staff House, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	\$80,000 00
"Extension of two tuberculosis infirmaries, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island .....	180,000 00
"Morgue, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	40,000 00
"Improvement of operating rooms, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island .....	20,000 00
"Elevators and machinery, City Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	15,000 00
"Hospital pavilion, City Home, Blackwell's Island.....	40,000 00
"Addition to Laundry, City Home, Blackwell's Island.....	30,000 00
"Lodging House, Manhattan (additional appropriation).....	50,000 00
"New steamboat .....	75,000 00
"Thomas S. Brennan" (steamboat), repairs to.....	25,000 00
"Nurses' Home and Training School, Kings County Hospital.....	250,000 00
"Alterations, etc., to building recently vacated by New York State Kings County Hospital.....	75,000 00
"Nurses' Home, Children's Hospital, Randall's Island.....	200,000 00
"Additional dormitories, City Colony, Richmond.....	200,000 00
"Pavilion for the care of the insane, City Colony, Richmond.....	20,000 00

"Total ..... \$1,300,000 00

"Respectfully,

"CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Chief Engineer."

On June 21 the said Board voted to authorize an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$1,300,000, to provide means for the erection of new buildings, additions, improving and permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings and new steamboats under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities. The Board of Aldermen, however, did not take any action on this matter until after June 30, 1907.

On April 22 the following request was sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$127,662, to pay for lands on Ocean parkway, Brooklyn, as a site for the proposed Coney Island Hospital:

"In accordance with an opinion from the Corporation Counsel, under date of February 20, 1907, application is hereby made for an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$127,662, to pay for lands on Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn, acquired by the City through condemnation proceedings at the instance of my predecessor, as a site for the proposed Coney Island Hospital, to wit:

**AWARDS.****Parcel 1.**

Amount of award, sixty thousand dollars.....	\$60,000 00
To be paid to owner or owners unknown, subject to the lien of a mortgage for seventy-three thousand two hundred and eighty dollars (\$73,280), made by Carrie V. Mesick to James V. S. Wooley, dated January 2, 1902, and recorded in the Register's office, Kings County, in Liber 12 of Mortgages, page 12, section 21, Blocks 7220, 7221 and 7241, on January 3, 1902, and subject to the lien of all unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates made prior to December 9, 1905.	

**Parcel 3.**

Amount of award, fourteen thousand dollars.....	14,000 00
To be paid to owner or owners unknown, subject to the lien of a mortgage for one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), made by Brighton Beach Racing Association to Williamsburgh Trust Company, dated September 15, 1904, and recorded in the Register's office, Kings County, in Liber of Mortgages, page , section 21, Blocks 7239, 7240 and 7241, on September 19, 1904, and subject to the lien of all unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates made prior to December 9, 1905.	

**Parcel 4.**

Amount of award, forty-one thousand dollars.....	41,000 00
To be paid to owner or owners unknown, subject to the lien of a mortgage for one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), made by Brighton Beach Racing Association to Williamsburgh Trust Company, dated September 15, 1904, and recorded in the Register's office, Kings County, in Liber of Mortgages, page , section 21, Blocks 7239, 7240 and 7241, on September 19, 1904, and subject to the lien of all unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates made prior to December 9, 1905.	

Interest from December 9, 1905, to July 9, 1907, at 6 per cent.....	\$115,000 00
	10,925 00

**Bill of Costs and Expenses.**

Albert E. Richardson, services as Commissioner, as per annexed affidavit, 40 days, at \$10 per day.....	\$400 00
Harry B. Bradbury, services as Commissioner, as per annexed affidavit, 36 days, at \$10 per day.....	360 00
Paul Weimann, services as Commissioner, as per annexed affidavit, 10 days, at \$10 per day.....	100 00
George T. Riggs, Clerk, 42 days, at \$5 per day.....	210 00
C. N. Cronyn, Stenographer.....	117 00
Homer L. Bartlett, surveyor.....	50 00
John M. Rankin, services as real estate expert.....	500 00
	1,737 00
Total .....	\$127,662 00"

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment gave prompt attention to this request, upon which the Honorable Comptroller reported to the said Board as follows:

"April 26, 1907.

"To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

"Gentlemen—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the matter of acquiring title to certain land, etc., bounded by Ocean parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street, Canal avenue and Coney Island creek, Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected for the Department of Charities, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated December 4, 1906, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, December 5, 1906.

"The title to the land, etc., taken in this proceeding became vested in The City of New York December 9, 1905, pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted December 8, 1905.

"The total amount of the awards is.....	\$115,000 00
"Interest thereon from December 9, 1905, to July 9, 1907.....	10,925 00
"Amount of taxes, costs, charges and expenses, including experts' fees..	1,737 00

"Total ..... \$127,662 00

"To provide means for the payments of these awards, costs and expenses Corporate Stock to the amount of one hundred and twenty-seven thousand, six hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$127,662) should be issued, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the revised Greater New York Charter.

"A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

"Respectfully,

"H. A. METZ, Comptroller."

On May 3 the said Board voted to authorize an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$127,662, to provide means for the payments of awards, interest thereon, costs and expenses, in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., as hereinbefore mentioned.

The Board of Aldermen, on June 11, voted to confirm the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, thereby placing this valuable piece of land, about 25½ acres, at the disposal of the department for hospital purposes.

On May 9 the following request was sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$203,225, as an additional amount required to build the Coney Island Hospital, and for repairs to the steamer "Thomas S. Brennan":

"In order to meet the bid received and to pay the architects' fees on the proposed Coney Island Hospital to be constructed in the Borough of Brooklyn on land on Ocean parkway, in part owned and in part recently acquired by the City for such purpose, I have very respectfully to request an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$178,225, in addition to the sum of \$200,000 already appropriated, such additional amount to be expended as follows:

"Excess of lowest bid over the amount of the appropriation.....	\$142,000 00
"Possible 5 per cent. increase on same.....	17,150 00
"Architect's fees on total amount.....	18,075 00

Total ..... \$178,225 00



"This proposed hospital will make provision for 100 patients, at an estimated per capita cost per bed of \$3,782.25, and can readily be enlarged by the additions of wings, when necessary, to provide for 200 patients at a greatly reduced per capita cost per bed. When it is considered that the per capita cost of the recently completed Harlem and Fordham hospitals, the former in the Borough of Manhattan and the latter in the Borough of The Bronx, cost in the one case \$4,378 per bed and in the other \$4,650 per bed, it will be seen that the cost of the proposed Coney Island Hospital is not excessive. The plans for this new hospital have been most carefully prepared and are complete in every way. They have been approved by the Building Department, the Municipal Art Commission and the State Board of Charities, and in my opinion should be carried to completion by the construction of the proposed hospital as soon as possible. This is the first public hospital planned for Brooklyn for many years, and there is urgent need of increased hospital facilities in that borough.

"In addition I desire to request an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$25,000 for extraordinary repairs to the department's steamboat, 'Thomas S. Brennan.' The Supervising Engineer of the department reports that this boat is in urgent need of repairs, which cannot be safely delayed. His report states that it will be necessary to renew the main deck entirely. Many of the main beams are in bad condition and will have to be replaced. The condenser is cracked and held together by stay bolts and soft patches, and should be replaced before the new deck is laid. Further than this, one of the ends of the boat has already sagged to such an extent that we cannot risk putting heavy trucks upon it. The estimated cost of the improvements required by the 'Brennan' is \$25,000."

On June 21 the Board of Estimate and Apportionment voted to authorize an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$160,150, said amount to be applied only to the erection and completion of the Coney Island Hospital, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock in an amount not to exceed \$160,150. This action was taken upon the report of the Chief Engineer of the Finance Department to the Comptroller, reading as follows:

"May 15, 1907.

"Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

"Sir—Hon. Robert W. Hebbard, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, in communication under date of May 9, 1907, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$178,225, in addition to the sum of \$200,000 already appropriated, for the erection and completion of the Coney Island Hospital; in addition the Commission also requests the authorization of an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$25,000 for extraordinary repairs to the department steamboat, 'Thomas S. Brennan.' I would report:

"The following appropriations have been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the proposed Coney Island Hospital, namely:

"March 16, 1905..... \$100,000 00  
"July 6, 1906..... 100,000 00

"On May 1, 1907, the following bids were received and opened by the Commissioner of Charities:

"Clarke & Stowe ..... \$343,000 00  
"Weed & Co. .... 357,000 00  
"Thos. C. Carlin..... 357,496 00  
"Kelly & Kelley..... 365,242 00  
"G. F. Driscoll ..... 349,000 00  
"Nesbit & Co. .... 357,265 00  
"R. E. Henningham..... 361,850 00  
"D. J. Ryan ..... 390,000 00

"The lowest estimate of \$343,000 covers the complete erection of the main building, Nurses' building, help's building, morgue building, stable building, power house and laundry building, a total of six buildings.

"The total cubical contents of the six buildings is 1,084,196 cubic feet, and at a cost of \$360,150 (which includes architects' fees), equals 33¼ cents per cubic foot.

"The main building will contain four large wards, with total accommodation for one hundred (100) beds. There are two isolation rooms off each ward, also incidental toilet rooms, wash rooms and diet kitchens. It will also contain operating room (with rooms incidental thereto), main kitchen, dining-rooms, dispensary, laboratory, X-ray rooms, general offices, office and sleeping quarters for Superintendent, sleeping quarters for six doctors and electric service elevators.

"Nurses' building will provide twenty-seven sleeping rooms and other requisite rooms for twenty-seven Nurses.

"Help's building will provide fourteen sleeping rooms and other requisite rooms for the accommodation of twenty-four general employees.

"Morgue building will contain mortuary chamber and refrigerators, small chapel, laboratory and autopsy room.

"Stable building will provide wagon room for two ambulances, four stalls and sleeping quarters for drivers and help.

"Power house will contain two high pressure boilers, radial brick chimney and complete laundry, with laundry machinery. All of the buildings are connected by means of under ground pipe tunnels.

The cost of 3¼ cents per cubic foot, or 33¼ cents per cubic foot, including architects' fees, I consider reasonable for buildings used for this purpose.

"The lowest bid received being \$343,000, and as only \$200,000 has been appropriated for the purpose, there is a deficit of \$160,150, calculated as follows:

"Lowest bid ..... \$343,000 00  
"Architects' fees, 5 per cent..... 17,150 00

"Total required ..... \$360,150 00  
"Amount heretofore appropriated..... 200,000 00

"Deficit ..... \$160,150 00

"Therefore, if the financial condition of the City warrants the expenditure, and in order to accept the bid, \$343,000, of Clarke & Stowe, for the erection and completion of the Coney Island Hospital, I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly authorize the Comptroller to issue additional Corporate Stock to the amount of \$160,150, to provide means for the erection of new buildings, additions, improving and permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Charities; said amount to be applied only to the erection and completion of the Coney Island Hospital. I would suggest that the appropriation of \$25,000 for repairs to the steamboat 'Thomas S. Brennan' be considered later.

"Respectfully,

"CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Chief Engineer."

No action on this resolution was taken by the Board of Aldermen, until after June 30, 1907.

#### Supplies and Contingencies.

The appropriation for supplies and contingencies being insufficient to permit of the continuance of the payments for the board of foundlings and other like children, boarded out in families by the State Charities Aid Association or other corporation, acting as agent for this department, and as the Honorable Comptroller holds that it is not a proper charge upon the Supplies and Contingencies account, and declined to pay bills for the same from such accounts after May 31, application was made on April 8 to the Board of Aldermen for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$40,000 for this purpose, as well as for the board of patients placed by the department in the State Hospital for the Treatment of Incipient Pulmonary Tuberculosis at Ray Brook, and also paid for from such Supplies and Contingencies account.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on April 9, this request, did not report on the matter until after June 30, 1907.

On June 10, anticipating a deficiency in some of the appropriations to this department for the year 1907, the following application was made to the Board of Aldermen

for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, to the amount of \$99,176.84, to meet such anticipated deficiency:

June 10, 1907.

"Anticipating a deficiency in some of the appropriations of this department for the year 1907, I beg leave to request an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, as provided in subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$99,176.84, to meet such anticipated deficiency in the following appropriations to this department for the year 1907:

Supplies and Contingencies..... \$67,550 64  
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus..... 25,000 00  
Clothing for epileptics sent to Craig Colony..... 2,435 99  
Donations to Grand Army Veterans..... 4,190 21

Total ..... \$99,176 84

I give herewith the following data explanatory of the foregoing:

#### Supplies and Contingencies.

The amount of this appropriation allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for 1907 (a decrease in the estimate submitted by this department of \$36,111.81) was..... \$1,279,984 66

The total awards against all openings to and including May 29, 1907..... \$1,174,800 18

Additional openings for medical and surgical supplies, estimated ..... 3,500 00  
Additional openings for supplies, hardware, etc..... 4,000 00

The following expenses, based on the actual charges for the year 1906, to meet like expenses for 1907:

Open market purchases..... 40,928 35  
Boarded out infants to June 1, 1907, or for five months.. 12,937 34  
New York State Hospital for Incipient Tuberculosis.... 11,610 99  
Purchases from State Prisons and County Penitentiary 91,608 18  
Carfare, postages, etc., contingencies..... 8,150 26

\$1,347,535 30

Additional amount necessary for 1907..... \$67,550 64

#### Alterations, Additions and Repairs.

Additional moneys required to meet urgent and necessary repairs to buildings, etc..... \$25,000 00

#### Clothing for Epileptics Sent to Craig Colony.

Amount allowed by Board of Estimate and Apportionment for 1907 ..... \$5,500 00  
Actual expense against this appropriation for the year 1906 7,935 99

Additional amount necessary for 1907..... 2,435 99

#### Donations to Grand Army Veterans.

Amount allowed by Board of Estimate and Apportionment for 1907 ..... \$21,000 00  
Actual expenses against this appropriation for the year 1906 25,190 21

Additional amount necessary for 1907..... 4,190 21

\$99,176 84"

The Committee on Finance, to whom this request was referred on June 11, 1907, had not reported on the matter at the close of the quarter.

#### Requests for Transfers to Different Appropriations.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment were on April 18, 1907, requested to make the following transfers:

1. The sum of three hundred and three dollars and sixty-six cents (\$303.66) from the appropriation to this Department for the year 1905, entitled Supplies and Contingencies, the same being in excess of the amount required therefor, to the appropriation Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus to this Department for the year 1905, the same being insufficient.

2. The sum of eleven hundred and seventy-eight dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$1,178.37) from the appropriations to this Department for the year 1906, entitled:

Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus..... \$29- 64  
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins, etc..... 916 13  
Poor Adult Blind..... 7 00  
Clothing for Insane Patients..... 7 28  
Donations to Grand Army Veterans..... 6 79  
Burial of Pauper Dead..... 103 00  
New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs..... 108 53

\$1,178 37

—the same being in excess of the amounts required therefor, to the appropriation Supplies and Contingencies to this Department for the year 1906, the same being insufficient.

3. The sum of two thousand five hundred and eighty dollars and forty-four cents (\$2,580.44) from appropriations made to other Departments for the year 1906, which may show unexpended balance in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation, Clothing for Epileptics Sent to Craig Colony, to this Department for the year 1906, the same being insufficient.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 10, 1907, granted the request for the transfer of the sum of \$303.66 and the sum of \$1,178.37, but the request for the transfer of \$2,580.44 had not been granted up to June 30.

On April 22 in order to secure additional means toward meeting the anticipated deficiency in the appropriation for salaries and wages, a request for the payment of the salaries of Pupil Nurses furnished by New York City Training School of the Department to Gouverneur, Harlem and Fordham hospitals, administered by the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, was sent to such Board.

This was in accordance with the arrangement of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 17, 1901, and the agreement reached last year whereby the sum of \$6,284 was transferred through approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals took favorable action upon the request, with the result that on June 28, 1907, the sum of \$6,213 was transferred through the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from the salaries and wages appropriation of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to the like appropriation to this Department.

#### Automobiles.

On May 9 the following request was sent to the Board of Aldermen for permission to buy two automobiles:

"May 9, 1907.

"Hon. P. F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

"Dear Sir—The undersigned Commissioner of Public Charities very respectfully requests that permission be granted to the said Department to purchase without public letting two automobiles at a cost not to exceed \$3,000 each complete; one for the use of the Commissioner mainly in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, and the other for the use of the Second Deputy Commissioner in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.



"In my opinion the business of the Department will be greatly facilitated if this permission is granted, particularly as large building operations are to be carried on in the near future looking to the necessary improvement and upbuilding of the Department."

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 14, 1907, this request for permission to purchase two automobiles without public letting, reported at the meeting of the Board held June 11, 1907, as follows:

"That, at a hearing on the above matter, Deputy Commissioner McNerney appeared before the committee and stated that for the efficient carrying on of the work of this Department the use of automobiles for the speedy transportation of the Commissioner in his travels, necessitated by his official duties, was imperative. The Commissioner and First Deputy look after the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond. All charitable institutions, both public and private, come under the jurisdiction of this Department, and require frequent visits. These places are scattered all over the sections of these boroughs. The same conditions exist in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, with their vast extent of territory. These two boroughs are under the jurisdiction of the Second Deputy. Annexed is a letter from Mr. McNerney, with fuller details, and is hereby made part of this report. Your committee recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Public Charities be and he is hereby authorized to purchase in open market, without public letting, two automobiles at a cost not to exceed the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) each."

Said resolution was laid over and had not been acted upon up to June 30, 1907.

#### The New Municipal Lodging House.

Having received no answer to our letter of March 30, the Corporation Counsel was asked for advice in the following communication:

"April 23, 1907.

"Hon. WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, New York City:

"Dear Sir—Having been informed that the Church Construction Company, contractors for the construction of the new Municipal Lodging House of this Department on East Twenty-fifth street, has gone into the hands of receivers, I have endeavored to communicate with them in writing but have received no answer to my letter.

"It would appear from this and from the fact that the architect has similarly failed in his endeavors to communicate with them, that it is either not their intention to proceed with the work on the lodging house or that they had not yet come to any decision in the matter.

"Meanwhile, owing to the flooding of the part of the excavation as yet unbuilt upon and the constant shifting of the soil and the water due to the tidal conditions and the pumping, the stability of the adjoining existing work on the lodging house is becoming daily more precarious and possibly even dangerous, so that immediate action is necessary to its protection and preservation. In view of the disinclination of the watchman and those in charge of the pumping to continue without assurance of remuneration, which fact has been communicated to me by Mr. John C. Robinson of No. 31 Nassau street, their attorney, the matter has reached an acute stage demanding prompt attention.

"Under these circumstances, will you please to give me your valued opinion as to the proper course for me to pursue, and kindly take such action as in your judgment will afford protection to the City's interests?

"The surety companies for the Church Construction Company are the City Surety Company and the Metropolitan Surety Company, and through an interview I have had with Mr. Joseph H. McCloskey, secretary of the latter company, I am inclined to the opinion that these companies have the intention of jointly prosecuting the work on the lodging house, although I have no definite assurance to that effect.

"Hoping to be favored with your early answer inasmuch as the matter is one of pressing importance."

"April 29, 1907.

"Hon. WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Corporation Counsel:

"Dear Sir—I wrote you on the 23d inst. stating that the Church Construction Company, the contractor for the Municipal Lodging House, East Twenty-fifth street, was making no progress whatsoever in the construction and completion of said building, and requested your advice as to what steps I should take to properly protect the interests of the City.

"Since sending you the latter communication I have received from the architect of the work, Mr. Raymond F. Almira, a certification under clause "J" of the contract between The City of New York and the Church Construction Company for the erection of this building, that the performance of the contract is unnecessarily and unreasonably delayed, and that the work is not being performed in accordance with the terms and conditions thereof.

"In view of this communication, and with the information I have that the present condition of the building is dangerous and may at any time result in the collapse of the work already done, I have thought it best to cause a notice of abandonment to be served on the contractor without delay, of which I inclose you a copy.

"I may also call it to your attention that on the 28th day of January, 1907, in accordance with your advice contained in a letter to me dated the 19th day of January, 1907, I made application at the written request of the Church Construction Company to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York for permission under section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, to execute a supplemental contract for the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) with the Church Construction Company for the construction of additional foundation in the form of a steel pneumatic caisson to be installed under the boiler house of said Municipal Lodging House; and that thereafter the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with my application, duly authorized said supplemental contract. This supplemental contract the Church Construction Company have since taken no steps whatsoever to execute or perform, and I have accordingly declared the same likewise abandoned, as you will see by the inclosed notice of abandonment.

"In view of these facts I desire to have your advice whether I have the power forthwith to invite the surety companies which have given bonds for the faithful performance of this work to perform not only the original contract of December 12, 1905, but the supplemental contract which is as yet formally unexecuted.

"I need perhaps only add that the performance of the main contract cannot be proceeded with until the work under the supplemental contract, which is foundation work, has been fully completed. The supplemental contract has already been approved as to form by your office.

"In view of the pressing emergency to conserve the work already done I take the liberty of requesting that you advise me in the premises with the least possible delay."

On May 3 the Acting Corporation Counsel replied to the letter of April 23 in part as follows:

"I advise that any steps that may be deemed necessary to preserve the excavation on any part of the building that may have been completed should be taken at once and the cost thereof may be charged to the contractor. Payment for doing the same of course will be made by the City.

"Upon the question of completing the contract, I advise that upon serving a notice of abandonment as provided for in the terms of the contract upon the Church Construction Company, the work of completing may be undertaken by the sureties upon the contract; if there is any doubt about the completion of the work by the sureties, a notice of abandonment should also be served upon each surety."

Again on the same day an opinion was rendered on our communication of April 29, reading in part as follows:

"I advise that the contracts in question may be considered as abandoned upon your receiving an affidavit to that effect from the person who served the same, and that then you may communicate with the sureties to the effect that the contracts in question should be completed by them."

This advice was followed and the two surety companies jointly undertook to finish the building under the original and the supplementary contract for the building of the steel caisson. The work on this caisson was started on June 6, 1907, by the O'Rourke Engineering and Construction Company as sub-contractors. Work was,

therefore, resumed on this building after having been left standing since November, 1906.

#### The Sea View Hospital, Borough of Richmond.

The matter of the injunction filed against the Department forbidding the awarding of the contract on the bids received October 12, 1906, on the ground that the Department had no authority to construct a hospital for the treatment of tuberculosis, was finally heard before Judge Crane, April 19, 1907.

On June 29, the Assistant Corporation Counsel having the matter in charge was written to as follows:

"June 29, 1907.

"Hon. JOHN WIDDECOMBE, Assistant Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records Building, New York City:

"Dear Sir—I see in the issue of the 'Staten Islander' of Wednesday, June 26, that Judge Crane has, partially at any rate, decided against us in the case of Van Clief vs. Herman A. Metz and others, and is prepared to grant the relief prayed for by the plaintiff to the extent of enjoining the expenditure by the Department of Charities, for the purpose of erecting a tuberculosis hospital on Staten Island, of the funds duly appropriated under resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated December 27, 1905, duly approved by the Mayor.

"In the course of his opinion, however, Judge Crane says:

"\* \* \* 'Of course this court will not interfere with the expenditure of the money for the purpose set forth in the above resolutions, provided such expenditures are confined to the matters given by law to the Charities Department.' \* \* \*

"I need not also call your attention to the fact that the resolutions in question of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen authorized the expenditure of these funds by the Charities Department in general terms 'to provide means for the erection of new buildings, additions, improving, permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, and that there are therein contained no indications whatsoever as to what particular purpose the funds should be used for.

"In view of the terms of the aforesaid opinion, as above stated, I hereby declare my intention to be, to erect the proposed building commonly known as the Sea View Hospital, to be used solely for the purposes lying wholly and unquestionably, as a matter of law, within the jurisdiction of the Charities Department.

"It is by no means only for the purpose of caring for tuberculosis patients that the Charities Department is in crying and peremptory need of more spacious hospital accommodations, and I feel that there rests upon me an urgent public duty to complete the hospital buildings in question for the general purpose of caring for the City's sick poor. The plans for the building have been all but completed, and such amendments as are necessary to make its purpose lawful can be made in an infinitesimal fraction of the time that would be required to have another location chosen and the plans for a new building drawn and perfected.

"In view of these considerations, it is my urgent desire that Judge Crane should sign no final order in the suit which will prevent my proceeding forthwith with the completion of the aforesaid building for the purposes for which I now declare it to be my intention to build the same.

"I beg to request you, therefore, that you prepare an order in accordance with what I have said and that you submit the same to Judge Crane at your earliest convenience together with this communication and such other memoranda as you believe to be required in the premises.

"In addition to what I have said as to the general terms of the order to be signed by Judge Crane, it seems to me that the Comptroller should most certainly be excepted from its terms, as he manifestly has nothing to do with the determination of the purposes for which the funds shall be spent—his duty in the matter being defined wholly by the general terms of the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the ordinance of the Board of Aldermen. Will you urge this point also strongly upon the court?"

An official copy of the opinion was not received until after the close of this quarter.

#### Public Road Adjoining the Farm Colony.

The attention of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Richmond, was again called to this matter on May 7 in the following letter:

"May 7, 1907.

"Hon. LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Commissioner of Public Works, New Brighton, S. I.:

"Dear Sir—On January 12, in answer to a communication that I sent to President Cromwell of the Borough of Richmond, you very kindly promised to give attention to the public road adjoining the Farm Colony of this department in the Borough of Richmond.

"As nothing has yet been done on the road it seems best again to bring the matter to your attention. This road was, I am informed, practically impassable at times during the winter and spring, and as the department expects to carry on considerable construction work at the colony in the near future, it is important that the road be put in good condition as soon as possible.

"Appreciating your courtesy in this matter and regretting very much the necessity of troubling you further about it," \* \* \*

To which the Commissioner replied as follows:

"Borough Hall, New Brighton, May 8, 1907.

"ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Esq., Commissioner of Charities:

"Dear Sir—We have not forgotten the matter of improving the public road adjoining the Farm Colony.

"Our highway forces have been so busy repairing main thoroughfares, where the winter's ravages had caused serious injury, that as yet they have not had opportunity to get to the street in which you have special interest. We hope, however, within the next two or three weeks to have a full force of men at work to do the necessary grading and shaping up, followed by stone surfacing.

"Yours truly,

(Signed) "LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Commissioner."

Actual work began on these roads May 13, and was still in progress on June 30, 1907.

#### Boarded-Out Infants.

The Guild of the Infant Saviour, on February 25, 1907, returned to our care the 44 infants which had been previously sent to them by this department to be placed to board in private families. The subject of paying the State Charities Aid Association for the care of children placed with said societies by this department was again called to our attention by the Comptroller, under date of April 1, his letter reading in part as follows:

"I have given a great deal of attention to the subject and have had many interviews or hearings covering the question in its various phases, and have been enabled to arrive at some settled convictions.

"I am clear that it is entirely improper for this department to pay the bills rendered by the association for boarding out infants from the Supplies and Contingencies Fund of your department. An item carried year after year as a permanent charge cannot be considered as coming under the head of Supplies and Contingencies. I therefore give notice that I decline to pay this bill, recurring every month, from that appropriation. I think this matter should have been determined long ago, and give notice now that the practice must come to an end not later than May 1."

The State Charities Aid Association was notified on April 3 of this decision of the Comptroller.

The Comptroller, again on May 1, notified this department "that the time limit for payment of the bills of the State Charities Aid Association was extended to May 30, 1907; but no payment in these matters will be made by this department (Finance) from your Supplies and Contingencies Fund for this work beyond that date. I have given orders to the Auditing Bureau to this effect."



May 2 the State Charities Aid Association was again notified of this extension of time. To which they replied under date of May 30 as follows:

"May 30, 1907.

"Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street:

"My Dear Commissioner—Referring to your communications of April 3, 1907, and May 2, 1907, stating that you are in receipt of advice from the Comptroller that he will not pay bills for the board of infants placed in families by your department through this association from the appropriation to your department for Supplies and Contingencies, after June 1, 1907, I am instructed to state that inasmuch as an application from the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to the legality of such payments is now pending, this association will agree and does hereby offer to pay the board of the children received from your department are now boarding in families under our care, until further notice, unless the Finance Department should be able and willing to pay such bills from some other appropriation, or should be willing to pay such bills from the appropriation from which they have been paid for the past nine years, in case the opinion of the Corporation Counsel should be favorable thereto. This offer applies until further notice to children who would hereafter be sent to us under the existing co-operation, as well as those now in our care.

"I beg to remain,

"Very respectfully yours,  
(Signed) "HOMER FOLKS, Secretary."

To which we replied as follows:

"May 31, 1907.

"Hon. HOMER FOLKS, Secretary, State Charities Aid Association, No. 105 East Twenty-second street:

"My Dear Mr. Folks—In answer to your letter under yesterday's date with relation to compensation for the care of children boarded out by the association, permit me to say that inasmuch as the Comptroller refuses to pay the board of such children from the Supplies and Contingencies appropriation of this department after this date, and the department has no other appropriation from which to pay the bills, the children in question must either be surrendered to the department at once or the association must itself assume the financial responsibility for their care.

"This action is taken after consulting with Hon. George L. Sterling, Acting Corporation Counsel."

In reply we received the following letter from the State Charities Aid Association, dated June 1, 1907:

"Replying to your favor of the 31st ult., I am instructed to say that inasmuch as an opinion of the Corporation Counsel as to the legality of the payments to this association for the board of infants placed in families by your department through us is expected within a few days, this association will assume, until further notice, the financial responsibility for the care of such children.

"I beg to remain,

"Very respectfully yours,  
(Signed) "HOMER FOLKS, Secretary."

On June 17 the State Charities Aid Association returned to our care the 145 children placed by them in families, and wrote as follows:

"June 17, 1907.

"Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street:

"My Dear Commissioner—Referring to my communications addressed to you on May 30 and June 1, 1907, regarding children placed in families by the Department of Public Charities through the agency of this association, I beg to state that the Corporation Counsel rendered an opinion on the 10th inst. favorable to the legality of the plan of co-operation which has heretofore existed between your department and this association in connection with the care of motherless infants. The Comptroller, nevertheless, has not changed his previous decision that he would not pay bills for this purpose from the appropriation to your department for Supplies and Contingencies after June 1, and as a specific item in your Budget for the payment of these and other similar bills cannot be made available by the issue of Special Revenue Bonds without a very considerable delay, this association does not feel justified in incurring further obligation for the maintenance of these children. We therefore beg to return hereby to your care the one hundred and forty-five (145) children whose names are given in the enclosed list, which we send in duplicate. You will find on the said list the name of each child, date of its birth, the name and address of its present caretaker, date on which it was placed with this caretaker and the rate of payment which the caretaker is at this time receiving from this association. You will note that the rate of payment is either \$2.50 or \$2.75 per week. As a rule \$2.75 is paid for children who are being wet-nursed or who require special care. As we have been receiving from the City \$2 per week for those over the age of two years and \$2.66 for those under the age of two years, the amount paid by us for the board of the children has exceeded the amount received by us from the City, the excess paid by us amounting during the year ending September 30, 1906, to \$625.37.

"I send also a memorandum in duplicate concerning certain of the children who are delicate or suffer from some physical defect or weakness. In case of those now receiving medical care I have indicated the name and address of the attending physician, the general nature of the child's ailment and such other particulars as may facilitate the care of the child by any agency to whom it may be committed by you.

"I beg to add that we will be responsible for a few days for the medical oversight of these children, who, I understand, will be allowed to remain for the present in the families in which they are now placed, until arrangements can be made for their medical care by the institution to which they may be committed. We assume that this can easily be done before Saturday, the 22nd inst. We shall be very glad to furnish any other information concerning these children or their caretakers that may be desired by your department or by the institution to which they may be committed.

"We return these children under protest and with great regret that the co-operation which has existed between your department and this association for the past nine years should be discontinued by the Department of Finance. In view of the opinion recently rendered by the Corporation Counsel upholding the legality of your placing the children in our care, of our right to receive and care for them, of the payment of the bills therefor from the appropriation from your department for Supplies and Contingencies, and of the issue of Special Revenue Bonds therefor, should it be deemed advisable to issue such bonds for this purpose, and in view of the extremely favorable report as to the merits of our care of these children made by three disinterested experts under the direction of Miss Lillian D. Wald, Chairman of the Public Health Committee of the Association of Neighborhood Workers, we consider such action on the part of the Department of Finance as wholly arbitrary and without excuse or justification.

"Should the appropriation to your department for Supplies and Contingencies prove inadequate it could be replenished by the transfer thereto, by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, of a sufficient sum to pay these bills from the appropriations to private charitable institutions, the Chief Examiner of Accounts of Charitable Institutions having stated before the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen that there is in that appropriation, in addition to the amounts at present chargeable thereto, a sufficient excess to provide for the board of the children now in our care.

"We trust that we shall be enabled, at some date in the near future, to resume the co-operation with your department which was established during the administration of Hon. John W. Keller, continued and extended during the terms of office of Commissioners Folks and Tully and yourself, and which we believe has been of very great benefit to the City and to the children, numbering one thousand, placed by your department in families through our care. We will address you in the course of a few days a communication summing up the results of our care of these one thousand children.

"In behalf of the State Charities Aid Association, I beg to remain,

"Very respectfully yours,  
(Signed) "HOMER FOLKS, Secretary."

On June 19 we replied as follows:

"Dear Mr. Folks—I wish to acknowledge receipt of your communication of June 17, returning to the care of this department the 145 children placed with your association through an arrangement made by the Department of Public Charities of The City of New York. I desire to thank you for the full and complete information furnished in reference to these children.

"I did not receive your communication until this morning, owing to the fact that I was compelled to go to the Brooklyn office yesterday before your letter was received, and as I had to attend before the Board of Aldermen, did not have the chance to do anything about the matter until this morning. I have instructed Mr. Bauer to make the necessary arrangement for the transfer of these children to the New York Infant Asylum, and also told him to communicate with you in case there was any difficulty about the children who are getting medical attention.

"I shall have your communication placed before Commissioner Hebbard as soon as he returns to the City, and no doubt he will discuss with you the chances of the department and your association again resuming the plan of co-operation which has existed for so long a time.

"Yours very truly,

(Signed) "JAMES J. MCINERNEY,  
"Second Deputy and Acting Commissioner."

As this action on the part of the State Charities Aid Association had been anticipated, the Superintendent of our Children's Bureau was instructed to transfer these children to the New York Infants' Asylum, Sixty-first street and Amsterdam avenue, which was done accordingly on June 17.

On June 21 we notified the Comptroller regarding these children as follows:

"This is respectfully to inform you that on the 17th inst. the children boarded out by the State Charities Aid Association were returned to this department, and thereupon transferred to the New York Infant Asylum. From June 1 to 17 the children were cared for by the State Charities Aid Association without any charge to the department, the association having been notified by me either to surrender the children or be at the expense of their maintenance after May 31."

#### Art Commission of The City of New York.

April 9—The said Commission adopted a resolution approving the design and location of the Pathological Building for the Kings County Hospital, said proposed building being a two-story and attic brick building. First floor will contain a morgue, autopsy room, chapel, Surgeon's room and the necessary dependencies. Second floor will contain laboratories, and the attic to be used for storage. Estimated cost, about \$40,000.

May 6—The Commission requested that in future all submissions for their approval be sent not less than ten days in advance of the meeting at which they are to be considered, in order that the committee to whom they are referred shall have time to visit the proposed location, to determine upon the suitability of the plans for the locations and surroundings and the many other factors which often arise, to prepare a report for consideration by the Art Commission.

May 9—We replied promising to give the matter careful attention, at the same time asking the Commission whether it would be possible for them to co-operate with the department more actively in the attempt to approve the appearance of construction work in the department, particularly on Blackwell's Island.

May 11—In a letter from the President, Hon. Robert W. de Forest, the active co-operation of the Art Commission was promised for anything we wish to do to improve the City's "exhibit" on Blackwell's Island, and requested that when we wished any help that they could give, kindly call on them.

On May 13 we therefore wrote to the President as follows:

"Dear Mr. de Forest—In answer to your letter of the 11th inst., for which I beg leave to thank you, permit me to say that it occurs to me that it would be a good plan if the Art Commission and the department could come to some definite conclusion as to the proper development of construction work on Blackwell's Island.

"In this way new buildings could be more or less definitely planned and located and the older and less useful buildings gradually eliminated.

"At the present time, for example, I am having Mr. R. F. Almirall, the architect, No. 51 Chambers street, prepare a layout of the hospital districts at the ends of the island, and should be glad to have these passed upon by the Art Commission before they are finally adopted. Present conditions are such that it seems to me that every person of any artistic spirit who comes to or leaves the city by way of the East river and the Sound must have their sense of decency offended by the group of buildings that have for years been growing up around the hospitals on the island. While I realize that it is not an easy matter to change these conditions, I should like to do something toward it during my brief term of office, and will welcome the active co-operation of the Art Commission which you so kindly promise in this matter."

May 13—Plans were submitted to the Art Commission for a three-story non-fireproof building of rubble stone, trimmed with brick quoins and bonded brick arches over openings; slate roof.

First floor to contain boilers, hot water heater, coal storage, dining-room and pantry.

Second and third floors to contain single sleeping rooms, toilet and bathing accommodations.

Said building to be of similar design to the present dormitory building erected in 1903.

To be used as a dormitory for male inmates of the Farm Colony, Staten Island. Cost, \$25,000.

May 14—The Art Commission approved of the designs and location of said male dormitory buildings.

When these plans were submitted to the State Board of Charities they requested some changes in the toilets and entrance. Said changes were made in the plans and they were again submitted to the Art Commission on June 11, 1907, and approved at the special meeting held June 27, 1907.

The Commission thought well of the plan of coming to some definite conclusions as to the proper development of construction work on Blackwell's Island, and stated in a communication on May 20 that "it was the opinion of every one (of the members) that our suggestion for the preparation of a carefully devised plan for the improvement of Blackwell's Island was worthy of hearty approval, and the Art Commission will gladly consider any such plan whenever we care to submit it."

They further stated that "there certainly should be a comprehensive scheme for the development of the City in every direction, so that no matter if changes are made in the personnel of the departments the work could proceed in harmony with a carefully prepared plan."

#### State Board of Charities.

During this quarter we received copies of report of inspections made by Inspectors of the State Board of Charities on institutions under the jurisdiction of this department, as follows:

April 1—Inspection of the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Manhattan Division, made February 5 to 11.

May 3—The Metropolitan Hospital Training School. Inspection made March 4, 1907.

May 6—The plans and general specifications for the two-story and attic pathological building, Kings County Hospital, estimated to cost \$40,000, were submitted for approval, and same were approved at their meeting held May 28, 1907.

May 13—Bureau of Dependent Adults, including the Morgue, Manhattan, and The New York City Children's Hospital and Schools, Randall's Island; also Cumberland Street Hospital Dispensary.

May 22—Plans for the erection of a three-story non-fireproof building, to be used as a male dormitory, Farm Colony, Staten Island, estimated cost, \$25,000, submitted for their approval.

The State Board suggested changes in regard to the toilets and entrance to the building.

Said changes were made in the plans and they were again submitted for their approval on June 10.

#### Fire Protection in Institutions.

During 1903 a fire expert and drill master was engaged to establish a fire drill at the different institutions and maintain the same for one year, but owing to the many



changes in the employees of this department it was thought advisable to have this fire drill established again; so on

April 18, 1907, a contract was entered into with the same fire expert and drill master to establish his system of fire protection at all the hospitals and homes of this department.

Said system includes inspecting all buildings and making recommendations as will give them an adequate fire equipment; inspect and test the fire equipment each month; instruct all attaches of the institutions in the use and care of the fire equipment; instruct and drill them in the best method of fighting fire, what to do when a fire occurs, how to prevent fires and how to care for the patients at the time of fire.

Organize and drill companies of employees for the purpose of fighting fires. Visit the institutions every two weeks and without previous notice put the attaches through the fire drill. This supervision on the part of the fire expert to continue to December 31, 1907, when it is thought that each institution will have a thoroughly drilled and organized fire company.

#### Coney Island Reception Hospital.

Owing to the delay in starting the new Coney Island Hospital the lease of the present buildings situated on Sea Breeze avenue, opposite the park, and which have been rented for hospital purposes in summer only since June 1, 1901, was renewed for another year from May 1, at a rental of \$2,800 per annum.

#### New Positions Created.

April 30—The Board of Aldermen concurred in the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted March 22, 1907, establishing the following positions in this department:

One Confidential Stenographer, at \$1,500 per annum.

One Confidential Inspector of Food Supplies, at \$1,500 per annum.

#### Co-operation of Other City Departments.

May 4—Through the co-operation of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity current was turned on so that all walks and roads on Randall's Island were lighted by electricity all night.

May 18—The Gymnasium and Reception Hospital on Randall's Island were also lighted by electricity. These buildings, being comparatively new, had been equipped for electric lights.

A request was made on the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to lay a water main on the east side of Blackwell's Island in the precincts of City Hospital, so that in case of a break in the present main, which often happens, the buildings would not be without water.

They replied under date of May 15, 1907, to the effect "that they had contracts drawn calling for a 12-inch main from Manhattan Island, and the extension of the 12-inch line running south from the east side of the island, to be connected with the present water main, causing a complete circulation with cross connections at different points controlled by gates to confine the shut-off of the water to a very small territory."

When this main is finished it will be a great benefit to institutions on Blackwell's Island, for there has been rather a poor supply of water, owing to the fact that there are so many more buildings and inmates than when the water main was first installed.

There were other requests made during this quarter, such as asking permission to install additional lights and gas stoves at Blackwell's Island institutions; also new 2-inch water connections with the 12-inch main, all of which have been granted.

The Chief Engineer of Light and Power of the Department of Water Supply suggested to this department, under date of June 12, 1907, "that in laying out a system of lighting by electricity on Blackwell's Island for the institutions of this department the possible needs of the Department of Correction in this direction should also be considered."

This matter was called to the attention of the Commissioner of the Department of Correction under date of June 25.

#### Department of Docks and Ferries.

Requests for repairs, etc., to docks used by this department were made as follows:

April 30, for repairs to decking and ferry steps at the dock foot of East Fifty-second street, also decking on the freight dock at the City Hospital. Granted and repairs made.

June 6 (1) To refasten the mooring cleat on the storehouse dock, Blackwell's Island and replace broken and worn out piles where necessary.

(2) Repair damage to the north end of the coal dock at the Home for the Aged and Infirm, done by Transfer No. 1 of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company.

(3) Repair the backing log on the north side of the pier at foot of East Twenty-sixth street; also to remove the spring piles at the end of the pier and which are too close to the dock.

These three requests were granted and the work done.

The subject of a different landing place for our ferry service from East Fifty-second street to Blackwell's Island, which has been under discussion for some time, and which was brought to the attention of the Department of Docks and Ferries under date of October 22, 1906, and again on December 29, 1906, was May 27, 1907, reported on at length by the Commissioner, Department of Docks and Ferries in which he states in part as follows:

"A further investigation has been made into the subject of providing a different landing place from the one your Department now occupies at the foot of East Fifty-second street, East river, and I cannot agree with you in your conclusions of December 29, 1906, that it would be proper for the City to undertake the condemnation of property between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets for the reason that the water front at that locality is so connected with the upland in rear by trade use that it would be impossible to condemn this property at the present time without paying probably an enormous price for contributory damages to the property in the rear, and no use by the City of the property at this locality is at the present time possible which would in any way compensate for any large price paid in condemnation proceedings."

"The landing place which your boats now occupy at the foot of East Fifty-second street seems to be chiefly objectionable, as I understand the matter, on account of the fact of the street itself being so much above the grade of the dock at this locality. To meet this objection, it would be possible for this Department to build a dock or landing stage at the foot of Fifty-third street, if this arrangement would be suitable for the uses of your Department."

After giving the matter careful consideration, we replied under date of June 20, to the effect "that this arrangement would not be suitable for our traffic for the reason that our boats are too large for such a landing. A suitable dock might be built at Fifty-third street for our use, but we are of the opinion that the north side of the pier now at Forty-ninth street, with alterations to facilitate the landing of passengers, would be much more suitable for the use of this Department." This subject was still under consideration at the close of this quarter.

#### Improvements and New Buildings.

May 24 proposed plans of the Staff House and the Morgue and Pathological building at the Metropolitan Hospital, were sent to the Medical Board of said Institution, and to the State Charities Aid Association, asking them to let the Commissioner of Public Charities have any suggestions they might wish to offer with respect to these buildings.

Work on the City Hospital group of buildings was begun as follows:

Superintendent's residence, started May 15, 1907.

Staff house, started May 18, 1907.

General service building, started May 20, 1907.

#### Metropolitan Hospital District.

Alterations and extension of Nurses' Home, under way.

#### New Nurses' Home.

The excavation work was nearly completed by June 1, 1907.

For report on other buildings see report of Department Architect.

The Board of Managers of the Metropolitan Training School at a special meeting held at No. 26 West Forty-sixth street, on May 7, 1907, adopted the following resolution and preamble:

Whereas, The members of the Board of Managers of the Metropolitan Training School for Nurses of the Department of Public Charities have learned with great regret and sorrow of the death on April 24, 1907, of Mrs. John L. Wilkie, a member of the Board, and desire to express their great appreciation of her valuable services and their deep sympathy with her family in their bereavement; therefore be it

Resolved, That the following minute be spread in full upon the minutes of this special meeting of the Board, and upon the records of the Department of Public Charities, and that a copy thereof be sent to Mr. Wilkie.

#### Minute.

In the death of Mrs. John L. Wilkie, the Board of Managers of the Metropolitan Training School for Nurses of the Department of Public Charities has lost one of its most loyal members.

Mrs. Wilkie was appointed a member of the Board at the time of its formation, March, 1902. Since that time she has been faithful and able in the performance of all the duties falling to the members. Mrs. Wilkie's intimate and thorough knowledge of all matters pertaining to the care of the sick in the hospital wards, as well as hospital administration, and her willingness to aid in every movement for the benefit of public institutions of this character, have been of great value to this Board and to the Department of Public Charities.

Her attractive personality endeared her to her associates and she will long be remembered by them with affection and admiration.

Minute in re—Mrs. Wilkie also placed on record in this Department.

#### The Russell Sage Institution of Pathology.

To be affiliated with the City Hospital and the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Blackwell's Island.

On June 24 we received the following letter from Dr. Janeway, attending physician at the City Hospital:

"June 22, 1907.

"Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner of Public Charities, New York City:

"My Dear Mr. Hebbard—It is with great pleasure that I enclose to you the accompanying letter received from Mr. de Forest, which announces that Mrs. Sage has endowed the Institute of Pathology, in accordance with the plans which we have previously worked out together, to be affiliated with the City Hospital and the City Home for the Aged.

"I trust that the Institute may be speedily incorporated and that arrangements for its entering upon its official relations with these institutions of your Department may be consummated. I believe that the outlook for large contributions to the advancement of medical science, and to the education of successive generations of physicians in the science of disease, may be looked for as a result of this very generous endowment; and that the presence of the Institute and its scientific staff at these hospitals will improve all the work done within their walls, and enhance materially the standing of these hospitals of your Department as progressive and scientific institutions.

"I beg to acknowledge at the same time our indebtedness to you for your constant interest and co-operation in the furtherance of these plans, and in all that concerns the scientific interests of the hospitals under your care.

"Respectfully yours,

"THEODORE C. JANEWAY."

The letter from Mr. Robert W. de Forest, counsel for Mrs. Russell Sage, mentioned by Dr. Janeway, reads as follows:

"No. 30 Broad street,  
New York, June 21, 1907."

"Dr. THEODORE C. JANEWAY, No. 36 West Fortieth street, New York:

"Dear Dr. Janeway—This is to notify you officially of what you already know; that is, that Mrs. Russell Sage has delivered to the Russell Sage foundation securities of a market value of \$300,000, the income of which is to be applied to the Institute of Pathology to substantially perform the duties of Pathologist to the New York City Hospital and the New York City Home. This Institute is to be organized according to the plans and under the direction of Doctors E. G. and T. C. Janeway, with whom are to be associated on the Board of Trustees as ex-officio members the Commissioner of Public Charities of The City of New York and the President of the Medical Board of the City Hospital, and as individual members, in addition to yourself and your father, Dr. D. Bryson Delavan, Dr. Simon Flexner and Prof. Graham Lusk. This Institute will be promptly incorporated.

"The effective work of the Institute depends, as you have stated, upon the maintenance and continuance of the helpful relations between the Department of Public Charities and those who are now performing the duties of pathologists to these hospitals, which have been so successfully established for the public good under the wise and efficient management of Commissioner Hebbard. The income of the Institute from this source will be based upon the continuance of such co-operation, to the satisfaction of the gentlemen named as Trustees, including of course, your father and yourself.

"Mrs. Sage hopes that as the result of this endowment the research and educational work of these hospitals will be largely increased, to the good of the general public, and particularly in dealing with the diseases to which old age is liable.

"Sincerely yours,

(Signed) "ROBERT W. DE FOREST."

The plan of the institute mentioned by Mr. de Forest was submitted to him by Dr. Janeway on April 15, 1907, and reads as follows:

"No. 36 West Fortieth street,  
April 15, 1907."

"My Dear Mr. de Forest—I enclose a draft of plan for the proposed Russell Sage Institute of Pathology, and I want to lay before you the reasons which have made me feel very strongly the great importance of such an institution connected with the City Hospital and the City Home on Blackwell's Island—reasons which have impelled me to lay the whole matter before Mrs. Sage, and to ask her to found such an institution with an endowment of \$300,000.

"The purpose of the institution is two-fold;

"First—Research into the problems of disease, and more especially the diseases of advanced life.

"Second—The improvement of the care of the City's poorest sick and aged in two of its largest institutions.

"These two purposes are not distinct, but are closely related, and of the two I believe the second to be the more important, but only to be attained through the accomplishment of the first. To make this clear I must give you a short outline of the development of these City Institutions.

"All of the City's hospitals on Blackwell's Island have until very recent years been sadly neglected. They still remain the most poorly equipped and the most cheaply administered institutions to be found within the City. The whole per capita cost of caring for the patients in the City Hospital is less than 80 cents a day. The per capita cost in such a hospital as St. Luke's is \$1.90, and some of the private hospitals run beyond that figure. When Mr. Folks became Commissioner of Charities he took an interest in the improvement of physical conditions in these institutions which has continued through the terms of his successors, Mr. Tully and Mr. Hebbard, until the hospitals are now, in point of equipment, food supplies, etc., on a fairly satisfactory basis commensurate with the character of the patients they administer to, though still well below the standard of Bellevue Hospital. New buildings in prospect, especially a separate building for the housing of the medical staff, will so much further improve conditions as to make the service of the City Hospital a much more attractive one to young physicians, and the present Commissioner, Mr. Hebbard, has established such relations of mutual co-operation with the Medical Board, and shown such interest in



the scientific as well as the charitable work of the hospital, that the outlook for future development is very bright.

"Four years ago the City Hospital had a pathological laboratory but no pathologist—someone from the City or some member of the attending staff making the autopsies, and the vast material of the institution being wholly lost to science. The facilities for the application of careful laboratory methods for the diagnosis of the patient's ailments were also very poor. At that time the present pathologist, Dr. Oertel, was appointed by Mr. Folks. For four years he has given his time unreservedly to the building up at the City Hospital of a modern pathological department modelled after the best German institutes. One year ago he was also made pathologist of the City Home, and has since then had charge of the pathological work of both institutions. During this time his constant presence, his teaching of the staff and his assistants, and his example of thorough and self-sacrificing and scientific work has immensely raised the character of all the work done throughout the institution, and has more than anything else contributed to improved care of the patients in all departments of the Hospital. During this time he has trained men in pathology, who have left him for other positions; during all this time he has served the City absolutely without salary, and his assistants as well have not received a cent for their services. On such a basis further development is impossible, for men cannot work indefinitely for nothing.

"There are two alternatives:

"First—The attempt to have the City put the pathologist and his assistants upon a salary;

"Second—The endowment of an institution by private beneficence.

"At Bellevue Hospital the pathologist receives a salary of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) from the City, and has paid assistants and a fairly well equipped department. The present condition of demands upon the City's borrowing capacity and the knowledge of the long-established custom of administering the Department of Charities upon an almost niggardly basis, make the likelihood of such reasonable financial compensation by the City a thing of the remote future. More than this, I am fully persuaded that in this country, at least, placing such positions under the Civil Service rules is almost certain to result in their eventually being filled by inferior men. The prohibition of employment of non-residents of New York would rob us of the men who in the past have been our best pathological assistants, since there are but few from New York each year who desire to go into pathology.

"Finally—The possibility of political interference, where salary is involved, can never be escaped. For this reason I feel sure that the future development of the scientific work of the City Hospital depends upon the co-operation of private beneficence and the City support; the salaries of the scientific workers, the expenses of special research work, the maintenance of a proper working library, and the cost of the publication of results to be borne by the income of an endowment; while the buildings and their care and the cost of the routine work directly for the patients should be borne as at present, by the Department of Charities.

"There is an admirable precedent for such co-operation in the City of Frankfurt, Germany, where the endowment of a pathological institute for the City Hospital by Baron von Senkenburg has raised the City Hospital of Frankfurt from an unheard-of municipal institution to the position of one of the great scientific hospitals of Germany, where Weigert and, now, Paul Ehrlich—one of the greatest medical discoverers of the day—have worked in the laboratory, and such clinicians as von Noorden, in the wards, have made the hospital famous.

"In Boston the City Hospital administers a number of private endowments which contribute to make the institution far superior to any of our municipal hospitals.

"There seems, therefore, a most unusual opportunity at the present moment for some public-spirited New Yorker to open a new field for private beneficence—co-operation with our great public hospitals, which must always take care of the bulk of the most helpless of our sick poor, and by making possible within these institutions scientific work of the highest order and therefore educational facilities such as young physicians covet, bring to those institutions the highest type of young graduates in medicine to take charge of the sick within their walls.

"Only in this way, it seems to me, can our municipal hospitals hope to care for their patients in any such way as the well endowed or supported private hospitals have been doing for years.

"To return to the first purpose of the institute—the prosecution of research—I only desire to say that no institutions in the country offer such unparalleled opportunity for the study of the diseases of old age, the changes which come in heart, kidneys and blood vessels, and of the diseases of the nervous system as these two great City institutions, with their over two thousand inmates.

"Dr. Welch, of Johns Hopkins University, in a recent speech, drew attention to the fact that medical science in the last fifty years had been able to increase the expectation of life for every individual by twelve years, but that this increased expectation of life only held good before the age of forty, after which our expectation of life is still no greater than that of our forefathers. This, he said, is because the prevention of disease has been so far through the study and knowledge of infectious diseases, which kill especially the young. The preventive medicine of the future, he said, must study the causes of organic changes of later life, and learning these, know upon what depends the accomplishment of their prevention. Such foundations as the Rockefeller Institute are now prosecuting work of this kind from the experimental side. But the problem must be studied from two sides. The other of these—the study of the character of the changes within the organism, and their correlation with the phenomena of illness during life, can only be carried on in such institutions as the City Hospital, where there are a large number of patients with diseases of this character. Such work as this the proposed Institute could contribute in large amount.

"I therefore have no hesitation in urging upon Mrs. Sage, and those who have the privilege of advising with her in such matters, that they realize the largeness of the opportunity to make institutions now great only in numbers, in future years conspicuous for their contributions to the advancement of medical science, the prolongation of life, and the amelioration of suffering, and widely known for the skill and care with which their physicians minister to the friendless and homeless poor of our greatest city.

"Sincerely yours,

"(Signed) THEODORE C. JANEWAY."

Central Office, Manhattan.

The quarterly report of the Department (for the first quarter, 1907) required by section 1544 of the Greater New York Charter was prepared and sent to your Honor on May 24, 1907.

The annual report for 1906 was transmitted to your Honor on May 28, 1907, and was published in full in the CITY RECORD of July 11, 1907.

On June 6, in response to a request from the Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, a list of all real estate under jurisdiction of this Department was forwarded in the following letter:

"June 6, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Dear Sir—Under date of May 3 you requested this Department to furnish the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, irrespective of a like character previously furnished to your Department, with a list of all real estate under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities; also a diagram of each parcel showing its location with reference to section, block and lot number as laid out on the land map of the City of New York.

In reply I would say that the Department owns and has jurisdiction over the following described property in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:

Kings County Morgue, located on the southwest corner of St. Edward's place and Willoughby street, Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 30, section 7, Block 2088.

Old Potter's Field Cemetery, in Flushing, Ward 4, Block 154 and Lot 34, consisting of 4.2 acres, situated on Queens avenue and Twenty-fourth street.

Site for the new Coney Island Hospital; located in section 21, Blocks 7220, 7221, 7238, 7239, 7240 and 7242, consisting of about 25½ acres on Ocean parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street and Canal avenue.

Kings County Hospital and Home for Aged and Infirm, located in section 15, Blocks 4829, 4830 and 4831, known as Lot No. 1, situated on Clarkson street, Winthrop street, Albany avenue and Canarsie avenue.

Bradford Street Hospital, located in section 12, Block 3674, Lot No. 5, on Bradford street, between Atlantic avenue and Fulton street.

Cumberland Street Hospital, located in section 7, Block 2043, Lot No. 13, on Cumberland street, running through to Carlton avenue, between Myrtle and Park avenues.

Central Office, in Borough of Brooklyn; located in section 1, Block 167, Lot No. 46; No. 327 Schermerhorn street, between Nevins street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Manhattan this Department owns and has jurisdiction over about three-fifths of Blackwell's Island; the north end, the south end and the centre. I enclose map of said island, showing the part owned by the Department of Charities and the Department of Correction.

On Randall's Island we own about two-thirds of the island, the other part being owned and controlled by the State, on which is located the House of Refuge. I enclose map of said island.

On Manhattan Island the Department owns a plot of ground on the south side of Twenty-fifth street, 400 feet east of First avenue, 100 feet on Twenty-fifth street and about 98 feet and 9 inches deep, known as section 3, Block 956, Lot No. 37.

In the Borough of Richmond the Department owns and has jurisdiction over the property known as the New York City Farm Colony. This consists of 58.96 acres in Ward 3, Lot B, Plot 9 on the Manor road; also 27.27 acres in Ward 3, Lot A, Plot 8 on the Manor road; also contiguous to this property the Department owns 38,238 acres in Ward 2, Lot No. 70, Plot 36 on the Manor road, purchased from Mary G. White during 1902 and 1903; also 25 acres in Ward 2, Lot No. 325, Plot 37, situated on the Manor road, known as the Charles F. Schmidt property, purchased in 1905. The Department also owns two pieces of ground known as the Salt Meadows, one consisting of 15.4 acres in Ward 3, Lot No. 18a, Plot 25, situated on the Staten Island Sound. It is marked on the Robinson Atlas of Staten Island as Mithias Simonson; also 16 acres in Ward 3, Lot C, Plot 16, situated on Poor House Creek. This makes in all about 180 acres in the Borough of Richmond.

I enclose diagrams of each of the pieces of the property mentioned.

#### Excursions on Steamer "Fidelity."

These began on June 24, 1907, and are to continue every day, except Sundays and holidays, until September 28, 1907. Patients from the City and Metropolitan Hospitals, Home for the Aged and Infirm, and children from Randall's Island were taken on different days. Usually twice a week the band from Randall's Island accompanied the boat, thus giving the trip a genuine air of "an excursion." The trips were varied between Hart's Island, Staten Island and up North river, as conditions would permit. Nurses and doctors were always in attendance, and all were supplied with lunch on board. They were therefore much enjoyed by all, for in this way even the old people at the Home for the Aged and Infirm, who have been there for years were enabled to see something of what is "doing" about New York City, even if they are wards of the City in the Poorhouse on Blackwell's Island.

#### Band Concerts.

As has been the custom for several years band concerts have been given Saturday afternoons on the grounds for the aged and infirm, Blackwell's Island, by the bands from the New York Catholic Protectory on one Saturday, and the next Saturday by the band from the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin. These began this year on Saturday, June 1, and are to be continued every Saturday until September 14, 1907.

The following openings were held during this quarter:

On April 1 bids were opened.

Title 1. For providing all labor and materials required for the tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, glazing, painting, hardware, fitting up of closets and linen and blanket rooms, and all other work [except electric, heating and ventilating and plumbing work, vacuum sweeping plant, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures, and fitting up (other than that of closets and linen and blanket rooms)] for the erection and entire completion of an alteration and extension of the present Nurses' Home and a Nurses' Home for the Metropolitan Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.

Title 2. For providing all labor and materials required for the electrical conduit, electric wiring and switchboard work, elevator and dumbwaiter work, heating and ventilating work, plumbing work, gas piping, vacuum sweeping plant, and all other work [except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures, and fitting up] for the erection and entire completion of an alteration and extension of the present Nurses' Home and a Nurses' Home for the Metropolitan Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.

Title 3. For providing all labor and materials required for the cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures, and fitting up (other than that of closets and linen and blanket rooms), and all other work (except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, electric heating and ventilating and plumbing work and vacuum sweeping plant), for the erection and entire completion of an alteration and extension of the present Nurses' Home and a Nurses' Home for the Metropolitan Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.

There were ten bidders, and the contracts were awarded to the lowest bidders on April 2, 1907, to Thos. B. Leakey Building Company, for Title No. 1, at \$273,370, and to Wells & Newton Company, the lowest bidders on Title 2, at \$65,200. No awards made on Title 3.

On April 22 bids were opened for furnishing and delivering:

No. 1. Dry goods, rubber goods, plated ware, paints, oils and glass and other miscellaneous supplies.

There were thirty-four bidders, and as it was line and class bidding, the awards were made on April 29 to the twenty-four lowest bidders on these lines and classes:

No. 2. Lumber, harness, leather and findings, cordage, manure, farming implements and horses. There were eighteen bidders, and the awards were made to the lowest bidders on the different items, of which there were fourteen, varying in amount of the awards to them of from \$49.90 to \$7,660.60.

No. 3. Uniforms and uniform goods.

There were only two bidders, and the award was made on April 29 to the lowest bidder, the Siegel-Cooper Company, for \$6,772.37.

On April 23 bids were opened:

Title 1. For providing all labor and materials required for the tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, glazing, painting, hardware, fitting up of closets and linen rooms, and all other work [except electric, heating and ventilating and plumbing work, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures and fitting up (other than that of closets and linen rooms)] for the erection and entire completion of a residence for the Superintendent, a residence for the medical staff and a dining hall and kitchen building in connection with the City Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.

Title 2. For providing all labor and materials required for the electrical conduit, electric wiring and switchboard work, elevator and dumbwaiter work, heating and ventilating work, refrigerating work, plumbing work, gas piping, and all other work [except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron roofing and metal work, carpentry, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures and fitting up] for the erection and entire completion of a residence for the Superintendent, a residence for the medical staff and a dining hall and kitchen building in connection with the City Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.

Title 3. For providing all labor and materials required for the cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures, and fitting up (other than that of closets and linen rooms), and all other work (except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, electric heating and ventilating and plumbing work), for the erection and entire completion of a residence for the Superintendent, a residence for the medical staff and a dining hall and kitchen building in connection with the City Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.

There were eleven bidders, and the contracts were awarded on April 24 to Dan'l J. Ryan for \$171,990, the lowest bidder on Title 1, and to Wells & Newton Company for \$57,440, the lowest bidder on Title 2. No award was made on Title 3.



On May 2 bids were opened "for furnishing all the labor and material required for the erection and completion of Coney Island Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn." There were eight (8) bidders, the lowest being Clarke & Stow, for \$343,000, but as this amount was far in excess of the appropriation, no award was made.

On May 10 bids were opened "for furnishing all the labor and material required to repair roof of barn at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond." There were eight bidders, and on May 14 the award was made to the lowest bidder, Elias Cohen, for \$448.

On May 10 bids were also opened "for furnishing all labor and material required for the erection of a veranda, etc., on the male dormitory, Randall's Island, The City of New York. There were nine bidders, and the contract was awarded on May 22 to the lowest bidder, J. M. Knopp, for \$1,894.

On May 17 bids were opened "for furnishing and delivering wire screens, school supplies and hospital furniture." There were fourteen bidders, and awards were made on May 23 to the lowest on the different items.

On May 27 bids were opened:

No. 1. For labor and material required to alter and repair the two toilet rooms in the staff house, Kings County Hospital.

No. 2. For labor and material required for the erection and completion of partitions, plumbing, flooring, etc., for the General Medical Superintendent's office and the general office opposite, together with offices in the rear, at the Kings County Hospital.

No. 3. For labor and material required for damp-proofing the basement of the administration building, Kings County Hospital.

No. 4. For labor and material required to run a sanitary base in all of the wards, rooms, halls and closets in the Kings County Hospital.

No. 5. For labor and material required to put up metal ceilings, Kings County Hospital.

No. 6. For labor and material required to repair roofs, leaders and gutters, and to paint various buildings at Kings County Hospital.

On May 28 the awards were made to the lowest bidder under each title as follows:

No. 1. To J. M. Knopp, of No. 270 West Nineteenth street, for.....	\$1,393 00
No. 2. To A. S. Traub, of No. 215 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, for.....	1,840 00
No. 3. To A. S. Traub, of No. 215 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, for.....	1,860 00
No. 4. To C. L. Dooley, of No. 5 Beekman street, for.....	3,347 00
No. 5. To Rubin Solomon & Son, of No. 949 Broadway, for.....	950 00
No. 6. To Benj. F. Fettrick, No. 45 East Forty-second street, for.....	4,900 00

On May 28 bids were opened for furnishing all the labor and materials required for the completion of abandoned contract for plumbing and drainage of the new female dormitory at the City Hospital, Blackwell's Island.

There were six bidders, and the contract was awarded on May 31 to the lowest bidder, Christopher Nally, No. 2382 Broadway, for \$2,397.

On May 29 bids were opened "for furnishing all labor and materials required for the erection of a new coal storage building and a blacksmith shop on Randall's Island."

There were eight bidders, but no awards made because of insufficiency of funds.

On May 29 bids were also opened "for furnishing and delivering hardware, metals, crockery, glassware, woodenware, fire hose and other miscellaneous supplies.

There were twenty-three bidders, and the contracts were awarded on June 5 to the lowest bidders on the different lines and classes.

On June 3 bids were opened "for furnishing all the labor and material required to repair the plaster work in each of the three cottages at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

There were five bidders, and on June 4 the contract was awarded to the lowest bidder, James E. Mulligan, of No. 407 Richmond terrace, for \$1,660.

#### GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDERS.

General Order No. 65.

(Re: Special Requisitions.)

April 4, 1907.

Ordered, Attention is called to subdivision C of Rule 5 of General Order No. 53, "Requisitions for and Distribution of Supplies," which provides, with regard to special requisitions, that "except in cases of actual emergency, or where haste is really important, such requisition shall be limited to the 1st and 15th of each calendar month."

Heads of institutions and department are requested to observe this requirement as closely as possible, inasmuch as a large number of special requisitions are being sent to this office without compliance with the rule.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

General Order No. 66.

(Re: Rules and Regulations Governing the Duties of the General Inspector of the Department of Public Charities.)

April 17, 1907.

Ordered, That the duties of the General Inspector of the Department of Public Charities be and they hereby are defined as follows:

1. The General Inspector shall at least once a month regularly visit and inspect all the institutions of the department, including the dormitories of employees and other auxiliary buildings, and shall submit a written report in full detail on each institution within three days after such visit and inspection.

2. The General Inspector shall on each visit and inspection note and report upon the cleanliness and good order of the grounds and buildings and of all parts thereof, the ventilation, temperature and sanitary condition of all wards and places where patients, inmates or employees are kept and maintained, the care in every respect given to such patients, inmates and employees, and whatever else pertains to the usefulness and good management of the institution.

3. The General Inspector shall give particular attention to the care given to the sick in hospitals and elsewhere in the department, and shall include in his reports a statement with relation to any defects he may discover in the treatment of such patients or inmates. He shall note on each such visit and inspection the care given to prison and to detention cases, and whether or not they are allowed the benefits arising from fresh air and exercise, the same as given to other patients.

4. The General Inspector shall also give particular attention to the care given to the sick at the cottages and other parts of the Farm Colony in the Borough of Richmond, and shall report in detail thereon upon the occasion of each visit and inspection.

5. The General Inspector, during the course of his visitation and inspections, shall ascertain what patients or inmates should be transferred to other institutions, and particularly those who because of apparent mental affection should be sent to the psychopathic ward for examination, and shall co-operate with the superintendents of institutions and others in the transfer of such patients or inmates.

6. The General Inspector shall see that the patients receive proper care on all the boats of the department and that any rooms provided on such boats are kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

7. The General Inspector shall see that the dentists who visit the institutions of the department in order to care for the teeth of children and other inmates attend properly to the duties of such office, and that the inmates of the City homes in the various boroughs are supplied with glasses in accordance with the rules and regulations of the department.

8. The General Inspector shall report upon the physical condition of all applicants for admission to the cottages at the Farm Colony, and shall visit their places of residence when necessary for that purpose.

9. The General Inspector's hours of duty shall be from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., with an hour's intermission for luncheon. He shall perform such other and further duties besides those hereinbefore specified as may be devolved upon him by order of the Commissioner or Acting Commissioner, or the rules and regulations of the department,

and shall give all his time during the hours stated to the work of the department.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

General Order No. 67.

(Re: Condemned and Rejected Drugs, Surgical Instruments and Druggists' Sundries.)

April 22, 1907.

Ordered, That all condemned and rejected drugs, surgical instruments and druggists' sundries, originally received from or through the General Drug Department, shall in all cases hereafter be invoiced and returned to such department for final disposition.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

General Order No. 68.

(Re: Fire Protection.)

April 22, 1907.

Ordered, That the proposition of Mr. F. A. Ross, to install his system of fire protection in the institutions of this department during the remainder of the current year, be and it is hereby accepted, and that the duties of the said F. A. Ross under such proposition be and they are hereby defined as follows:

1. To install his fire protection system in each building of the department where the same is required, and to organize in each institution a well-trained fire department composed of the employees; to inspect all buildings and make such recommendations as will give them an adequate fire fighting equipment; inspect and test the fire equipment each month; instruct all attaches in the use and care of the fire equipment; instruct and drill them in the best method of fighting fire, what to do when a fire occurs, how to prevent fire, how to care for the patients at the time of fire and how to handle them should their removal be necessary. Instruction and drill to include the female Nurses as well as all male employees.

2. To organize and drill companies of employees for the purpose of fighting fire and to have them properly officered. To instruct the inmates that are able to care for themselves or to render assistance what to do in the event of fire.

3. To visit every two weeks each institution of the department after the system is organized and installed, and without previous notice to put the employees through the fire drill.

4. To install such work without unnecessary excitement or confusion among either employees or patients or interference with the regular routine work of the institutions.

The Superintendents of institutions are hereby instructed to co-operate with Mr. Ross to the fullest extent practicable in the installation of his system of fire protection in their respective institutions.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

General Order No. 69.

(Re: Rules and Regulations Defining and Governing the Duties of the General Storekeeper of the Department of Public Charities.)

May 14, 1907.

Ordered, That paragraph 4 of the rules and regulations defining and governing the duties of the General Storekeeper of the Department of Public Charities, adopted February 14, 1907, by General Order No. 61, be and it is hereby amended to read as follows:

4. The General Storekeeper shall, on or before the first day of November of each year, submit for the consideration of the Commissioner proposed specifications in printer's proof form for supplies to be used during the ensuing year. Unless otherwise directed by the Commissioner or the Acting Commissioner the amounts specified shall be those which it is estimated by the General Storekeeper are to be consumed during the succeeding fiscal year, less the probable excess over all reasonable demands which is then in store or under contract, with the right to increase or to diminish such amounts by 5 per cent. Such estimate, unless otherwise directed, shall be based upon the actual consumption to October 1, with the addition of one quarter to cover the probable consumption during the remaining months of the year.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

General Order No. 70.

June 8, 1907.

During the absence of the undersigned Commissioner and the First Deputy Commissioner at the Thirty-fourth Annual Conference of Charities and Correction, to be held at Minneapolis, Minn., from June 10 to 21 next, inclusive, the Second Deputy Commissioner, Hon. Jas. J. McInerney, will be the Acting Commissioner of the department, in accordance with the provisions of section 659 of the Greater New York Charter, as follows:

"In the absence or disability of both the Commissioner and the First Deputy, the Second Deputy shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties of the Commissioner, except the power of making appointments."

During the period hereinbefore mentioned, namely, from June 10 to 21 next, inclusive, all communications from officers and employees intended for the Commissioner should be addressed to "Hon. Jas. J. McInerney, Second Deputy and Acting Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York City."

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

General Order No. 71.

(Re: Patients Able to Pay for Treatment.)

June 25, 1907.

Ordered, That (while it is not intended, except in emergent cases, to treat in the hospitals of the department patients able to pay for such treatment in private hospital) whenever it is discovered that patients at the hospitals of the department are able to pay for treatment they shall be required to do so, at the rate of \$1 per day in the Manhattan Borough hospitals of the department, and at the rate of \$1.50 per day in the Brooklyn Borough hospitals of the department, where the per capita is greater.

Bills are to be presented weekly on the forms provided for that purpose, while the patient continues in the hospital, and the moneys thereby collected are to be transmitted through the usual channels to the Private Secretary to the Commissioner, who will make due acknowledgment of the same as heretofore.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS.

Special Order No. 81.

April 3, 1907.

Ordered, That the salaries of Wm. F. Gallagher (from February 1, 1907), John King (from February 1, 1907), John Kenny (from February 1, 1907), James McGowan (from February 1, 1907), W. J. Seagrave (from February 1, 1907), Patrick J. Scully (from February 1, 1907), Wm. Kelley (from March 1, 1907), Stokers, at \$1.50 per diem each, Steamboats, be and they hereby are increased to \$2 per diem each; action to date as indicated.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

Special Order No. 82.

April 3, 1907.

Ordered, That the salaries of Linos Behr (from February 1, 1907), James McLaughlin (from February 1, 1907), Peter H. Garvey (from February 13, 1907), Stokers,



at \$1.50 per diem each, at Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island, be and they hereby are increased to \$2 per diem each; action to date as indicated.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 83.

April 3, 1907.

Ordered, That the salaries of William C. Carroll, Geffory Connell, Alfred Nertons, John Madigan, Thomas Murphy, James J. McGean, Edward McGuire, Stokers, at \$1.50 per diem each, and G. Pearce, Stoker, at \$600 per annum, at the City Hospital, Blackwell's Island, be and they hereby are increased to \$2 per diem each; action to date February 1, 1907.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 84.

April 3, 1907.

Ordered, That the salaries of James Gogans (from February 1, 1907), John Hartigan (from February 1, 1907), Thomas Haines (from February 1, 1907), Michael Kiely (from February 1, 1907), Ernest W. Sherman (from February 1, 1907), Alfred Swenson (from February 1, 1907), William Tone (from February 1, 1907), James Gallagher, No. 2 (from February 10, 1907), August Kieper (from February 14, 1907), Thomas Harty (from March 19, 1907), Stokers, at \$1.50 per diem each, at New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randall's Island, be and they hereby are increased to \$2 per diem each; action to date as indicated.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 85.

April 3, 1907.

Ordered, That the salaries of John Callahan (from February 1, 1907), John Doran (from February 1, 1907), Christopher Higgins (from February 1, 1907), Charles J. Hagen (from February 1, 1907), John J. Monaghan (from February 1, 1907), John Morris (from February 1, 1907), James McKernan (from February 1, 1907), James McCormick (from February 1, 1907), Thomas O'Connor (from February 1, 1907), Wm. Widzior (from February 1, 1907), George Stone (from March 16, 1907), Stokers, at \$1.50 per diem each, at the Home for the Aged and Infirm, Manhattan Division, be and they hereby are increased to \$2 per diem each; action to date as indicated.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 86.

April 4, 1907.

Ordered, That Lillie A. Martin be and she hereby is appointed as Stenographer and Typewriter in the Bureau of Dependent Adults, Borough of Manhattan, Department of Public Charities, at a salary of \$600 per annum; action to date April 15, 1907.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 87.

April 4, 1907.

Ordered, That Agnes R. Byrne be and she hereby is appointed as Examiner of Charitable Institutions in the Bureau of Dependent Adults, Borough of Manhattan, Department of Public Charities, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum; action to date April 8, 1907.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 88.

April 15, 1907.

(Re: Additional Help at Metropolitan Hospital Laundry.)

Ordered, That in view of the large demands upon the service of the Metropolitan Hospital laundry, the following additional employees at the wages stated, be allowed at such laundry:

1. In the receiving room two additional Helpers at \$12.50 a month each.
2. In the sorting room two additional Helpers at \$12.50 a month each.
3. In the ironing room two additional Helpers at \$12.50 a month each.
4. At the quakers, sterilizer and extractor, one additional Helper at \$12.50 a month.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 89.

April 17, 1907.

(Re: Special Committee on Feeble Minded.)

Ordered, That paragraph 3 (numbered "2") of the order dated October 28, 1902, appointing a Special Committee on the Feeble Minded at the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools at Randall's Island be amended to read as follows:

"2. The Neurologists of the said Medical Board."

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 90.

April 22, 1907.

(Re: Duties of Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent and Stewards of Hospitals and Institutions.)

Ordered, That paragraph 2 of subdivision 2 of General Order No. 48 in re: Duties of Deputy Superintendents of hospitals and institutions, with relation to the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randall's Island, be amended to read as follows:

2. His hours of active duty shall be from 6.30 a. m. to 6.30 p. m., with an hour of intermission for luncheon; and he shall be on duty at such other times as may be necessary in case of emergency.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 91.

May 7, 1907.

Ordered, That Cornelius B. Cosgrove, Visitor, be and he is hereby detailed to act during the temporary absence of Mr. Wm. F. Walsh, as Deputy Superintendent of the Bureau of Dependent Adults, Borough of Manhattan, and he is hereby vested with all the authority which properly belongs to the said position.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 92.

May 11, 1907.

Ordered, That Anna Murphy be and she hereby is appointed as Examiner of Charitable Institutions, in the Department of Public Charities, Borough of Manhattan, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum; action to date May 15, 1907.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 93.

May 11, 1907.

Ordered, That the salary of Cassius Clay Andress, Confidential Stenographer, be and it hereby is increased from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum; action to date April 1.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

Central Office, Manhattan—This grade granted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 22, and adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 30; signed by the Mayor May 7.

## Special Order No. 94.

May 13, 1907.

(Re: Physician at Farm Colony.)

Ordered, That Dr. James L. Devlin of Sixth street, New Dorp, Staten Island, be and he hereby is appointed as Physician at the New York City Farm Colony, at a compensation of \$500 per annum or pro rata, without maintenance; action to date May 9, 1907.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

New York City Farm Colony—Municipal Civil Service under date of May 9, 1907, adopted a resolution exempting Dr. Devlin from examination, in accordance with Rule XII, paragraph 6.

## Special Order No. 95.

May 20, 1907.

Ordered, That Edward J. White be and he hereby is appointed Inspector of Foods (Egg Candler) in the Department of Public Charities, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum; action to date May 1, 1907.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

## Special Order No. 96.

May 31, 1907.

(Re: Rules and Regulations with Relation to the Electric Lighting of Randall's Island.)

Ordered, That the following rules and regulations, with relation to the electric lighting of Randall's Island be and the same are hereby adopted and published, to take effect immediately.

## Notice.

It is of the utmost importance that the proper rules for the government of employees handling high tension currents of electricity be literally and absolutely enforced in order to make such rules efficient. If these rules ought not to be enforced, they ought not to exist.

## General Rules.

Every employee of the Department of Charities whose duties are in any way described in these rules should be given a copy of same, and receipt for them. They should be carefully studied, and the employee should be conversant with every rule. He must render all the assistance in his power in carrying out these rules, and immediately report any infringement of them to his immediate superior:

1. The fact that any person employed by the Department for the purposes described enters or remains in the service of the Department will be considered an evidence of his willingness to abide by these rules.

2. If in doubt as to the meaning of any rules or instruction, application must be made at once to the proper authorities for an explanation. Ignorance is no excuse for neglect of duty.

## Rules in Case of Fire.

3. The high tension station will be equipped with at least a barrel of dry sand for use in case of fire in the station. Under no circumstances must water be turned upon the transformers, switchboard, wires or other electrical apparatus. In case of fire the current should be shut off at once and the fire extinguished by use of sand or tarpaulins. A small arc can ordinarily be fanned out with canvas or a piece of clothing. Any arc can be extinguished by lowering the voltage or opening the circuit.

4. Precautions—Any person accepting a position requiring them to perform the duties as stated above, does so with a full knowledge of the dangers incident to the operation and maintenance of high pressure alternating current plants, and is required to exercise great care in the performance of his duties to prevent accident to himself or others. He should see that the machinery appliances or tools which he is to use are in a safe condition to perform the services required.

5. Employees should not be expected to incur any risk of injury which they can avoid by the exercise of judgment or care. Employees are directed to report to the Chief Engineer in writing any defects in machinery, appliances or tools in the Department liable to cause accident.

6. All lamps and apparatus should be handled with care and under the assumption that they are charged with current at all times.

7. Do not handle any electrical apparatus while standing on the ground.

8. When handling wire or apparatus, avoid coming in contact with more than one wire at a time, and always avoid contact with posts, iron structures, brick masonry or other materials liable to provide a contact with the earth.

9. The slightest shock may throw an Attendant on appliances charged with current, or may cause a fall from a pole or other structure. Under those circumstances any current may be dangerous.

10. The employee who does the work above described will be equipped by the Department with rubber gloves and safety belt; also rubber boots, if necessary. All tools should have insulated handles.

11. Any employee having occasion to work on the appliances or circuits above described must be provided with these safety appliances.

12. No employee should work on a pole or other elevated structure without being provided with and using a safety belt. This should be so fastened that in case of shock the belt will provide protection from falling.

13. Work should be undertaken from below on all high tension wires and never from above.

14. Employees are forbidden to climb among the wires of the Department when current is on.

15. No cross-arm or other fixture should be assumed to carry the weight of a body without first being examined as to its condition.

16. Employees must see that the tools and safety appliances are maintained in condition, and defective tools must not be used.

17. The handling of switchboards or other appliances in work on high tension lines by other than the employees authorized to do so is forbidden.

18. All primary voltages used by the Department in the work above described are sufficient to cause injury or death, and the apparatus employed by the Department requires skill and knowledge to insure safety in handling.

19. You are warned against touching or handling any apparatus except in the line of duty.

20. Never attempt to use any defective apparatus or material. The Department will repair or replace any thing known to be defective.

21. You are cautioned to report defects as per General Rule No. 5.

## Transformer Room.

22. The transformer room is to be kept locked by the man in charge, and that man is to be held responsible for its condition and management.

23. No person, except employees in charge or officials of the Department, is to be permitted to enter inside the railing of the transformer room.

24. No employee is to be permitted to enter the transformer room inside the railing, except in the discharge of duty.

25. Transformer cases, switchboards and other apparatus must be kept clean and free from dust, especially around the high tension transformers.

26. In transformers which are oil-cooled, the oil should never get so low as to expose the high tension binding posts.

## This is Important.

27. The covers to oil-cooled transformers should be kept on, and every precaution taken to keep dust and foreign matter out of the oil.

## This is Important.

28. Great care should be taken in handling the high tension switches, and all such switches should be left open when not in use. This applies to both high and low tension switches.







Institution.	Bed Capacity.	Remaining March 31, 1907.	Admitted.	Total.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Died.	Remaining June 30, 1907.	Total.	Employees, March 31, 1907.	Employees, June 30, 1907.
Storehouse .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	57
Storehouse—Workhouse Gang.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	34
Total.....	9,016	8,165	18,232	26,397	12,058	5,734	955	7,650	26,397	2,065	2,109

\* Discontinued.

Respectfully submitted,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

## REPORT OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.

July 11, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit report of the Court Fund for the quarter ending June 30, 1907:

## Receipts.

Balance, March 31, 1907.....	\$22,671 60
April, 1907 .....	14,247 69
Interest, March balance.....	\$49 19
Interest, April balance.....	44 59
May, 1907 .....	93 78
Interest, May balance.....	12,586 74
June, 1907 .....	43 70
Interest, June balance.....	13,826 31
June, 1907 .....	45 07
Total .....	\$63,514 89

## Disbursements.

April, 1907 .....	\$14,968 59
May, 1907 .....	13,666 29
June, 1907 .....	13,523 70
Total .....	42,158 58

Balance on hand June 30, 1907.....\$21,356 31

\$63,514 89

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK KUNZMANN, Private Secretary.

July 11, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit report of money received in partial payment of the support of children committed to institutions; of those maintained in City homes and hospitals and of money received from the State Board of Charities for the care of the State poor, for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

For the Support of Children Committed to Institutions, Also for Those Maintained in the City Homes and Hospitals.

## Receipts.

April, 1907—		
Manhattan .....	\$3,212 82	
Brooklyn .....	833 55	
Richmond .....	55 39	\$4,101 76
May, 1907—		
Manhattan .....	\$2,591 79	
Brooklyn .....	929 10	
Richmond .....	84 86	3,605 75
June, 1907—		
Manhattan .....	\$2,599 32	
Brooklyn .....	883 71	
Richmond .....	86 50	3,569 53
Total .....		\$11,277 04

## Disbursements.

April, 1907, paid to Fannie Greenwald.....	\$5 00
April, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	4,096 76
May, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	3,600 75
May, 1907, paid to F. E. Bauer.....	5 00
June, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	3,569 53
Total .....	\$11,277 04

## State Board of Charities.

## Receipts.

April, 1907 .....	\$313 92
May, 1907 .....	
June, 1907 .....	
Total .....	\$313 92

## Disbursements.

April, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	\$313 92
May, 1907 .....	
June, 1907 .....	
Total .....	\$313 92

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK KUNZMANN, Private Secretary.

July 11, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit report of the money belonging to deceased patients received from the several institutions, and of money received from the sale of refuse material, etc., for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

## Money Belonging to Deceased Patients.

## Receipts.

Balance, April 1, 1907.....	\$157 30
April, 1907 .....	159 12
May, 1907 .....	103 84
June, 1907 .....	1,026 78
Total .....	\$1,447 04

## Disbursements.

April, 1907 .....	\$159 12
May, 1907 .....	103 84
June, 1907 .....	1,026 78
Balance, June 30, 1907.....	157 30
Total .....	\$1,447 04

## Sale of Refuse Material.

## Receipts.

April, 1907 .....	\$783 61
May, 1907 .....	962 28
June, 1907 .....	545 74
Total .....	\$2,291 63

## Disbursements.

April, 1907, paid S. Vorzinner, auctioneer.....	\$10 00
April, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	773 61
May, 1907, paid to H. Blume, refund deposit, April 29.....	200 00
May, 1907, paid S. Vorzinner, auctioneer.....	10 00
May, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	752 28
June, 1907, paid to City Chamberlain.....	545 74
Total .....	\$2,291 63

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK KUNZMANN, Private Secretary.

## AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Quarterly Statement Showing Total Amount of Vouchers Certified to Comptroller During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1907.

## 1905.

Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus .....	\$303 66
Clothing for Epileptics Sent to Craig Colony.....	4 40
Total .....	\$308 06

Department of Public Charities Building Fund, Construction, Additions, Extensions, Alterations and Improvements (chapter 724, Laws of 1896, and section 169, amended Charter, and section 47, as amended by chapter 409, Laws of 1904).....	16,124 92
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## 1906.

Supplies and Contingencies.....	\$4,780 47
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus .....	150 00
Clothing for Epileptics Sent to Craig Colony.....	1,142 89
Total .....	6,073 36

Revenue Bond Fund for Department of Public Charities, Supplies and Contingencies, deficiency in appropriation, 1906.....	277 00
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Revenue Bond Fund for Department of Public Charities, Clothing for Epileptics Sent to Craig Colony, deficiency in appropriation, 1907....	1,355 55
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Department of Public Charities Building Fund, Construction, Additions, Extensions, Alterations and Improvements (chapter 724, Laws of 1896, and section 169, amended Charter, and section 47, as amended by chapter 409, Laws of 1904).....	31,322 41
Total .....	\$55,461 30

## 1907.

Salaries .....	\$185,065 16
Supplies and Contingencies.....	317,837 44
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus .....	30,877 40
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins, etc.....	1,590 26
Clothing for Insane Patients.....	1,041 85
Donations to Grand Army Veterans.....	6,344 59
Rents .....	1,558 33
New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs.....	1,281 07
Total .....	545,596 10

Department of Public Charities Building Fund, Construction, Additions, Extensions, Alterations and Improvements (chapter 724, Laws of 1896, and section 169, amended Charter, and section 47, as amended by chapter 409, Laws of 1904).....	32,970 82
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Revenue Bond Fund for Department of Public Charities, Acquiring Title to Lands Bounded by Ocean Parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth Street, Canal Avenue and Coney Island Creek, Borough of Brooklyn.....	127,662 00
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Total.....\$761,690 22

The following contracts for new buildings and for alterations and additions to buildings were awarded during the quarter ending June 30, 1907:

## Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.

Elias Cohen—	
Repairs roof of barn, New York City Farm Colony.....	\$448 00

Raymond F. Almirall—	
Layout of grounds with projected buildings, etc., City Hospital.....	1,250 00
Layout of grounds with projected buildings, etc., Metropolitan Hospital .....	1,250 00

C. L. Dooley—	
Run a sanitary base in all of the ward rooms, halls and closets in the Kings County Hospital .....	3,347 00

J. M. Knopp—	
Alter and repair two toilet rooms, staff house, Kings County Hospital.....	1,393 00

A. S. Traub—	
Partitions, plumbing, flooring, etc., General Medical Superintendent's office, general office opposite, together with office in rear of Kings County Hospital .....	1,840 00

Damp-proofing basement, administration building, Kings County Hospital .....	1,860 00
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Rubin Solomon & Son— Put up metal ceiling at Kings County Hospital.....	985 00	A. Winternitz— Excavating, remove pipes, etc., in conduit and replace same and make connections, Randall's Island .....	425 00
Ben. F. Fetztrich— Repair roof leaders and gutters and paint various buildings, Kings County Hospital .....	4,940 00	Belding & Franklin Machine Company— Economical vegetable peeling machine and fittings, Metropolitan Hospital .....	325 00
Jas. E. Mulligan— Repair the plaster work in each of the three cottages, New York City Farm Colony .....	1,660 00	C. E. Halback & Co.— Awning and frame, Fifty-second street dock, East river.....	265 00
Total .....	\$18,973 00	Rubin Solomon & Son— Shingle tuberculosis tents at Metropolitan Hospital.....	798 00
Department of Public Charities, Building Fund, Construction, Additions, Extensions, Alterations and Improvements (Chapter 724, Laws of 1896, and Section 169, Amended Charter, and Section 47, as Amended by Chapter 409, Laws of 1904).		Benj. F. Fetztrich— Painting solarium, dining room and tuberculosis infirmary, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	750 00
Thomas B. Leahy Building Company— Title 1. For providing all labor and materials required for the tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, glazing, painting, hardware, fitting up of closets and linen and blanket rooms, and all other work [except electric, heating and ventilating and plumbing work, vacuum sweeping plant, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures and fitting up (other than that of closets and linen and blanket rooms)] for the erection and entire completion of an alteration and extension of the present Nurses' Home and a Nurses' Home for the Metropolitan Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.....	\$273,370 00	John Pfuhler— Extend hose connections, three cottages, New York City Farm Colony.....	47 50
Wells & Newton Company, of New York— Title 2. For providing all labor and materials required for the electrical conduit, electric wiring and switchboard work, elevator and dumbwaiter work, heating and ventilating work, plumbing work, gas piping, vacuum sweeping plant and all other work [except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures and fitting up] for the erection and entire completion of an alteration and extension of the present Nurses' Home and a Nurses' Home for the Metropolitan Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.....	65,200 00	Fuller & O'Connor— Repair boathouse foundation, City Home, Blackwell's Island.....	250 00
Title 2. For providing all labor and materials required for the electrical conduit, electric wiring and switchboard work, elevator and dumbwaiter work, heating and ventilating work, refrigerating work, gas piping, and all other work [except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures and fitting up] for the erection and entire completion of a residence for the Superintendent, a residence for the medical staff and a dining hall and kitchen building in connection with the City Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.....	57,440 00	Rubin Solomon & Son— Repair and paint waiting room, foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street .....	34 00
Daniel J. Ryan— Title 1. For providing all labor and materials required for the tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and iron, roofing and metal work, carpentry, glazing, painting, hardware, fitting up of closets and linen rooms, and all other work [except electric, heating and ventilating and plumbing work, cooking service equipment (including refrigerators), gas and electric fixtures, and fitting up (other than that of closets and linen rooms)] for the erection and entire completion of a residence for the Superintendent, a residence for the medical staff and a dining hall and kitchen building in connection with the City Hospital at Blackwell's Island, The City of New York.....	171,990 00	J. & L. Moreland Company— Two closets and shelves, Randall's Island.....	125 00
J. M. Knopp— Erection of a veranda, etc., male dormitory, Randall's Island.....	1,894 00	Two closets, without shelves, and one shelf.....	112 00
Christopher Nally— Completion of abandoned contract for plumbing and drainage, new female dormitory, City Hospital.....	2,397 00	Rubin Solomon & Son— Dip all shingles in approved shingle stain to be used on tuberculosis tents, Metropolitan Hospital.....	195 00
Total.....	\$572,291 00	Joseph D. Duffy— One iron enameled sink, Metropolitan Hospital.....	97 50
Extra Work on Contracts.		Rubin Solomon & Son— Repair to roof, flashing, tower, ornaments, etc. Paint Morgue and end of building, foot of East Twenty-sixth street.....	625 00
A. S. Traub— Two 15-inch I beams, etc., Central Almshouse, Kings County Hospital.....	\$360 00	Remove and replace roof on gas house, Randall's Island.....	195 00
Cover steam trenches, etc., Central Almshouse, Kings County Hospital.....	230 00	August Wille, Jr.— Repair and paint waiting rooms, One Hundred and Twentieth street, East river .....	239 00
G. A. Suter— Portland cement conduit on steam pipes from Nurses' Home to Isolation and Observatory Building, Kings County Hospital.....	740 00	New York Asbestos Manufacturing Company— Covering work in the power house, etc., including painting, City Home, Blackwell's Island .....	586 00
Daniel J. Ryan— Addition of 15 linear feet to van shed, No. 327 Schermerhorn street....	376 00	Frederick Rives— Labor and materials to do the work on the old stone building, New York City Farm Colony.....	395 00
A. S. Traub— Lead incased feed wire in pipe conduit, Central Almshouse, Kings County Hospital .....	125 00	Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Company— Two galvanized iron steam tables, etc., Randall's Island.....	387 00
Total.....	\$1,831 00	American Mason Safety Tread Company— Furnishing and setting brass mason safety treads, female dormitory, Blackwell's Island .....	301 78
And the following proposals, among others for minor repairs, alterations, etc., were awarded or executed during the quarter ending June 30, 1907:		Jas. Reilly Repair and Supply Company— Install new hoisting derrick and boom, coal dock, City Home, Blackwell's Island .....	529 00
Department of Public Charities, Building Fund, Construction, Additions, Extensions, Alterations and Improvements (Chapter 724, Laws of 1896, and Section 169, Amended Charter, and Section 47, as Amended by Chapter 409, Laws of 1904).		Joseph D. Duffy— Install sinks in dormitory, Randall's Island.....	245 00
Harry L. Philp— Hot water heater, smoke pipe and fittings, Male Helpers' dormitory, Randall's Island .....	\$150 00	John O'Connell— Painting steamer "W. H. Wickham".....	200 00
A. Winternitz— Install three water closets, wood trough, two baths and two washtubs, etc., female dormitory.....	980 00	Total.....	\$7,976 78
Total.....	\$1,130 00		
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.		REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENTAL DIETITIAN.	
Alfred B. Marx— Repairs to pool table, Metropolitan Hospital.....	\$45 00		June 30, 1907.
Manhattan Fire Alarm Company— Install two auxiliary fire alarm boxes, maintain and repair, Bradford Street Hospital .....	40 00	Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:	
Gong system, Bradford Street Hospital.....	15 00	Dear Sir—Herewith is submitted my report for the second quarter of the current year:	
Joseph D. Duffy— Install slop sinks in toilet towers, male tuberculosis infirmary, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	750 00	Organization.	

Miss Essa B. Lucas was appointed Acting Dietitian at the New York City Home for Aged and Infirm April 24, at \$600 per annum.

Miss F. Grace Strowger was appointed Acting Dietitian at the New York Training School for Nurses June 15, at \$600 per annum.

The position of Dietitian at the New York City Training School for Nurses is a new one, and the duties governing it are set forth in Appendix "A," having been promulgated as Special Order No. 98, on June 24, 1907.

Miss Nellie Wight was appointed Pupil Dietitian at the City Hospital June 1. Miss Crissie Hill was appointed Pupil Dietitian at the Metropolitan Hospital June 12. Miss Hill will relieve the Resident Dietitian and her assistant on their annual vacations.

An Assistant Cook has been appointed in the main kitchen at the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, and one in the Infants' Hospital kitchen at the same institution. These two positions are new and have been created in order to insure more careful preparation of food for inmates and to make possible the increased variety in the preparation of food which is required by the recently adopted dietary for inmates.

Two Hospital Helpers have been added to the payroll of the City Hospital kitchen, these appointments to make possible a reduction in the list of convalescent help.

The salary of the Assistant Cook at the City Hospital was increased from \$30 to \$40 per month.

#### Furnishings and Equipment.

The equipment for the special diet kitchen and the instruction laboratory for Nurses at the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools has been selected, and a part of it received and installed.

An electric power potato peeling machine has been installed at the Metropolitan Hospital. This will enable us to reduce the number of convalescent help heretofore employed in the peeling of vegetables.

#### Food Supply and Dietaries.

Arrangements have been made to produce on Randall's Island an amount of parsley sufficient to supply the needs of the recently adopted dietary, this amount not having been provided for on the contracts of the department.

In all institutions sausage has been cut from the dietary for the summer months; eggs have been substituted. Smoked beef has been dropped from the dietaries in such institutions as are not yet provided with proper slicing machines.

#### Teaching in Classes.

The Dietitian at the Metropolitan Hospital has given nine lessons in bacteriology to the graduating class and twelve lessons in cookery to the junior class at the Metropolitan Training School for Nurses.

The Dietitian of the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools has begun a course of ten lessons in the principles of cookery applied to diet for sick



children, these lessons being given to pupils applying for the diploma of the Training School of the above-named institution.

At the New York City Training School for Nurses I have conducted the following classes during the quarter:

- Two sections of one class, ten lessons each, in bacteriology.
- One section of five lessons in general elementary chemistry.
- One section of five lessons in the principles of cookery applied to invalid diet.
- One section, six lectures on dietetics.

- Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE R. CORBETT, Departmental Dietitian.

SPECIAL ORDER No. 98.

APPENDIX "A."

(Re: Duties of the Resident Dietitian of the New York City Training School for Nurses.)

June 24, 1907.

Ordered, That the following rules and regulations governing the duties of the Dietitian of the New York City Training School for Nurses of the Department of Public Charities be and they hereby are adopted, to take effect June 24, 1907:

1. The Dietitian of the New York City Training School for Nurses is responsible to the Superintendent of the Training School for the work of all Cooks, Waitresses and other helpers employed in the Dietary Department. She must assign their work to them, supervise its execution, criticize the condition of their work-rooms, their uniforms, their personal appearance and conduct while on duty, arrange off duty time for each, instruct them when needful and make any recommendations concerning them to the Superintendent.

2. She shall inspect daily the condition of the dining-rooms, kitchens, cupboards, ice boxes, ranges and all equipment of the Dietary Department, give instructions for the care of these, having full authority to enforce her instructions, and make requisition for any repairs needed.

3. She shall make a daily inspection of all raw and cooked food materials and see that these are properly cared for; that excess quantities are accounted for and that only the minimum waste occurs. She shall personally see that all foods for Nurses and employees are carefully prepared and properly distributed, with minimum waste.

4. The Dietitian shall visit dining-rooms during the hours of service of meals and correct any error she may observe in the service of the food. Any complaint from any source regarding the work of the Dietary Department shall be promptly and personally investigated by the Dietitian.

5. She will be held responsible for carrying out the dietary approved for the institution in which she is employed, as far as it is possible to do so, and will exercise her judgment in adapting meals of all Nurses and employees to the conditions existing at any time.

6. She shall estimate weekly and monthly the supplies necessary for her department and submit these estimates to the Superintendent for criticism and approval.

7. Under the direction of the Departmental Dietitian she shall supervise the care of the bacteriological and cooking laboratories, shall teach such classes and render such laboratory assistance as may be required of her.

8. The Dietitian at any time may recommend to the Superintendent of the Training School the employment of a suitable person for a position in her department; may recommend the discharge of any employee in her department, and may recommend any modification of compensation to any employee in her department.

9. At all times the Dietitian shall see that responsibility for work to be done is properly placed, and in case of her absence on "off duty" period she shall make all arrangements for the work to be carried on smoothly.

10. The Dietitian shall be on duty nine hours each day, except one day each week, when she shall have the afternoon off duty, and except on alternate Sundays, when she shall be off duty for the day.

(Signed) ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner.

Attest:

J. McKee Borden, Secretary.

#### REPORT OF EMPLOYMENT AGENT.

July 10, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to submit herewith the quarterly report of the Employment Bureau for the three months ending June 30, 1907. The following is a general summary of the work performed by me as Employment Agent:

April 1, 1907, to June 30, 1907.

Total number of personal and referred applications received at this office.... 385

Number found eligible and placed in hospitals or institutions under the Department of Public Charities.....	195
Number referred to New Harlem Hospital.....	1
Number referred to Bellevue Hospital and Training School.....	10
Number referred to State Charities Aid Association.....	12
Number transferred on reapplication.....	3
Number of applicants unable to furnish satisfactory references.....	2
Failed to report for duty.....	14
Declined to have references investigated.....	3
Number advised and directed for possible employment.....	75
Considered undesirable after investigation.....	63
Placed on waiting list for possible vacancies.....	7

Number of visits to hospitals, institutions, societies, agencies and references for the advancement of the Employment Bureau..... 179

The following hospitals, institutions and employment agencies have been visited during the past quarter:

#### Hospitals.

Bellevue Hospital.  
Post Graduate Hospital.  
New York Infant Asylum.  
Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island.  
New York City Home for Aged and Infirm.  
Lying-in Hospital.  
New York Foundling Hospital.  
New Harlem Hospital.  
Cumberland Street Hospital, Brooklyn.  
Tuberculosis Infirmary, Blackwell's Island.  
City Hospital, Blackwell's Island.  
Infants' Hospital, Blackwell's Island.  
Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled.

#### Institutions, Societies and Employment Agencies.

Metropolitan Training School for Nurses, Blackwell's Island.  
Catholic Home Bureau.  
St. Mary's Home.  
New England Employment Bureau.  
Bellevue Training School for Nurses.  
St. Joseph's Home.  
Krelberg's Agency.  
Young Men's Hebrew Association.  
Cooper's Employment Bureau.  
Morrow's Employment Bureau.  
St. Bartholomew's Employment Bureau.  
Young Women's Christian Association.

Charity Organization Society.  
Carpenter's Employment Bureau.  
Knights of Columbus Employment Bureau.  
St. Zita's Home.  
Co-operative Bureau.  
Salvation Army National Headquarters.  
New York City Training School for Nurses, Blackwell's Island.  
Washington Square Home for Friendless Girls.  
State Charities Aid Association.  
St. Barnabas House.  
Mission of the Immaculate Virgin.  
Lambott's Employment Bureau.  
Women's Home Missionary Society.  
Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor.  
Irving's Employment Agency.  
Home Bureau for Nurses.  
Baker's Labor Bureau.  
Institution of Mercy.  
Ozanam Home, Brooklyn.  
Home Employment Bureau.  
Florence Mission.  
Department of Health.  
St. Rose's Settlement.

The great difficulty in securing suitable helpers for the hospitals and institutions under the Department of Public Charities prevails throughout all other hospitals and institutions which I have from time to time had occasion to visit. Some few of our more competent Laundresses, Waitresses and general Helpers resigned two months ago to accept more remunerative employment at the Manhattan Beach Hotel and Fisher's Island.

The Helpers who were secured for the Tuberculosis Infirmary, Blackwell's Island, two months ago, are continuing on with their work longer than was anticipated. The work in the latter institution is very laborious, and the women seldom remain longer than a period of from three to four months before resigning.

During the past quarter I found it necessary to make but few transfers. Three women have been reinstated after giving satisfactory information as to remaining out over pass, their previous work and record having been reported satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE D. CLAWSON, Employment Agent.

#### REPORT OF THE GENERAL STOREKEEPER.

July 1, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—Herewith please find report of operations of Storehouse and Dependencies for the quarter year ending June 30, 1907.

#### Storehouse.

Invoices—	
April .....	\$35,030 50
May .....	57,223 84
June .....	43,981 12
Total.....	\$136,235 46

Disbursements—	
April .....	\$38,357 50
May .....	55,031 88
June .....	50,457 08
Total.....	\$143,846 46

#### Blackwell's Island Bakery.

No. 1 flour on hand April 1.....	Sacks.
No. 2 flour on hand April 1.....	1,005
No. 1 flour received.....	250
No. 2 flour received.....	1,680
Total.....	2,011
No. 1 flour consumed.....	1,826
No. 2 flour consumed.....	1,826
No. 1 flour paid to institutions.....	109
No. 2 flour paid to institutions.....	83
No. 1 flour on hand July 1.....	750
No. 2 flour on hand July 1.....	352
Total.....	4,946

The bread made amounted to 718,322 pounds, an average of 275 pounds to the barrel (196 pounds).

#### Blackwell's Island Stables.

Carpenters, average four men.....	Days.
Carriage Blacksmith, average one man.....	225
Wheelwright, average one man.....	77
Blacksmith's Helper, average one man.....	77
Harnessmaker, average one man.....	69
Painters, average two men.....	41
Horses on hand.....	138
Received by purchase.....	23
Sold by auction.....	6
Transferred to Farm Colony.....	2
Transferred to Randall's Island.....	3
On hand June 30, 1907.....	1

Number of horses employed..... 21

Number of days' work performed..... 1,729

Number of drivers employed..... 21

Number of drivers paid..... 18

Number of drivers unpaid..... 8

Number of days' work performed..... 2,119

#### Distribution of Horses.

City Hospital .....	2
Storehouse .....	3
City Home .....	5
Metropolitan Hospital .....	10
Blackwell's Island Stable.....	1
Unable to work.....	2
Total.....	23

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. DICKERSON, General Storekeeper.



REPORT OF THE SUPERVISING ENGINEER.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Charities:

Dear Sir—I beg to report the number of passengers carried by the boats of this Department for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, to be as follows:

"Wickham" .....	49,259
"Mulry" .....	88,466
"Brennan" .....	30,949
"Fidelity" .....	2,348
Total .....	171,022

The dead carried to the City Cemetery, Hart's Island, by the "Fidelity" during the quarter were as follows:

Children .....	1,046
Adults .....	467
Disinterments .....	18

Excursions from the various institutions are being carried by the "Fidelity" every day except Sunday.

Specifications for extensive repairs to the "Brennan" are in the hands of the printer; also the specifications for a new boat for hospital service.

Respectfully submitted,

G. HAMILTON, Supervising Engineer.

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT ARCHITECT.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—I beg to report as follows:

Condition of Present Contracts.

Female Dormitory, City Hospital; Cost, \$36,967; Fuller & O'Connor, Contractors—The building contract for this work was at a standstill owing to the tardiness of the plumbing contractor. The various lines of work under the building contract were entirely completed, excepting the painting of the toilet towers and cleaning.

The contract for the plumbing of this building was declared abandoned, and the work of finishing the contract was readvertised on May 28 and awarded on June 20 to Christopher Nally for the sum of \$2,397. The balance due the Metropolitan Plumbing Contracting Company (the original contractors) was \$2,354.45.

After the award of the new contract the work progressed very rapidly, and there is every indication of having the building ready for occupancy by July 15.

Remodeling Male Helpers' Dormitory, Randall's Island; Cost, \$40,275; J. L. Moreland, Contractor—This building was entirely completed in April.

New Fire Escapes, Three Cottages, New York City Farm Colony; Cost, \$3,500; W. H. Danby, Contractor—This contract is completed, with the exception of the stone flags at foot of stairs.

Two New Isolation Pavilions; Cost, \$10,747.22; Jas. Naughton, Contractor—The work on these buildings progressed quite slowly by reason of labor troubles and difficulty in procuring the various material; the job being small and requiring quite a variety of materials. It is expected that by September the buildings will be ready for occupancy.

Fireproof Stairs and Elevator at Male Almshouse, Kings County Hospital; Cost, \$16,484; A. S. Traub, Contractor—This work has been progressing rapidly and promises to be completed in July.

Erection of Five Toilet Towers, Randall's Island; Cost, \$52,400; A. Winternitz, Contractor—This work has been progressing rapidly and should be completed in September. A delay was caused at the start in procuring the special enamel brick, but upon their receipt the work went on very well.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. FLANAGAN, Department Architect.

Work Advertised and Prepared During Quarter.

Plans and Specifications.	Title.	Contractor.	Cost.	Estimated Cost.	Opening.	Remarks.
Plans and specifications.....	New veranda, male dormitory, Randall's Island.....	J. M. Knopp.....	\$1,894 00	.....	May 10	Work progressing rapidly; should be completed in July.
Specifications.....	Repairs to roof of barn, New York City Farm Colony.....	N. Cohn.....	448 00	.....	May 10	Completed during June.
Specifications.....	Damp proofing, etc., Administration Building, Kings County Hospital...	A. S. Traub.....	1,860 00	.....	May 10	Work progressing rapidly; should be completed early in July.
Specifications.....	Sanitary base, Kings County Hospital.....	C. L. Dooley.....	3,347 00	.....	May 27	Work progressing rapidly; should be completed early in August.
Specifications.....	Repairs to roofs, painting buildings, Kings County Hospital.....	B. Fettretch.....	4,900 00	.....	May 27	Work progressing fairly well; should be completed in September.
Plans and specifications.....	New office partitions, Kings County Hospital.....	A. S. Traub.....	1,840 00	.....	May 27	Work progressing rapidly; should be completed in August.
Plans and specifications.....	Remodeling toilets of Staff House, Kings County Hospital.....	J. M. Knopp.....	1,394 00	.....	May 27	Work progressing very slowly; should be completed by September 1.
Specifications.....	Metal ceiling, Kings County Hospital.....	R. Solomon.....	985 00	.....	May 27	Work considerably delayed at start; progressing well now; should be completed by September 1.
Plans and specifications.....	New coal storage building and blacksmith shop.....	L. J. Rice.....	6,239 00	.....	May 29	All bids rejected.
Plans and specifications.....	New male dormitory, New York City Farm Colony.....	.....	.....	\$30,000 00	.....	To be advertised in July.
Plans.....	Remodeling Annex Building, Kings County Hospital.....	.....	.....	75,000 00	.....	Plans nearing completion; should be advertised in August.
Total.....	.....	.....	\$22,907 00	\$105,000 00	.....	.....

REPORT OF THE CHILDREN'S BUREAU.

New York, June 30, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to submit herewith the report of the Children's Bureau for the quarter ending June 30, 1907:

During this quarter twenty-two hundred and sixty-eight (2,268) children were proposed for commitment as public charges, of which seventy (70) children were recurrent cases. Of this number, after investigation, eight hundred and one (801) children were accepted as proper public charges for the periods varying from one (1) month to one (1) year; eighteen (18) children were sent to institutions with mothers; two (2) children were placed to board in family homes; sixty-three (63) children were referred to private charities for care and thirteen hundred and eighty-four (1,384) children were disapproved unconditionally.

During the same period applications were made for the discharge of three hundred and three (303) children, of which two hundred and sixty-one (261) were approved and forty-two (42) disapproved of for the reasons stated in the statistical portion of the report.

During the quarter we received eight thousand two hundred and forty-nine dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$8,249.97) in part payment for children committed to institutions; this is an increase of seven hundred and fifty-four dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$754.57) over the preceding quarter of this year, and also an increase of four hundred and forty-seven dollars and seventy-two cents (\$447.72) over the corresponding period for year 1906.

Change in System of Records.

On April 1, 1907, a new book of record was put in use in this Bureau known as a "Daily Blotter and Register." This book serves as a complete entry, chronologically arranged, of each day's business and at sight shows how rapidly the work is completed and to which of the Examiners unfinished investigations are chargeable. This Register also serves the purpose of doing away with five other books formerly in use and confines the record of each case to one book, thus eliminating duplication of entry and preventing delay in that it takes less time to enter a given return covering several points in this one complete Register than it would take to record the facts in five minor books, and it has proven, in the short period of time in which it has been in use, a decided advantage in keeping our records.

State Charities Aid Association.

On June 17, 1907, the State Charities Aid Association submitted a list of one hundred and forty-five (145) foundlings; abandoned and destitute children, who had been previously placed in their charge by this Department, and asked to be relieved of any further responsibility in the matter of caring for the children. Accordingly the children were transferred the same day to the New York Infant Asylum, Sixty-first street and Amsterdam avenue, New York City.

Specimen Cases.

In the latter part of the previous quarter one Mrs. W., claiming to reside at No. West street, in care of G., applied for the commitment of her two children.

The Examiner's report, in part, follows:

The father died eighteen (18) months ago; was killed by a train on Eleventh avenue. The mother is living in a rear house in two rooms with Mr. W. G., whom she claims is a cousin. There are also two other men and a woman in these two rooms. These four people claim that the mother and two children have lived there for the past two years. The janitor, however, did not seem to know her. She was apparently incapable of knowing. Mother claims to have no relatives in New York, and says her brother in Virginia has eight children. The whole story seemed rather vague, and Examiner is not positive of residence. The children, however, should be removed from the surroundings. The mother works out by the day and there is no one with whom to leave the children.

As case looked suspicious, an effort was made to ascertain if Mrs. W. was living with her supposed cousin, Mr. G., as his common law wife. It being impossible to obtain any information in this direction and as children were evidently in need of care, one child was committed to an institution and mother referred to an agency to secure position with the remaining child as a domestic.

The Examiner, not being satisfied as to the question of the mother's legal residence in this city, kept the case under observation, and a reinvestigation of the case on April 19, 1907, resulted in the following:

"Having heard after repeated visits and inquiries that Mrs. W. is a resident of East Orange, N. J., I went to East Orange for the purpose of learning whether the information was correct or not. I called at No. street, the residence of one of my informants, but found no one at home. Inquiry in the neighborhood established beyond a doubt the fact that Mrs. W. is the proprietress of an employment bureau at No. avenue, Brick Church, N. J. After ascertaining positively from neighbors that this was so and that Mrs. W. had been a resident of Brick Church for the past five or six years at least, I called at the employment bureau. Mrs. W. opened the door for me, and without knowing who I was, or the object of my inquiry, admitted that she was the proprietress of the establishment, that she had conducted it for about five years and had lived there all of that time. When I made known to her the object of my visit she at first refused to answer any questions, but finally said that she knew she had done wrong in representing herself as being a resident of New York City and was sorry for having done so, but that she had not been able to earn a living for some time past and was very anxious that her children be provided for. She admitted that Mr. G., who posed as her cousin when the application was made, is not related to her, and said she had paid him seven dollars (\$7) for his trouble in aiding her to secure H's commitment. Mr. G., she said, had demanded twelve dollars (\$12), but they compromised on the former amount. I told Mrs. W. that unless she removed her child from the institution at once, and paid in full for the time he had remained there, she would be prosecuted for defrauding the City. She promised to call at the Children's Bureau on April 23, 1907, and pay the amount due and secure discharge paper for her son. Mrs. W.'s home has every appearance of prosperity. It is well furnished and comfortable and her claim that she is making no money out of her business is probably not true."

April 23, 1907—Mother called, reimbursed City for the expense incurred upon it for the care and maintenance of her child while in the institution and she was given a recommendation for his discharge.

On April 20, 1907, Mrs. H. arrived in this city with her seven children, directly from Bridgeport, Conn., and stated at this office that she came to New York City for the purpose of having her children committed to an institution. She stated she had never resided in this city, that her husband had gone to Detroit, Mich., where he had secured employment and that it was her intention to have her children cared for here in an institution until such time as her husband had saved sufficient from his earnings to pay the transportation of his family to Detroit. When asked if the authorities of Bridgeport had paid the fare of the family to this city, she replied in the negative, saying she paid it herself and still had five dollars (\$5) in her possession.

Not infrequently applicants of this class, having no legal residence in this city, have been asked why they come to this city, and they replied that the cost of their transportation had been furnished by the "poor authorities" of the city whence they came. Color is lent to this statement by an editorial which appeared in the New York "Sun" on April 27, 1907, part of which I quote:

"It is a favorite trick of Massachusetts to unload its criminals on other States, instead of keeping them in restraint and supporting them itself. Frequently a wrong-doer has kinsmen beyond the borders of the old Bay State who offer to care for him if he is set free in their charge, and except in the most serious cases such a proposition is not likely to be refused."

Massachusetts has no particular ill will toward the States in which its law breakers are thus unloaded. The system is really the result of the thrift for which the State is justly famous. It costs money to keep men in prison or in insane asylums. The same spirit has been shown in the cheerful habit that the poor authorities in not a few towns have of shipping their paupers off to some other community. In this



city the Department of Public Charities frequently finds that applicants for aid are residents of Massachusetts, and in many cases the Commissioner's Assistants more than suspect the source from which came the money to pay their fares here. This disposition of paupers must be profitable or it would not be attempted."

This Department offered to care temporarily for the family, pending arrangements being made to return the family to Bridgeport, Conn. Mrs. H. declined to accept and left the office.

As an instance of one of the bona fide deserving cases treated by this Bureau, the following will serve as an excellent illustration:

Application was made on April 28, 1907, by Mr. W. for the commitment of six (6) of his eight (8) children, ranging in ages from three (3) to thirteen (13) years. The case was investigated with the following result:

Just prior to the application the building next to the house in which the family resided was destroyed by fire and Mr. W., who was not insured, lost considerable by injury to his household effects by fire and water. His wife, who was then in a delicate condition, took cold from the exposure during the fire and it became necessary to send her to a maternity hospital, where she died on April 20, 1907, after having given birth to a still born infant. While the husband and maternal aunt were at the death bed of the mother, the oldest girl, M., aged thirteen years, was at home caring for the children and endeavoring to cook a meal for them. While at the stove a back draft came down the chimney, blew the blaze into the room, her dress caught fire and she was dreadfully burned. An ambulance was called and she was taken to Roosevelt Hospital, where she is hovering between life and death. Mr. W. and family are highly spoken of. There is no one to act as caretaker for the children, and relatives, who are also poor people, are not in a position to provide for so many children. A maternal aunt, Mrs. F., will care for G., aged three (3) years, the father will have to pay Mrs. F. her board and clothe her; he also has balance of undertaker's bills to pay. If child M. recovers she will be a great care and expense to father for some time to come.

In view of the above history, it became necessary to commit six (6) of the children of this family to an institution and the father was placed under an order of this Department to contribute toward the cost of the care and maintenance of the children.

#### A Case of Desertion.

One Mrs. K. applied to this office on May 29, 1907, for the commitment of her five (5) children, stating that her husband had deserted her about three (3) months previous. The Examiner to whom the case was given for investigation reported in part as follows:

"Mrs. K. is not desirous of placing children in institution. She is, however, anxious to locate her husband, who deserted her for sake of his half sisters. She told following story: Her husband, a machine operator, earning \$21 per week, brought to this country two years ago his half sisters. Shortly after girls were established in his home he began to neglect his family. There was naturally constant friction extending over a period of one and a half years. Three months ago Mrs. K. ordered girls from her home. Her husband told her if they left he would too. In consequence he went away and has not communicated with his family. His sisters live at No. — street, and frequently visit at No. — street. They are employed by —. Mrs. K. is positive that these girls know where her husband is and believes them to be in daily communication with him. Family have resided for past six years at given address."

On June 3, 1907, a warrant was secured in the Third District Court for K.'s arrest for non-support on complaint of his wife. After repeated efforts had been made to ascertain the whereabouts of K. from half sisters and other relatives, Mrs. K. informed this Bureau that her husband was employed in Rochester, N. Y. The Chief of Police of that city was immediately communicated with, asking him, if possible, to locate and arrest the man, which brought forth a reply from him to the effect that K. had left Rochester about June 7, 1907, and stated that he was going to either Buffalo or Troy, N. Y. It was learned subsequently that the man was in Troy, N. Y., and at the request of this Department he was arrested by the Chief of Police of that city and detained until a warrant could be forwarded. An officer of the Central Bureau was sent to Troy for him and he was brought to this city on June 30, 1907, when he was arraigned in the Third District Court and held in one thousand dollars (\$1,000) bail for a hearing on July 1, 1907.

After several arraignments, on July 2, 1907, he was placed under a bond for four hundred and sixteen dollars (\$416) to pay his wife the sum of eight dollars (\$8) per week, and in default of the said bond he was committed to the Workhouse for six (6) months and the three (3) children proposed for commitment were committed on July 8, 1907, to an institution as public charges.

#### Day Nurseries.

There are many applications to commit children, at present due in a large measure to the fact that many day nurseries are about to close their doors during the summer months, and mothers will have no place to leave their children while they are away from home at work. Another reason is that rents are being raised to an almost prohibitive figure. Many of our applicants complain that they cannot longer keep their homes together on account of the high rents asked.

#### Immigration.

We also have many applications to commit children of aliens who have been in this country only a short time, in many cases less than one year, but in the majority of cases such applicants have been in the United States over one and less than five years. This class seem particularly anxious to place their children in institutions, or "college," as they term it, for the purpose, so they say, of "giving the child a good education," to the end that "the children may become good citizens." Evidently the public schools do not figure in their calculations.

#### Cessation of Service.

June 24, 1907, Emanuel M. Lischer, Examiner of Charitable Institutions, salary \$1,200 per annum, died.

#### Appointments.

On May 23, 1907, Robinson Bulmer was appointed Clerical Assistant, salary \$420 per annum.

On June 17, 1907, John J. MacArthur was appointed Financial Clerk, salary \$1,050 per annum.

The statistical portion of the report follows, all of which is respectfully submitted.

FREDERICK E. BAUER, Superintendent.

#### Commitment of Children.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
* Number of children proposed for commitment.....	749	766	753	2,268
Number of children approved for commitment and acceptance..	275	287	239	801
Number of children approved and sent to institutions with mothers.....	10	4	4	18
Number of children approved and placed to board in family homes by the Department of Public Charities and the several agencies.....	1	1	..	2
Number disapproved and referred to private charities.....	19	38	6	63
Number disapproved unconditionally.....	444	436	504	1,384
Total.....	749	766	753	2,268

\* Of the 2,268 children proposed for commitment during the quarter, 70 children were recurrent cases.

The applications disapproved were disapproved for the following reasons:

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Non-residents.....	20	47	47	114
Immigrants.....	12	17	20	49
Unknown at address given.....	8	11	9	28
Insufficient information.....	10	9	8	27
Able to be paid for in full and whose parents were referred to institutions.....	35	26	29	90
Able to be supported at home.....	322	288	339	949
Mothers referred to the several agencies to secure positions with only dependent child.....	22	29	24	75
Children referred to Bureau of Dependent Adults, mentally or physically defective.....	11	7	19	37
Children referred to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	4	2	9	15
Total.....	444	436	504	1,384

#### Reinvestigation of Children in Institutions.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Number of reinvestigations made during.....	600	732	608	1,940
Approved to remain for a year.....	317	424	397	1,138
Approved to remain for a period less than a year.....	146	179	130	455
Unable to locate at address given.....	114	98	62	274
Disapproved for further retention as a public charge.....	23	31	19	73
Total.....	600	732	608	1,940

#### Discharge of Children.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Number of discharges applied for and investigated.....	99	108	96	303
Of these there were—				
Approved.....	81	94	86	261
Disapproved.....	18	14	10	42
Total.....	99	108	96	303

Those disapproved were disapproved for the following reasons:

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Applicants financially unable to provide for them at home.....	7	3	..	10
Home accommodations inadequate.....	1	2	..	3
Applicants unknown at address given.....	1	..	2	3
Applicants unfit guardians.....	4	1	..	5
Applicants referred to Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children for discharge.....	4	7	8	19
Applicants referred to Catholic Home Bureau for discharge, as names of children had been previously referred to that Bureau for inditure.....	1	..	..	1
Applicants referred to Children's Aid Society for discharge, as names of children had been previously referred to that Society for inditure.....	..	..	..	..
Insufficient information.....	..	1	..	1
Total.....	18	14	10	42

Table showing the nativity of children proposed for commitment; also the nativity of the parents in families applying. Where both parents are alive, the nativity of the father is tabulated. In the event of one parent being deceased, the nativity of the surviving one is tabulated; death of both, the father's.

	April.		May.		June.	
	Children.	Parents.	Children.	Parents.	Children.	Parents.
United States of America.....	612	87	640	103	610	89
Austria-Hungary.....	10	55	18	61	15	57
Belgium.....	..	1	..	1	..	..
Denmark.....	..	..	..	1	..	1
France, including Corsica.....	..	1	..	1	2	..
German Empire.....	..	18	1	27	..	23
Greece.....	..	1	..	..	..	..
Italy, including Sicily and Sardinia.....	20	64	37	79	37	77
Norway.....	..	..	..	2	1	1
Roumania.....	7	6	2	4	5	13
Russian Empire and Finland.....	34	88	41	89	31	80
Spain.....	2	1	..	..	2	2
Sweden.....	..	..	..	1	..	..
Switzerland.....	..	1	..	..	4	2
Turkey in Europe.....	..	..	4	..	2	1



	April.		May.		June.	
	Children.	Parents.	Children.	Parents.	Children.	Parents.
United Kingdom—						
England .....	8	10	9	6	4	6
Ireland .....	2	51	..	37	7	61
Scotland .....	..	3	..	2	..	5
Wales .....	..	..	..	1	..	..
Egypt .....	..	..	2	1	..	..
Japan .....	..	..	..	1	..	..
Turkey in Asia.....	..	1	3	2	3	8
West Indies .....	3	2	..	5	1	1
Argentina .....	..	..	2	1	..	..
Columbia, South America.....	1	1	..	..	..	..
Dominion of Canada.....	..	4	..	4	2	1
Unknown .....	50	50	7	20	27	30
Total.....	749	445	766	449	753	458

Table showing the nativity of children committed during the quarter ending June 30, 1907; also the nativity of their parents. Where both parents are living the nativity of the father is tabulated. In the event of one parent being deceased, the nativity of the surviving one is tabulated; death of both, the fathers's.

	April.		May.		June.	
	Children.	Parents.	Children.	Parents.	Children.	Parents.
United States of America.....	261	45	250	33	211	27
Austria-Hungary .....	2	23	8	24	..	16
Denmark .....	..	..	..	1	..	..
German Empire .....	..	2	..	10	..	9
Greece .....	..	1	..	..	..	..
Italy, including Sicily and Sardinia.	10	28	8	29	6	17
Roumania .....	2	3	1	2	1	7
Russian Empire and Finland.....	3	30	15	36	13	37
Spain .....	..	..	..	..	..	1
United Kingdom—						
England .....	4	3	1	4	6	4
Ireland .....	..	28	..	14	3	25
Scotland .....	..	..	..	1	..	..
Dominion of Canada.....	..	3	..	2	..	..
Unknown .....	33	38	..	3	11	21
Total.....	315	204	283	159	251	164

Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, in the matter of agreements to pay, showing the amount of money actually received, the number of new agreements, and the number made void by reason of discharge of children:

April, 1907 .....	\$2,686 47
May, 1907 .....	2,768 75
June, 1907 .....	2,794 75

Total..... \$8,249 97

Number of new agreements.....	108	involving 262 children, divided as follows:
From current investigations.....	95	involving 237 children.
From re-investigations.....	13	involving 25 children.
	108	262

Number of agreements made void by reason of discharge of children.....	51	involving 73 children.
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During the quarter ending June 30, 1907, transportation was furnished in the following cases, who were public charges, thereby relieving the City of any further expense:

April 1, 1907—One girl and one boy sent to Chicago, Ill.  
April 2, 1907—One girl sent to Lynn, Mass.  
June 3, 1907—Three children sent to Williamsport, Pa.  
June 11, 1907—One boy sent to Providence, R. I.  
June 11, 1907—One boy sent to Quincy, Mass.

Supervision of Children Placed in Families by Indenture by the Department of Public Charities, Children's Bureau.

Number under supervision at beginning of quarter.....	65
Number of children placed during quarter.....	2

Number of children remaining under supervision at close of the quarter..... 67

FREDERICK E. BAUER, Superintendent.

Bureau of Dependent Adults.  
Department of Public Charities of The City of New York,  
August 7, 1907.]

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

Dear Sir—In forwarding the report of this Bureau (Morgue included), for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, I beg to call your attention to the following facts:

During said quarter 2,774 applicants for admission to hospitals were sent to the Examining Physician of this Department for examination as to their eligibility for admission to the hospitals connected with this Department; 385 children sent to institutions for children on Randall's Island; 903 persons sent to the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm; 6 applications for admission to the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm disapproved.

There were 417 children discharged from the institutions on Randall's Island. This Bureau issued 16,768 passes to visit Blackwell's and Randall's Islands; 829 tickets for meals were given to persons awaiting disposition of their cases.

Transportation was afforded to 75 sick and destitute persons, to reach their homes, thereby preventing them from becoming charges upon the City and County of New York.

There were 588 sick and destitute persons committed to the State Alms House, Blackwell's Island, for care, awaiting the action of the State Board of Charities.

There were 226 persons sent to the Municipal Lodging House; requests were made for the examination as to sanity of 183 men and 208 women; 25 deaf-mutes were admitted to institutions for same.

There have been sent from this Bureau 13 patients to the Craig Colony for Epileptics, Sonyea, N. Y.; 19 to the State Custodial Asylum for Feeble-Minded Women, Newark, N. Y.; 17 to the Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, Syracuse, N. Y.; 34 to the Rome State Custodial Asylum, Rome, N. Y.

In addition this Bureau has examined 7,037 cases of applicants for admission to hospitals and homes other than our own, to be cared for there at the expense of the City and County of New York, of which 1,540 were rejected as improper charges.

This Bureau has also taken 321 complaints of abandonment, of which 69 were granted requisitions and 252 treated at this office; 87 non-support applications (aged parents); 69 bastardy cases sent to the Court of Special Sessions; 69 bastardy cases not sent to court; 10 discharges from the Work House.

Payments in abandonment and bastardy cases during the quarter ending June 30, 1907, have amounted to \$40,660.74, and disbursements in same \$42,208.80, thus saving that much to the tax payers of the City and County of New York.

Total number of cases (including the passes issued to visit Blackwell's and Randall's Islands) handled by the Bureau of Dependent Adults for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Department of Public Charities of The City of New York during the quarter ending June 30, 1907, 31,063.

This Bureau has charge of the Morgue at foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, and the Harlem Morgue, foot of East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan. During the three months ending June 30, 1907, 2,995 bodies were received, of which but 1,299 were buried by friends.

The pressing need of additional room is another point to which I would draw your attention. Temporary relief in the matter may be obtained by turning the lower half of the stairway at the rear of the office and removing the alimony desks to the space thus cleared. As the stairway in question is an independent structure, it could be moved with very little trouble or expense. The change would give eight or ten feet of much-needed floor space. It would, also, make it possible to provide a properly enclosed dressing room for the ladies employed here, and do away with the existing unpleasant arrangement.

I recommend that the scope of the work now done by Mrs. Upshaw be extended, the same to be known as the Division of Domestic Relations hereafter. A complete record of all new cases paying alimony should be taken as they come in, and kept in this Division, and not records of those only be made which emanate from the Department, as is now the usage.

I invite a more complete co-operation between the Children's Bureau and this, and think that a history of each bastardy suit resulting in a conviction should be sent to that office, that the fund received here, if due an institution for care of an illegitimate child, may not be paid to the mother, through lack of knowledge that said child has become a public charge.

Respectfully,

C. B. COSGROVE, Acting Superintendent.

#### Permits Granted for Admission to City Institutions.

	April	May	June	Total
Adults.				
To Examining Physician .....	899	920	955	2,774
To New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm.....	305	309	289	903
Total.....	1,204	1,229	1,244	3,677
Children.				
To the Custodial Asylum, Randall's Island.....	14	9	18	41
To the Feeble-minded Institution, Randall's Island.....	24	28	17	69
To the Children's Hospital, Randall's Island.....	72	110	83	265
To the Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	110	147	118	385
DISCHARGES.				
Adults.				
From the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, through this Bureau.....	..	..	..	..
From the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, direct ..	..	..	..	..
Children.				
From the Custodial Asylum, Randall's Island.....	20	7	4	31
From the Feeble-minded Institution, Randall's Island.....	37	29	17	83
From the Children's Hospital, Randall's Island.....	116	92	95	303
From the Infant's Hospital, Randall's Island.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	173	128	116	417
Number of applications for the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm disapproved.....	2	2	2	6
Hospitals and Homes Other than Our Own.				
Accepted cases, hospitals.....	1,586	1,577	1,323	4,486
Accepted cases, institutions, homes, maternity hospitals.....	223	234	254	711
Total.....	1,809	1,811	1,577	5,197
Rejected cases, hospitals.....	307	380	387	1,074
Rejected cases, institutions, homes, maternity hospitals.....	158	165	143	466
Total.....	465	545	530	1,540
Total number of cases inspected.....	2,274	2,356	2,107	6,737
Tuberculosis cases and Department of Health reports.....	..	..	..	300
Total.....	..	..	..	7,037
Applications in abandonment cases.....	91	127	103	321
Requisitions granted on complaint of abandonment.....	19	29	21	69



	April	May	June	Total
Non-support applications .....	32	28	27	87
Bastardy complaints sent to the Court of Special Sessions.....	27	21	21	69
Additional bastardy complaints taken, not sent to Court.....	32	19	18	69
Discharges from the Workhouse through action by this Bureau..	1	2	7	10
Discharges from the Workhouse through action by the Courts..	..	..	..	..
Discharges from the Workhouse through action by this Bureau, in charge of Probation Officers.....	..	..	..	..
Discharges from the Workhouse through action by the Courts, in charge of Probation Officers.....	..	..	..	..
Requests for examination as to sanity, men.....	48	67	68	183
Requests for examination as to sanity, women.....	46	99	63	208
Transportation afforded to sick and destitute persons to reach their homes, thereby preventing them becoming charges upon the County .....	..	..	..	..
Destitute "State Poor Persons" committed to the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, to be cared for at the expense of the State Board of Charities, or returned to their homes .....	194	179	215	588
Passes granted by this Department to applicants.....	5,478	4,474	6,916	16,768
Meals given to applicants awaiting disposition of cases.....	279	272	278	829
Calls for Sick Wagon.....	..	..	..	..
Admissions to the Municipal Lodging House.....	100	57	69	226

	April	May	June	Total
To Craig Colony for Epileptics.....	..	11	2	13
To State Custodial Asylum for Feeble-minded Women.....	6	8	5	19
To Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children....	11	..	6	17
To Rome State Custodial Asylum.....	20	14	..	34
To New York State Hospital for Incipient Tuberculosis.....	..	..	..	..
To New York State Women's Relief Corps Home.....	..	..	..	..
To New York Institution for the Blind.....	..	..	..	..
To institutions for deaf mutes.....	13	4	8	25

	April	May	June	Total
Abandonment and bastardy payments.....	\$14,247 69	\$12,586 74	\$13,826 31	\$40,660 74
Abandonment and bastardy disbursements.....	15,049 89	13,776 94	13,381 97	42,208 80

Respectfully submitted,  
C. B. COSGROVE, Acting Superintendent.

## Examination of Cases Proposed as Public Charges in Private Hospitals.

		Reasons for Rejections.									
		Accepted.	Accepted, Owing to Ability to Pay Part.	Re-jected.	Unknown at Residence Given.	Insufficient History.	Able to Pay.	Referred to Department Hospitals.	Not Emergency.	Refused Treatment.	Non-Resident.
Month.											
Hospitals.											
New York Infirmary (Medical and Surgical)	April.....	8	..	8	1	2	..	..	2	..	3
	May.....	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	6	..	6	..	..	2	..	2	..	..
New York Homœopathic.....	April.....	44	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
	May.....	49	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
	June.....	64	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
New York Post Graduate.....	April.....	103	..	48	4	..	4	3	25	..	9
	May.....	121	..	66	5	3	8	1	40	1	6
	June.....	89	..	66	5	2	6	3	46	..	4
New York Polyclinic.....	April.....	17	..	6	..	..	2	3	..	..	1
	May.....	11	..	6	1	..	..	2	2	1	..
	June.....	11	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Ruptured and Crippled.....	April.....	41	..	5	3	1	..	..	..	..	1
	May.....	34	..	14	5	2	4	..	..	1	2
	June.....	34	..	6	3	..	1	1	..	..	1
St. Vincent's, New York City.....	April.....	208	..	8	4	..	2	..	5	1	..
	May.....	276	2	28	7	1	7	2	13	1	..
	June.....	210	1	25	..	..	7	1	10	..	..
Washington Heights.....	April.....	34	..	9	1	..	6	..	1	..	1
	May.....	33	..	3	..	..	2	..	1	..	..
	June.....	26	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
St. Joseph's.....	April.....	66	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	74	..	3	..	..	1	..	1	..	1
	June.....	58	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
St. Francis.....	*April.....	69	..	2	..	..	1	..	2	..	..
	May.....	69	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
	June.....	52	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
St. Mark's.....	April.....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	1
	June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Gregory.....	April.....	20	..	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..
	May.....	18	..	4	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
	June.....	12	..	5	1	..	..	1	2	..	1
Sydenham .....	April.....	38	..	17	1	..	2	1	13	..	1
	May.....	47	..	19	4	..	2	..	12	..	1
	June.....	50	..	9	2	..	..	..	6	..	..
Babies' .....	April.....	32	..	5	1	..	1	..	..	..	3
	May.....	23	..	5	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
	June.....	36	1	2	2	..	..	..	2	1	..
Beth Israel.....	April.....	110	1	33	3	..	5	2	14	..	6
	May.....	98	1	20	..	1	1	1	13	..	2
	June.....	97	2	34	4	..	..	6	23	..	1
Columbus .....	April.....	54	..	25	4	..	..	..	12	..	8
	May.....	22	..	25	10	1	1	1	10	..	2
	June.....	29	..	16	1	1	..	1	10	..	1
German .....	April.....	68	2	17	2	1	3	1	9	..	1
	May.....	60	4	21	1	..	..	..	19	..	1
	June.....	47	1	30	1	..	..	4	25	..	..
House of Calvary.....	April.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
J. Hood Wright.....	April.....	59	..	11	1	..	10	..	..	..	..
	May.....	71	..	13	..	..	6	..	6	..	1
	June.....	61	..	6	..	..	..	5	1	..	..



	Month.	Accepted.	Accepted, Owing to Ability to Pay Part.	Re- jected.	Reasons for Rejections.							
					Unknown at Residence Given.	Insufficient History.	Able to Pay.	Referred to Department Hospitals.	Not Emergency.	Refused Treatment.	Non- Resident.	Immi- grant.
Lincoln .....	April.....	178	..	26	7	..	4	1	10	..	..	..
	May.....	130	..	17	4	..	..	..	9	..	..	..
	June.....	113	1	21	..	2	..	9	10	..	3	1
Lebanon .....	April.....	150	..	16	4	1	6	..	5	..	2	2
	May.....	154	..	30	1	1	3	2	22	..	1	..
	June.....	87	..	40	..	..	..	12	24	..	..	2
Mount Sinai.....	April.....	155	..	53	5	2	8	..	31	..	4	3
	May.....	177	..	79	5	2	11	2	54	1	1	3
	June.....	168	..	64	5	2	..	9	45	1	1	3
Yorkville .....	April.....	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	4	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	5	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
New Amsterdam Eye and Ear.....	April.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New York Ophthalmic.....	April.....	40	1	6	2	..	1	2	1	..	..	..
	May.....	45	1	8	..	..	2	1	3	..	1	1
	June.....	15	1	23	..	2	1	1	17	..	2	..
New York Ophthalmic and Aural.....	April.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New York Eye and Ear.....	April.....	80	2	7	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
	May.....	94	6	14	5	1	1	..	4	..	3	..
	June.....	39	..	22	2	..	1	..	18	1	..	..
Total.....		4,454	32	1,074	130	29	129	80	588	9	64	45

## Examination of Cases Proposed as Public Charges in Private Hospitals.

		Month.	Accepted.	Accepted, Owing to Ability to Pay Part.	Re- jected.	Reasons for Rejections.							
						Unknown at Residence Given.	Insufficient History.	Able to Pay.	Not Emer- gency.	Refused Treat- ment.	Non- Resident.	Immi- grant.	Waiting Women.
Homes.													
Lincoln .....	April.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Peabody .....	April.....	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Francis.....	April.....	34	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Zita's.....	April.....	6	..	24	23	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	6	..	21	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	6	..	14	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Washington Square.....	April.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Institutions.													
House of the Good Shepherd.....	April.....	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
House of Mercy.....	April.....	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Magdalen Benevolent Society.....	April.....	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Our Lady of Grace.....	April.....	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maternity Hospitals.													
Sloane .....	April.....	52	..	26	1	1	5	7	2	5	5	..	..
	May.....	53	..	31	..	1	12	11	..	4	3	..	..
	June.....	60	..	35	..	..	7	16	3	5	4	..	..
New York Infirmary.....	April.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May.....	7	..	3	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
	June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New York Society Lying-in.....	April.....	100	..	106	..	..	19	55	..	16	12	..	4
	May.....	90	..	109	1	..	12	44	..	20	19	..	13
	June.....	126	..	94	1	..	6	33	5	16	14	..	14
Total.....		711	..	466	63	4	62	168	10	66	57	5	31

Respectfully submitted,

C. B. COSGROVE, Acting Superintendent.



## Recapitulation.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Accepted cases, hospitals.....	1,579	1,563	1,312	4,454
Accepted cases, owing to ability to pay part.....	7	14	11	32
Accepted cases, institutions, homes and maternity hospitals....	223	234	254	711
Rejected cases, hospitals.....	307	380	387	1,074
Rejected cases, institutions, homes and maternity hospitals....	158	165	143	466

Total ..... 2,274 2,356 2,107 6,737

## Special Cases—

Department of Health.....				60
Tuberculosis cases .....				240

300

Grand total ..... 7,037

Examiners detailed to office work 156 days.

Respectfully submitted,  
C. B. COSGROVE, Acting Superintendent.

## MORGUE.

Number of Bodies Received and Distribution of Same.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Adults.				
Received from Bellevue Hospital.....	286	246	199	731
Received from City Hospital.....	22	25	19	66
Received from Metropolitan Hospital .....	106	110	81	297
Received from New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm.	44	63	48	155
Received from Workhouse .....	13	15	8	36
Received from New York Penitentiary.....	1	1	1	3
Received from New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools.	1	5	4	10
Received from Harlem Hospital .....	5	6	5	16
Received from Gouverneur Hospital .....	19	13	5	37
Received from Fordham Hospital .....	1	..	..	1
Received from Manhattan State Hospital.....	35	39	40	114
Received from City Prison .....	2	2	..	4
Received from Bureau of Dependent Adults.....	130	176	147	453
Total .....	665	701	557	1,923

Remaining from last quarter, 71.

## Infants.

Received from Bellevue Hospital .....	44	34	29	107
Received from City Hospital .....	4	2	2	8
Received from Metropolitan Hospital .....	4	2	3	9
Received from New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools.	2	2	2	6
Received from Harlem Hospital .....	1	1	..	2
Received from Gouverneur Hospital .....	11	..	2	13
Received from Emergency Hospital.....	6	..	2	8
Received from New York Penitentiary.....	..	..	..	..
Received from Bureau of Dependent Adults.....	289	294	336	919
Total .....	361	335	376	1,072

Remaining from last quarter, 56.

## Total Number of Bodies Received.

Adults, male .....	464	521	402	1,387
Adults, female .....	201	180	155	536
Infants .....	361	335	376	1,072
Total .....	1,026	1,036	933	2,995

Buried by friends, adults.....	420	467	313	1,200
Buried by friends, infants.....	29	39	29	99
Buried by the City, adults.....	176	180	180	536
Buried by the City, infants.....	338	317	330	985

Total ..... 1,521

Remaining in the morgue, adults.....	..	..	..	80
Remaining in the morgue, infants.....	..	..	..	44

Total ..... 124

## To Institutions, for Anatomical Purposes.

Bellevue University .....	10	20	18	48
Columbia .....	12	21	19	52
Cornell .....	12	21	15	48
Eclectic .....	..	..	..	..

April. May. June. Total.

Fordham .....	..	3	3	6
New York Homeopathic .....	4	2	4	10
New York Polyclinic .....	6	4	..	10
New York Post-Graduate.....	2	1	..	3
Women's .....	..	1	..	1
Total .....	46	73	59	178

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN FANE, Keeper.

Approved as submitted:

C. B. Cosgrove, Acting Superintendent, Bureau of Dependent Adults.

## REPORT OF EXAMINING PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE.

July 9, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Sir—Herewith is report for the three months ending June 30, 1907.

Total number of applicants for April.....	1,475
Total number of applicants for May.....	1,547
Total number of applicants for June.....	1,412

Total..... 4,434

The applicants were distributed as follows:

Metropolitan Hospital.....	1,662
City Hospital .....	1,131
Randall's Island .....	350
Hospitals of the New York City Home for Aged and Infirm.....	36
Bellevue Hospital .....	17
Returned to Bellevue Hospital.....	16
Dispensary .....	660
Refusals and discharges.....	125
Referred to Bureau of Dependent Adults.....	200
Examined for Bureau of Dependent Children.....	73
Examined for Ray Brook (thirty-two admitted).....	105
Blind pensioners examined.....	27
Examined for Soldiers' Home.....	8
Examined for Ladies' Relief Corps.....	2
Examined for Board of Health.....	2
Examined for St. Vincent's Hospital, Staten Island.....	10
Examined for St. Francis' Hospital.....	7
Examined for Lincoln Hospital.....	3

Total..... 4,434

Applicants for information..... 2,296

F. M. BAUER, M. D., Examining Physician.

## REPORT OF CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, New York City:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit to you the quarterly report for the second quarter ending June 30, 1907.

Remaining March 31, 1907.....	592
Admitted since .....	1,172
Discharged since.....	1,058
Transferred to other institutions.....	46
Died since .....	76

1,764

Remaining June 30, 1907..... 584

Ground was broken for staff house May 17; ground also was broken a few days after for both the service building and Superintendent's cottage, the work of putting in the concrete foundation bases is progressing, a large quantity of material is now on the grounds.

The temporary building known as Male Ward No. 18, has been moved about 75 feet to the eastward, brick piers have been built to support it instead of wooden as formerly.

The new women's dormitory is still incomplete, owing to the plumbing contractor discontinuing work, it is impossible to determine the date when the building will be ready for occupancy on account of the delays.

The last of the old wooden buildings and chicken coop have been torn down (which were so unsightly) and the ground graded.

The plots in front of the men's dormitory have also been graded and seeded with grass, and presents an agreeable contrast to its former condition.

A newly constructed road leading to the dock at boiler house has been completed. Walks have been constructed around the new women's dormitory as also the grading in front is now nearly completed.

There has been a large amount of painting done which is recounted in the usual labor reports.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES D. LAMB, Superintendent.

## NEW YORK CITY TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

June 30, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York:

Dear Sir—I respectfully submit the following report of the New York City Training School for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

April 1, census.....	152
June 30, census.....	147

Classification was as follows:

	April 1.	June 30.
Officers .....	5	5
Trained Nurses .....	12	12
Pupil Nurses .....	95	93
Probationers .....	8	3
Orderlies .....	3	3



	April 1.	June 30.
Stenographer .....	1	1
Clerical Assistants .....	1	2
Matron .....	1	1
Help .....	26	27
Total.....	152	147

On June 30, the force was distributed as follows:

Eight Trained Nurses (three male), fifty-six Pupil Nurses, five probationers (three male), Orderlies, at City Hospital.

Five Pupil Nurses, at Maternity Hospital.

One Trained Nurse, twenty-five Pupil Nurses, at Gouverneur Hospital.

Twelve Pupil Nurses on vacation.

At the Home—Two Trained Nurses, five men and twenty-two women.

There were seven nurses graduated during the quarter, two dropped for illness, one of these being restored later. During the month of April there were nine vacations given to pupil nurses, during May, five, and during June, fourteen.

On May 2 the last of the nurses was removed from Fordham Hospital and connection between that hospital and the Training School was then closed. May 16 the last nurses were taken from Harlem Hospital and the work of the Training School there ceased. On May 20 the female surgical ward of Gouverneur Hospital was opened with three nurses; the force was increased to four on June 19, making a total of twenty-five pupil nurses and one trained nurse on duty in that institution. The obstetrical wards there are not yet opened.

On May 1 an entrance examination was held; five candidates took this examination; one failed and the remaining four started through the course. One, however, decided to return to her home in Ireland, but the other three are doing well. One of the pupils of the March class was dropped for illness; the remaining six were appointed June 1.

The lessons and lectures of the term were finished up and the last examination, that of the intermediate class, held June 20. This finished up everything we had undertaken to do except one section in bacteriology.

June 16 a dietitian was appointed at the home, whose work in addition to looking after the dietary department, is to assist with the teaching. This will allow us to carry on the teaching of the domestic science without as much crowding as we had in the past, and we hope will prove more satisfactory. The other appointments on our force have been in the Training School office at the hospital, where a clerical assistant was appointed on the 15th of April to attend to the records and the telephone, thus leaving Miss Silver free from interruptions in making her rounds through the hospital. Also two trained nurses were appointed to take charge of the skin ward and the venereal ward on the female side of City Hospital, thus relieving the pupil nurses of their duties in this section.

In June the rear grounds of the home were put in order with a top dressing of loam brought from the excavations in front of City Hospital. As it was too late to plant grass seed, a part of the grounds will have to remain bare until the fall.

We have not yet been able to secure painters for repainting the interior of the home, which is very badly needed.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY S. GILMOUR, R. N., Superintendent.

#### NEW YORK CITY HOME, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

July 5, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith my report for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, showing a decrease in the population of this institution of 178 inmates, namely, 125 men and 53 women. The number of deaths was 155, namely, 75 men and 80 women.

The usual repairs have been done from day to day as shown in the weekly labor reports, and alterations and improvements have been made as follows by inmate help:

1. A new iron railing has been built at the dock opposite the Superintendent's residence.
2. Two rooms formerly used as clothing rooms for the inmates on the upper floor in the north pavilion, have been fitted as nurses' rooms, the quarters at the Nurses' Home being overcrowded.
3. A new ice box has been built for the morgue.
4. A new brick sidewalk has been constructed in front of the female blind ward.
5. The following places have been painted: The quarters of the Steward, and of the Hospital Matron. The outside of Wards L, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of the male barracks.

The following alterations and improvements have been done by contract:

1. The walls of the building known as the boat house have been repaired.
2. New sinks have been put up in the hospital wards.

Respectfully yours,

ROBERT ROBERTS, Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, New York City Home for Aged and Infirm.

To the Commissioner of Public Charities:

The Superintendent reports the following as the present number of inmates:

	Men.	Women.	Total Admitted.	Total Discharged.	Total Remaining.	Native.	Foreign.
Remaining at last report...	1,253	1,253	....	....	2,506	452	2,054
Received by order of Commissioner .....	538	296	....	....	....	....	....
Received by order of Magistrates .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Received from Metropolitan Hospital .....	1	3	....	....	....	....	....
Received from City Hospital .....	7	5	....	....	....	....	....
Received from Workhouse .....	....	....	850	....	....	216	634
.....	....	....	....	....	....	668	2,688
Transferred To—							
Metropolitan Hospital..	4	....	....	....	....	....	....
City Hospital .....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lunatic Asylum .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Workhouse .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Discharged .....	590	277	....	....	....	216	657

	Men.	Women.	Total Admitted.	Total Discharged.	Total Remaining.	Native.	Foreign.
Deceased .....	75	80	....	....	....	27	128
Escaped .....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....
.....	....	....	....	1,028	....	243	785
Total remaining in the Almshouse .....	1,128	1,200	....	....	2,328	425	1,903

Decrease, 178.

ROBERT ROBERTS, Superintendent.

#### REPORT OF THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Sir—I have the honor to herewith submit the second quarterly report of this institution for quarter ending June 30, 1907:

Daily average census..... 1,095

Patients remaining March 31, 1907—

Main hospital .....	575
Infirmary .....	601
.....	1,176

Patients admitted during the quarter—

Main hospital .....	983
Infirmary .....	779
.....	1,762

Births .....	12
Stillbirths .....	3

Patients discharged during quarter—

Main hospital .....	987
Infirmary .....	593
.....	1,580

Deaths during the quarter—

Main hospital .....	65
Infirmary .....	233
.....	298

Patients remaining June 30, 1907—

Main hospital .....	506
Infirmary .....	554
.....	1,060

#### Mortality.

Main hospital, 4 per cent.  
Infirmary, 17 per cent.

#### Extra Positions Allowed.

Two Hospital Helpers as outside Orderlies for the tuberculosis patients, at \$240 per annum each.

An Assistant Apothecary, at \$600 per annum.

Three Hospital Helpers for laundry, at \$150 per annum each.

Two Hospital Helpers for sorting room, at \$150 per annum.

Three Hospital Helpers for main hospital building as Cleaners, at \$150 per annum each.

Iron sinks have been set up in the dining-room of annex building and Ward N.

Slop sinks set up in Wards M, N and Q.

Two basins set up in Training School Helpers' dormitory.

Remodeled and painted fronts of eight tents and put new glass fronts in four of same.

Had new model of tent built, as per scale, for exhibition purposes.

As recommended in the first quarterly report, the dining hall and solarium have been painted inside and outside.

Protestant chapel painted.

The store room has been moved to the building formerly used as clothes house and erysipelas wards.

The space formerly occupied by the store room has been added to the drug department.

Barber shop fitted up in the main hospital building for patients and employees.

The building of the new Nurses' Home has been commenced, also the building of the annex to the Nurses' Home.

All tents and passageways to same have been shingled.

Two tennis courts for Doctors and Nurses rebuilt.

Walls and ceilings of kitchen and dining-rooms of Wards E, G, H and Q replastered.

A new glass partition built separating the maternity ward from the children's division.

A new partition in the children's ward has been erected.

Pool table in staff clubroom renovated.

An economical vegetable peeling machine has been furnished.

Set up 25 elm trees, 25 maple trees.

#### Recommendations.

1. For boat service to be established from the Metropolitan Hospital dock to East Eighty-sixth street.

2. That the ironing room of the laundry be better ventilated by skylights, which can be opened up.

3. Inasmuch as the service building cannot be erected for some time to come, I recommend that the part of the kitchen building which is occupied by boilers be converted into a dining-room, both upper and lower floors. Our dining-room facilities are such at the present time that the tables are crowded, and such service as we would wish cannot be given to our employees. With an expenditure of a few hundred dollars the old kitchen building could be used temporarily for dining purposes, to the advantage of the institution, and, by so doing, Ward A could be utilized, as it was intended, for patients.

Respectfully submitted,

G. T. STEWART, Superintendent.

#### REPORT OF THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL TRAINING SCHOOL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

July 9, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York:

Dear Sir—The following is the report of the Metropolitan Hospital Training School for the quarter ending June 30, 1907:

#### Census.

April 1 .....	206
June 30 .....	206



## Classification.

	April 1.	June 30.
Officers .....	2	2
Supervising Nurses .....	3	3
Trained Nurses .....	6	6
Male Nurses .....	7	8
Head Pupil Nurses .....	8	6
Pupil Nurses .....	51	50
Permanent Nurses .....	38	37
Probationers .....	4	4
Orderlies .....	47	48
Matron .....	1	1
Paid help .....	35	36
Unpaid help .....	1	2
Clerical assistants .....	2	2
Stenographer .....	1	1
Total.....	206	206

## Distribution, Metropolitan Hospital.

Supervising Nurses .....	2
Trained Nurses .....	2
Male Nurses .....	8
Head Pupil Nurses .....	5
Pupil Nurses .....	46
Probationers .....	4
Clerical Assistant .....	1
Stenographer .....	1
Orderlies .....	26
Paid Help .....	12
Unpaid Help .....	2

## Erysipelas.

Pupil Nurses .....	2
Permanent Nurses .....	1
Orderlies .....	2
Paid Help .....	1

## Diet Kitchen.

Pupil Nurses .....	2
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## Pavilions.

Trained Nurses .....	2
Permanent Nurses .....	5
Orderlies .....	3
Paid help .....	3

## Infirmary.

Supervising Nurse .....	1
Trained Nurses .....	2
Head Pupil Nurse .....	1
Permanent Nurses .....	31
Orderlies .....	17
Paid Help .....	8
Clerical Assistant .....	1

## Nurses' Home.

Matron .....	1
Male Help .....	2
Female Help .....	11

## Applications.

Training School .....	11
Permanent Positions .....	0
Post-graduate Positions .....	0

## Summary.

During the quarter 108½ days were lost owing to illness.

	Days.
Head Nurses .....	9½
Pupil Nurses .....	43½
Permanent Nurses .....	24
Male Nurses .....	4
Probationers .....	15½
Help .....	12
Total .....	108½

## Appointments.

	Per Annum.
5 Pupil Nurses, at .....	\$120 00
66 Hospital Helpers, at .....	150 00
1 Trained Nurse, at .....	600 00

## Promotions.

1 Hospital Helper, from \$150 to .....	\$192 00
1 Hospital Helper, from \$150 to .....	300 00
1 Hospital Helper, from \$300 to .....	480 00
5 Pupil Nurses, from \$120 to .....	144 00
1 Pupil Nurse, from \$144 to .....	180 00
1 Trained Nurse, from \$600 to .....	750 00
Supervising Nurse at .....	750 00

## Resignations.

26 Hospital Helpers, at .....	\$150 00
1 Hospital Helper, at .....	192 00
3 Hospital Helpers, at .....	300 00
1 Head Pupil Nurse, at .....	360 00
1 Supervising Nurse, at .....	850 00

## Dropped From the Roll.

1 Hospital Helper, at .....	\$120 00
37 Hospital Helpers, at .....	150 00
1 Hospital Helper, at .....	300 00
2 Pupil Nurses, at .....	120 00
1 Pupil Nurse (course finished), at .....	180 00

## Reappointed.

2 Pupil Nurses, at .....	\$120 00
1 Pupil Nurse, at .....	180 00

## Lectures.

Lectures were delivered to the Senior Classes as follows:

Senior Class, Section 1—Dr. W. S. Mills, April 18 to 25, May 1 to 4; Subject, Medical Nursing.  
Senior Class, Section 2—Dr. W. F. Honan, April 18; Subject, Surgical Nursing.  
Dr. E. P. Swift, April 25, May 2 to 7; Subject, Care of the Infant; Care of Children; Diseases. Dr. C. G. Webster, May 2; General Quiz.  
Post Graduate Class—Superintendent Training School, March 25, May 16; Subject, Records, Estimates and Requisitions; Ethics of Nursing.

## Classes.

Miss Ward has instructed the probationers since May 1, owing to Miss Hunter's transfer to the Infirmary.

Miss McCullough, Dietitian, completed the course (nine lessons), in Bacteriology for the Graduating Class and twelve lessons on Diet Cooking for the Junior Class.

## Examinations.

Examinations were held with the following results:

Graduating class .....	87 13-77
Senior class .....	87¼
Intermediate class .....	75½
Junior class .....	77
Preparatory class .....	78

## Supplies.

A filing cabinet and bookcase (three sections), have been received.

## Repairs.

A portion of the ceiling in the Superintendent's room fell, and has been repaired. The room has also been painted.

A partition has been put up in the children's ward, separating the boys and the girls.

## Commencement.

The graduating exercises of the Training School were held in the Solarium on Saturday, May 25, at 4 o'clock. Diplomas were presented to eleven graduates and seven post-graduates. The programme was as follows:

Opening prayer, by Rev. Archibald S. Winslow, Chaplain.

Superintendent's annual report of the Training School, by Jane M. Pindell, Superintendent.

Addresses to the graduating class, by Dr. William Francis Honan, Visiting Surgeon, Metropolitan Hospital; Rev. Dr. A. Lincoln Moore, Pastor, Riverside Baptist Church.

Administration of Hippocratic oath, by Mrs. William Kinnicutt Draper, President, Board of Managers.

Presentation of diplomas and prizes, by the Commissioner, Hon. Robert W. Heberd.

Benediction by Rev. Archibald S. Winslow.

Reception at the Nurses' Home, from 5.30 to 7 p. m.

Dancing until last boat, 12 p. m.

Music furnished by Mr. Enos Johnson.

## Infirmary.

Miss Ervie E. King, Supervising Nurse, resigned on May 15. Miss Sabra I. Hunter was transferred to the Infirmary May 1.

## Annex, Nurses' Home.

Work was commenced on the annex about April 25. A requisition for furnishing the building has been submitted.

## Fire Drill.

A fire drill for nurses was held in the Nurses' Home by Mr. Ross.

## Acknowledgments.

A piano was donated to the Solarium on April 27.

## Remarks.

The maid allowed for the children's division, Ward "C," has been a great help with the general work in the division.

The report for the quarter ending June 30 is submitted.

Respectfully,

JANE M. PINDELL, Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE NEW YORK CITY CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS AND SCHOOLS, RANDALL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

June 30, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to submit the report of the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

The following is the number of children treated in the three divisions of this institution:

Children's Hospital, 797; School for Feeble Minded, 420, and Custodial Asylum, 473. Total number treated in the institution, 1,690.

Admitted During the Quarter—Children's Hospital, 265; School for Feeble Minded, 69, and Custodial Asylum, 41. Total number of admissions, 375.

Of the total number of admissions there were received from	
Parents or friends.....	168
City institutions .....	207

Total..... 375

Discharged During the Quarter—Children's Hospital, 303; School for Feeble Minded, 84; Custodial Asylum, 31. Total number of discharges, 418.

Of the total number of discharges there were discharged to

Parents or friends.....	79
City institutions .....	268
Syracuse State Institution.....	16
Newark State Custodial Asylum.....	19
Craig Colony for Epileptics.....	2
Rome State Custodial Asylum.....	34

Total..... 418

Of the total number treated during the quarter, sixteen died, the total death rate of the institution being .0095 per cent.

The following is the number of deaths and percentages in each of the three divisions:

	Deaths.	Percentage.
Children's Hospital .....	6	0.75
School for Feeble-minded.....	3	.71
Custodial Asylum .....	7	1.48



## School Census.

	Day School.	School for Feeble-minded.	Industrial School.
Number remaining March 31, 1907.....	367	438	102
Admitted during the quarter.....	150	44	4
Total.....	517	482	106
Discharged during the quarter.....	156	45	9
Remaining June 30, 1907.....	361	437	97
Average daily attendance.....	234	325	89

During the quarter the following wards were quarantined:

Wards 41, 42, 43 and 44, for measles and scarletina, from May 23 to June 30; Ward 34, for measles, from May 23 to June 30; Ward 8, North Hospital, for measles, from June 16 to June 30; Ward 50, Infants' Hospital, for chickenpox, from April 1 to April 27, and Ward 52, Infants' Hospital, for chickenpox, from May 2 to June 30.

## Repairs.

On April 17 the contract for the Male Helpers' Dormitory was completed, and on June 1 the erection of a balcony outside the building was commenced. A flag walk, 300 feet long, has also been laid from the main road to the building, and along which a pipe railing has been erected the entire length of the walk. This building was occupied April 20, 1907, and contains 160 beds, two dining rooms and one reading room. With the exception of a few employees all the male help engaged on the Island are accommodated at this building, which is quite an improvement over the previous system of housing employees in different dormitories, and is giving general satisfaction.

The contract for the erection of poles for outside electric lighting has been completed, and on May 4 the current was turned on, thus lighting all the roads and walks on the island during the entire night. The poles, since their erection, have been numbered. On May 18 the electric current was turned on in the Reception Hospital and the gymnasium.

The erection of two isolation buildings and five toilet towers, commenced during the previous quarter, is rapidly nearing completion.

The 7-inch steam main at Ward 15 has been removed in order to allow for the foundation of one of the toilet towers.

Three of the boilers have been thoroughly cleaned and the necessary repairs to brickwork, valves, piping, etc., have been made.

A new galvanized iron roof is being erected at the gas house.

All the plumbing fixtures in the old building formerly occupied by the Orderlies have been removed.

A gas range and six gas stoves have been fitted up at the diet kitchen. Six pine shelves, two utensil racks, twenty-eight screw hooks and fourteen 8 by 10 inch japanned shelf brackets have also been erected in the diet kitchen.

At the Infants' Hospital boiler house a new 2-inch brass coil has been made and placed in position in hot water tank, and a new cold water and steam line have also been laid from the Infants' Hospital boiler house to the gas house.

At Pavilions A, B and C a stud framed partition with white pine sheathing on both sides and one panel door has been erected. At the summer house attached to these pavilions, 425 linear feet of wooden railing have been put up. A new gate, 4 feet by 6 feet, has also been made and put in position in addition to the repairing of 150 feet of balustrade.

At the new Male Helpers' dormitory two new pine tables, each 9 feet long by 30 inches wide; one pine table with three dresser shelves, drawers and bottom counter shelf, each 7 feet 6 inches long and 27 inches wide; one pine table, same pattern, 6 feet long and 27 inches wide; 42 linear feet of hat strip; 53 feet of clothes rack with 112 hat and coat hooks, have been made and placed in position.

The old quarantine building, located at the northwest end of the Island, and which has been condemned, is now removed.

At the cow barn six pine columns, four spruce corner posts, 24 square feet pine siding, 12 square feet pine water board, 14 square feet pine flooring and 10 linear feet of sill have been repaired and one yellow pine platform, 3 feet by 4 feet, has also been erected.

At the bathing pavilion, 75 square feet wooden crib and 50 square feet yellow pine flooring have been repaired.

For use at the Industrial School, twelve new hardwood chair seat frames and six chair backs have been made.

Made and put up 60 square feet of pine fence at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street waiting room and at the Randall's Island waiting room removed the old flooring and put down 50 square feet of new flooring.

At the One Hundred and Twentieth street dock put in position a new hardwood step, attaching same to the floating platform in order to enable passengers to board the row boat. A new gang plank has also been furnished for use there.

At Pavilion K 2, the ceilings and walls of the dormitory, bathroom and toilet room have been painted in two coats, the radiators and pipes aluminized and the benches stained and shellaced.

The kitchens and toilets of Wards 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27 and 28 have been painted in two coats, the woodwork grained and varnished and all the radiators and pipes aluminized.

The waiting room at the Randall's Island dock has been painted throughout in two coats and the woodwork grained and varnished.

At the School for Feeble-Minded, the dining room, kitchen and pantry, playroom, toilet, laundry, washing and ironing rooms, and all the woodwork have been painted throughout in two coats and the radiators aluminized. Ten benches have also been stained and shellaced.

In Pavilions A, B and C, painted on both sides in two coats a large partition and shellaced one table top.

Painted, grained and varnished twelve large tables for the Male Helpers' dormitory and shellaced one hat rack.

At the Reception Hospital Building, painted in two coats the ceilings and walls of Wards 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44, three dining rooms, four bathrooms, four toilet rooms, two wash rooms, two kitchens and one operating room and aluminized all the pipes and radiators.

At the Deputy Superintendent's quarters painted in two coats the kitchen and bathroom and painted, grained and varnished two tables.

At the North Hospital painted the kitchen and dining room throughout in two coats, also the woodwork, and aluminized the pipes and radiators.

Painted twenty-four iron beds with one coat of white enamel.

Painted and stenciled 185 comb boxes during the quarter.

Many repairs in the line of plastering have been made in mostly all the buildings, the most important being made at the Infants' Hospital building, the main office building and the School for Feeble-Minded. The old heat registers in Wards 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 28 have all been removed and the space bricked up and plastered with scratch coat, brown mortar and hard finish.

Many minor repairs in the line of carpentry and painting have also been made throughout the various wards.

During the quarter 538 lights of common glass and 59 lights of ground glass have been placed in the various buildings.

Mr. F. A. Ross, appointed by the Commissioner April 18, 1907, to install a system of fire protection, has visited the Island once every two weeks and instructed the employees in fire drill.

The roofs and gutters of the following buildings have been repaired during the quarter: School for Feeble-Minded, Infants' Hospital laundry, Pavilion F, Female

Helpers' dormitory, office building, Pavilions A, B and C, storehouse at dock, Ward 15 and the main laundry.

Carted from the coal dock to boiler houses and coal pile 2,404 80-2,240 tons of coal, and 150 180-2,000 tons of ice to icehouse.

The following is a list of the work performed at the Industrial School during the quarter:

## Sewing Department.

	Pieces Made.
Girls' clothing .....	3,586
Boys' clothing .....	4,742
Women's clothing .....	13
Men's clothing .....	24
Bedding .....	982
Miscellaneous .....	9,066
Buttonholes .....	31,670

## Tailoring Department.

	Pieces Cut.
Girls' clothing .....	4,125
Boys' clothing .....	3,842
Women's clothing .....	5
Men's clothing .....	48
Bedding .....	1,148
Miscellaneous .....	9,465

## Shoemaking Department.

	Pairs.
High shoes, made.....	2
Shoes repaired .....	1,023

## Basket Making Department.

Clothes baskets, made.....	7
Letter baskets, made.....	2
Lunch baskets, made.....	2
Model baskets, made.....	7
Waste paper baskets, made.....	8
Clothes baskets, repaired.....	17
Hamper baskets, repaired.....	1
Cane seats, repaired.....	74
Cane backs, repaired.....	2
Reed seats, repaired.....	1
Reed backs, repaired.....	1
Settee seat, caned.....	1

## Mat Making Department.

Chain mats, made.....	17
Brush mats, made.....	24
Carpet rugs (6 feet by 3 feet), made.....	1
Carpet rugs (8 feet by 8 feet), made.....	1

## Gardening Department.

Propagated and planted out the following in 31 flower beds:

Geraniums .....	1,200
Colen's golden bedder .....	2,200
Colen's Vershaefly .....	2,200
Acheranthus .....	400
Abutilon Thomsonii .....	300
Abutilon Sawitzii .....	200
Althernanthera major .....	1,000
Althernanthera aurea .....	1,000
Althernanthera parycoides .....	500
Althernanthera amean .....	500
Agerathum .....	300
Petunias .....	200
Begonias .....	700
Cannas .....	700
Nasturtiums .....	100
Carnations .....	300
Pansies .....	500
Ivys .....	100

The following is the yield of vegetables of the Randall's Island farm during the quarter, which has been afforded the tables of this institution in season:

Bunches of green onions.....	500
Bunches of radishes.....	300
Bunches of parsley.....	60
Barrels of spinach.....	10
Barrels of lettuce.....	10

During the quarter 13,569 quarts of farm milk were distributed to the different subdivisions of this institution.

Sent to the storehouse, Blackwell's Island, during the quarter:

	Pounds.
Bones .....	4,090
Grease .....	3,054
Rags .....	2,395
Two calf skins.....	20

Respectfully,

M. C. DUNPHY, Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL LODGING HOUSE, NO. 398 FIRST AVENUE.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—I beg to present for your consideration the report of the Municipal Lodging House for quarter ending June 30, 1907.

In addition to tabulated statistics covering this period it gives me much pleasure to be able to report that operations looking to the completion of our new institution are again under way. The surety company on the bonds of the Church Construction Company who were the original contractors, and who failed in their undertaking, have taken steps to carry out the original contract. The matter of building a steel caisson at a probable cost of \$49,400 is now in the hands of, and is being rushed to completion by, the O'Rourke Engineering and Construction Company, who expect to have the same finished by the middle of August.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Aldermen they appropriated the sum of \$50,000 to cover the expense of this steel caisson, it having been decided by the Corporation Counsel that this expense must be assumed by the City, as it did not fall within the terms of the original contract made with the Church Construction Company.

Immediately upon the caisson being placed in position the surety company will procure another contractor to complete the building.

## Employment Bureau.

As usual, many of the institutions in our own Department as well as that of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, have been supplied with mechanics, helpers and scrub-women, etc., during this quarter; we have also supplied from time to time nearly all of our prominent hotels with scrub-women, cleaners, etc. In fact the demand for this class of hotel help at all times exceeds the supply.



## Repairs and Improvements.

Owing to the fact that this will without hardly a doubt be our last year in our present building, only such repairs and improvements as are found to be an urgent necessity will be advocated, it being the desire of Commissioner Hebbard to keep the expense for these items down to the lowest figure owing to the fact that our new building is now looming up in the near future, while the building we now occupy is but a leased one.

## Precautions Against Fire.

Employees as usual are being continually schooled as to their duties in case of fire; the day engineers train the day force and the night engineers the night force. All fire extinguishers and other fire apparatus throughout the institution are inspected immediately after each drill, and a written report of their condition is made by the engineer in a book reserved for such purpose.

## Supplies.

Supplies of all kinds received from the storehouse, meat department and bakery during this quarter were as usual of excellent quality.

## Requisitions.

Requisitions for supplies, repairs, etc., have been acted upon promptly and in a very satisfactory manner by the officials at the Central office having charge of same.

## Disposition of Inmates.

Reports, etc., as to the disposition of such inmates referred to the Bureau of Dependent Adults, the Children's Bureau and the Wayfarers' Lodge and Woodyard have been received as usual without delay.

## Charitable Societies.

All communications, requests, etc., to and from charitable organizations and interested individuals have been acted upon promptly and courteously.

## Conduct of Employees.

Taking into consideration the fact that we fed, lodged, bathed, fumigated clothing and rendered medical and surgical aid when needed to 9,850 men, women and children of all nationalities and creeds during this quarter, I think I have every reason to feel proud on the whole of the conduct of the officers and employees of this institution (about 66 per cent. of the latter are unpaid).

Very respectfully,

WM. C. YORKE, Superintendent.

	Men.	Women.	16-21.		2-16.		Under 2.		Total.
			Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
Lodgers .....	8,098	1,225	234	33	66	31	84	88	9,859
Nativity.									
United States .....	4,627	370	165	21	65	24	84	88	5,444
Ireland .....	1,698	634	6	1	..	..	..	..	2,339
Germany .....	788	48	14	1	..	..	..	..	851
England .....	364	52	3	..	..	3	..	..	422
Scotland .....	107	19	4	..	..	..	..	..	130
Austria .....	68	32	4	3	..	..	..	..	107
France .....	18	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	21
Russia .....	23	10	17	6	..	..	..	..	56
Sweden .....	67	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	72
Norway .....	8	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	20
Switzerland .....	32	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	36
Italy .....	31	5	4	..	..	4	..	..	44
British America .....	149	19	7	..	1	..	..	..	176
Holland .....	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Spain .....	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Wales .....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Other foreign countries.....	99	12	7	1	..	..	..	..	119
Total.....	8,098	1,225	234	33	66	31	84	88	9,859
Ages.									
Under 2 years.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	84	88	172
From 2 years to 16 years.....	..	..	..	..	66	31	..	..	97
From 16 years to 21 years.....	..	..	234	33	..	..	..	..	267
From 21 years to 50 years.....	5,745	784	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,529
From 50 years to 70 years.....	2,245	373	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,618
Seventy years and over.....	108	68	..	..	..	..	..	..	176
Total.....	8,098	1,225	234	33	66	31	84	88	9,859
Average age .....									
	41	43	19	19	3 5-12	2 11-12	6-12	7-12	
Time in City.									
Under 60 days.....	1,091	60	164	13	16	..	3	13	1,360
From 60 days to 6 months.....	126	10	14	..	..	..	..	2	152
From 6 months to 1 year.....	126	17	7	3	..	4	3	..	160
From 1 year to 5 years.....	846	68	19	5	..	3	..	..	941
Five years and over.....	3,198	878	7	1	..	..	..	..	4,084
Natives .....	2,711	192	23	11	50	24	78	73	3,162
Total.....	8,098	1,225	234	33	66	31	84	88	9,859
References.									
Reference as to last employer.....	6,350	873	62	15	..	..	..	..	7,300
No references given.....	1,748	352	172	18	66	31	84	88	2,559
Total.....	8,098	1,225	234	33	66	31	84	88	9,859

	Men.	Women.	16-21.		2-16.		Under 2.		Total.
			Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
Results of Investigating References.									
Favorable report .....	3,154	407	26	4	..	..	..	..	3,591
Bad .....	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Doubtful identification .....	190	18	3	..	..	..	..	..	211
Reference not found.....	187	35	6	2	..	..	..	..	230
Lodger unknown to reference.....	252	20	4	..	..	..	..	..	276
Previously investigated .....	1,869	303	8	5	..	..	..	..	2,185
Pending .....	691	89	15	4	..	..	..	..	799
Total.....	6,350	873	62	15	..	..	..	..	7,300
Disposition.									
Sent To—									
Bureau of Dependent Adults.....	263	190	13	5	..	..	1	..	472
Bureau of Dependent Children...	1	75	..	3	14	17	31	30	171
Court as vagrants.....	61	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	70
Bellevue Hospital .....	31	3	..	..	1	..	1	..	36
Society for Prevention of Cruelty of Children .....	..	..	..	..	9	5	..	..	14
Situations (Institutions).....	113	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	149
Situations other than Institutions.	29	81	2	1	..	..	..	..	113
Directed To—									
Brace Memorial Lodging House..	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	..	25
Charity Organization Society....	1	20	..	3	..	1	10	4	39
Sent to Charity Organization Society Woodyard .....	754	..	164	..	..	..	..	..	918
Sent to Work (Unpaid)—									
Lodging House .....	2,417	232	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,649
Bellevue Hospital .....	91	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	91
Bureau of Dependent Adults.....	194	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	194
Bureau of Dependent Children...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-sixth Street Dock.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
General Drug Department .....	376	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	376
Total.....	4,334	645	205	12	24	23	43	34	5,320
Discharged to self.....	3,764	580	29	21	42	8	41	54	4,539
Total.....	8,098	1,225	234	33	66	31	84	88	9,859

	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Medical.				
Treated by Physician.....	1,017	101	23	1,141
Vaccinated by Physician.....	2,669	225	13	2,907
Total.....	3,686	326	36	4,048

## SECOND QUARTERLY REPORT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, YEAR 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner of Public Charities, New York City:  
Dear Sir—Herewith I respectfully submit quarterly report of the Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, ending June 30, 1907.  
Respectfully yours,  
JAMES J. McINERNEY, Second Deputy Commissioner.

Hon. JAMES J. McINERNEY, Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Brooklyn, N. Y.:  
Dear Sir—I herewith submit report of the Court Fund for the quarter beginning April 1, 1907, and ending June 30, 1907:

Receipts—		
Balance on hand March 31, 1907.....	\$4,872 75	
April receipts.....	3,030 25	
May receipts .....	3,210 00	
June receipts .....	2,752 75	
Interest from Borough Bank for half year.....	39 71	
Total.....	\$13,905 46	
Disbursements—		
April disbursements .....	\$2,919 25	
May disbursements .....	2,991 50	
June disbursements .....	2,676 00	
Paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	39 71	
Total.....	8,626 46	
Balance on hand June 30, 1907.....	\$5,279 00	
County Wards, Receipts and Disbursements for Second Quarter.		
Receipts—		
April receipts .....	\$529 75	
May receipts .....	548 50	
June receipts .....	502 00	
Total.....	\$1,580 25	



## Disbursements—

April, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	\$529 75
May, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	548 50
June, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	502 00
Total.....	\$1,580 25

Moneys Received for the Sale of Old Material at the County Buildings, Flatbush, During Second Quarter.

## Receipts—

June receipts .....	\$379 81
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## Disbursements—

June, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	\$379 81
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Moneys Received for Board at the Kings County Hospital and the Home for the Aged and Infirm During the Second Quarter.

## Receipts—

April receipts .....	\$303 80
May receipts .....	384 60
June receipts .....	344 00

Total..... \$1,032 40

## Disbursements—

April, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	\$303 80
May, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	380 60
May, paid to Mrs. Voltenkenberg (refunded).....	4 00
June, paid to Hon. Robert W. Hebbard.....	342 00
June, paid to Henry Lerner (refunded).....	2 00

Total..... \$1,032 40

Moneys Left by Deceased Patients at the Kings County Buildings and the Cumberland Street Hospital During the Second Quarter.

## Receipts—

April receipts .....	\$24 78
May receipts .....	83 84
June receipts .....	55 99

Total..... \$164 61

## Disbursements—

April, paid to Hon. Chas. E. Teale, Public Administrator.....	\$24 78
May, paid to Hon. Chas. E. Teale, Public Administrator..	82 39
May, paid to John A. Larsson.....	1 45
June, paid to Hon. Chas. E. Teale, Public Administrator..	55 99

Total..... \$164 61

Respectfully submitted,  
HENRY A. BALL, Secretary.

Hon. JAMES J. McINERNEY, Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Herewith I respectfully submit report of the Abandonment and Bastardy Complaints for the quarter ending June 30, 1907:

Orders given for warrants for abandonment.....	523
Convictions .....	31
Orders given for warrants for bastardy.....	68
Convictions .....	10
Married .....	9
Letters to defendants before giving orders for warrants to Court.....	340
Applications declined .....	296

Respectfully submitted,  
GEORGE BROWN, Clerk.

Hon. JAMES J. McINERNEY, Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—The following is a general summary of the business of this office during the quarter ending June 30, 1907:

Admissions to Home for Aged and Infirm.....	612
Discharges from Home for Aged and Infirm.....	686
Admissions to Kings County Hospital (adults).....	2,429
Admissions to Kings County Hospital (children) .....	194
Admissions to Cumberland Street Hospital (adults).....	201
Admissions to Cumberland Street Hospital (children).....	26
Ambulance calls received and sent, Kings County Hospital.....	357
Ambulance calls received and sent, Cumberland Street Hospital.....	98
Number of netitions taken in cases for examination and observation of mental condition .....	524
Burial permits issued (county farms) .....	230
Burial orders issued (Queens County).....	30
Investigations made .....	1,047
Applications for blind pensions .....	226
Number of lunacy examinations made.....	486
Number of certificates made by Examiners.....	346
Number of feeble-minded persons committed to Randall's Island.....	28
Number of deaf mutes committed to deaf and dumb institutions.....	17
Number of epileptics committed to Randall's Island.....	14
Number of applications for deportation of dependents to their homes, referred to the Department of State and Alien Poor, New York City.....	24
Number of dependents deported to their homes through the Department of State and Alien Poor, New York City.....	6
Number of letters of inquiry and correspondence.....	730
Number of foundlings received and cared for.....	15

Respectfully submitted,  
M. A. McCARTY, Relief Clerk.

Hon. JAMES J. McINERNEY, Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Herewith I respectfully submit report of the Children's Bureau for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

Respectfully,  
FREDERICK GOODHUE, Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE CHILDREN'S BUREAU.

Commitment of Children, Quarter Ending June 30, 1907.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Number of children proposed for commitment.....	358	437	399	1,194
Number of children approved for commitment.....	243	288	239	770
Number of children disapproved for commitment.....	115	149	160	424
Total.....	358	437	399	1,194

## Disapproved for the Following Reasons.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Non-residents .....	5	2	6	13
Immigrants .....	3	..	6	9
Unknown at address given.....	4	6	1	11
Insufficient information.....	7	5	7	19
Able to support.....	96	136	140	372
Total.....	115	149	160	424
Referred to private charities.....	11	7	6	24

## Discharge of Children.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Number of children applied for and investigated.....	37	46	38	121
Approved .....	35	43	32	110
Disapproved .....	2	3	6	11
Total.....	37	46	38	121

## Reinvestigations of Children in Institutions.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Total number of reinvestigations made during the month...	448	332	298	1,078
Approved to remain for a year or longer.....	383	260	218	861
Approved to remain for a period less than a year.....	10	....	....	10
Disapproved for further retention as a public charge.....	55	72	80	207
Total.....	448	332	298	1,078
Unable to locate at address given.....	40	45	33	118

## Part Payments by Parents or Relatives.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Number of children committed during quarter for whom part payment was required.....	11	22	19	52
Amount received in part payment for support of children committed during quarter.....	\$51 00	\$80 00	\$98 00	\$229 00
Total amount received, county wards, quarter ending June 30, 1907.....	529 75	548 50	502 00	1,580 25

## Hospital.

	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Number of applications for hospital treatment for children.....	43	42	46	131
Approved .....	41	42	45	128
Declined .....	2	..	1	3
Total.....	43	42	46	131
Total number of visits by Examiners during quarter ending June 30, 1907.....	1,657	1,600	1,192	4,449



## Inmates Committed, Quarter Ending June 30, 1907, Distributed as Follows:

	April.	May.	June.	Total.	County Wards in Insti- tutions.
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls .....	1	3	1	5	20
Convent of Mercy.....	68	63	69	200	1,133
Guild of Infant Saviour.....	1	..	..	1	..
House of Good Shepherd.....	13	16	23	52	147
Mission of Immaculate Virgin.....	1	4	1	6	95
New York Catholic Protectory.....	45	52	40	137	530
New York Foundling Hospital.....	..	21	3	24	52
Orphan Home.....	..	15	18	33	721
Ozanam Home.....	73	57	70	200	57
St. Ann's Home, New York.....	..	..	..	..	52
St. Malachy's Home.....	52	42	39	133	846
St. John's Home.....	47	43	51	141	1,048
St. Joseph's Asylum.....	18	30	23	71	568
St. Joseph's Asylum, New York.....	..	..	..	..	..
St. Mary's Maternity.....	7	13	9	29	130
American Female Guardian Society and Home for Friendless.....	..	..	..	..	4
Brooklyn Children's Aid Society.....	5	13	4	22	104
Brooklyn Nursery.....	12	4	12	28	72
Brooklyn Training School.....	2	1	2	5	14
Children's Home, Mineola.....	..	2	..	2	4
Church Charity Foundation.....	5	4	..	9	35
Colored Orphan Asylum, New York.....	..	..	..	..	13
Eastern District Industrial School.....	26	22	6	54	381
Five Points House of Industry.....	..	..	..	..	1
German Odd Fellows' Home.....	..	..	..	..	10
Home for Destitute Children.....	4	4	20	28	234
Home for Friendless.....	..	7	2	9	40
House of Mercy, Inwood.....	6	3	5	14	30
Howard Colored Orphan Asylum.....	7	11	9	27	172
International Sunshine Society.....	..	..	..	..	3
New York Juvenile Asylum.....	12	9	8	29	76
Orphan Asylum Society.....	2	..	10	12	109
Ottillie Home.....	..	..	..	..	1
S. C. A. A., Joint Committee.....	3	2	1	6	24
Sheltering Arms Nursery.....	3	8	3	14	41
Wayside Home.....	1	5	1	7	13
Hebrew Benevolent Orphan Asylum Society.....	2	9	6	17	20
Hebrew Infant Asylum.....	1	5	..	6	29
Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	6	2	9	17	311
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	..	6	19	25	178
Ruptured and Crippled Hospital.....	4	8	7	19	31
St. Giles Home.....	1	1	..	2	47
Total.....	428	485	471	1,384	7,396
Remaining at close of quarter ending March 31, 1907.....			7,068		
Committed during quarter ending June 30, 1907.....			1,384		
Total.....				8,452	
Discharged during quarter ending June 30, 1907.....				1,056	
Remaining at close of quarter ending June 30, 1907.....					7,396

Hon. JAMES J. McINERNEY, Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I herewith respectfully submit the quarterly report of the Employment Bureau for the three months ending June 30, 1907:

Total number of personal and referred applications.....	170
Number found eligible and placed in hospitals.....	102
Number referred to Cumberland Street Hospital.....	25
Number referred to Kings County Hospital.....	45
Number referred to Bradford Street Hospital.....	10
Number referred to Coney Island Hospital.....	8
Number of applicants unable to furnish satisfactory references.....	5
Failed to report for duty.....	17
Number of visits to hospitals, institutions, societies and agencies.....	110
Personal investigation of applications.....	60

During the three months I have visited the following hospitals, institutions and employment agencies:

Kings County Hospital.  
Home for the Aged and Infirm.  
Cumberland Street Hospital.  
Brooklyn Hospital.  
Home for Friendless Women.  
Ozanam Home.  
Brooklyn Bureau of Charities.  
Women's Lodging House, Bureau of Charities.  
Young Men's Christian Association.  
Young Women's Christian Association.  
Salvation Army.  
St. Peter's Home.  
Friedheim (Scandinavian Young Women's Home).  
Swedish Lutheran Home for Young Girls.

The path of one aiming to secure capable and efficient help for the hospitals under your supervision is beset with many difficulties. Said hospitals rightfully demand only such help, and the difficulty in securing same is due to the fact that the

salaries are nominally very low. It is my aim to supply only an efficient class of helpers, yet it seems at times almost impossible to do so at the salaries I am permitted to offer.

Although I am in touch with a number of employment agencies and bureaus, I am mostly thrown upon my own resources in finding capable help, thus necessitating personal investigation and personal converse with prospective helpers.

I have faithfully endeavored to meet all requests for aid as promptly as possible, although the principle of good help for comparatively little money has caused some unavoidable delays.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA BACKNER, Employment Clerk.

Brooklyn, N. Y., July 1, 1907.

Dr. JOHN F. FITZGERALD, General Medical Superintendent of the Department of Public Charities for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:

Dear Sir—I have the honor herewith to submit to you the quarterly report of the Kings County Morgue for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

The number of bodies received was 146, of which number 103 were identified and 43 were not identified. Of the number identified 51 were interred by the County, making the total interred by the County 94, including the 43 unidentified. The remaining 52 were interred by relatives or friends.

Respectfully submitted,

P. MAGUIRE, Keeper.

## Examination of Cases Proposed as Public Charges in Private Hospitals for Quarter Ending June 30, 1907.

	Number Accepted.	Number Rejected.	Number Inspected.	Reasons for Rejections.			
				Non- emergency.	Able to Pay.	Discharged Same Day.	Pre- arranged.
Maternity Cases.							
Bushwick .....	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
Brooklyn Maternity .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Eastern District .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
Long Island City Maternity .....	14	..	14	..	..	..	..
Low Maternity .....	14	7	21	2	..	..	5
Jamaica .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
German .....	7	..	7	..	..	..	..
Flushing .....	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
Jewish .....	12	..	12	..	..	..	..
Methodist Episcopal .....	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
Williamsburg .....	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
St. John's Church Charity Foundation .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
St. Catherine's .....	9	..	9	..	..	..	..
St. John's, Long Island City .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
St. Mary Immaculate.....	4	..	4	..	..	..	..
St. Mary's Maternity.....	13	..	13	..	..	..	..
Norwegian .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Children.							
St. Christopher's.....	32	12	44	6	1	..	5
St. Catherine's .....	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
Brooklyn Home for Con- sumptives .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
Brooklyn .....	16	..	16	..	..	..	..
Brooklyn Eye and Ear....	10	..	10	..	..	..	..
St. John's Church Charity Foundation .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
St. Peter's .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Jamaica .....	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
Eastern District .....	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
Flushing .....	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
German .....	9	..	9	..	..	..	..
Jewish .....	16	..	16	..	..	..	..
Long Island College.....	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
Long Island City Maternity .....	4	..	4	..	..	..	..
Methodist Episcopal .....	6	..	6	..	..	..	..
St. Mary's Maternity.....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
St. Mary's General.....	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
Williamsburg .....	9	..	9	..	..	..	..
Norwegian .....	4	..	4	..	..	..	..
Total number of ma- ternity cases and children .....	250	19	269	8	1	..	10
Hospital Cases.							
Brooklyn .....	153	49	202	15	2	..	32
Brooklyn Eye and Ear....	19	..	19	..	..	..	..
Brooklyn Home for Con- sumptives .....	41	..	41	..	..	..	..
Bushwick Central .....	27	..	27	..	..	..	..
Eastern District .....	82	12	94	3	4	5	..
Flushing .....	118	2	120	2	..	..	..
Jamaica .....	76	..	76	..	..	..	..
Long Island College.....	154	3	157	..	3	..	..
Methodist Episcopal .....	80	33	113	9	13	5	6
Norwegian .....	125	35	160	14	5	1	15
Williamsburg .....	80	20	100	10	6	3	1
St. Catherine's .....	190	60	250	60	..	..	..
St. Catherine's Infirmary..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
St. John's, Long Island City .....	350	26	376	12	2	12	..
St. Mary's .....	177	67	244	56	11	..	..



	Number Accepted.	Number Rejected.	Number Inspected.	Reasons for Rejections.			
				Non-emergency.	Able to Pay.	Discharged Same Day.	Pre-arranged.
St. Peter's .....	376	135	511	108	2	..	25
German .....	65	11	76	1	2	8	..
Mary Immaculate .....	144	1	145	..	..	1	..
St. John's Church Charity Foundation .....	33	8	41	..	3	4	1
St. Joseph's, Far Rockaway .....	64	2	66	1	1	..	..
Jewish .....	65	29	94	24	1	3	1
Nursing Mothers.							
Eastern District .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Long Island City Maternity .....	4	..	4	..	..	..	..
Low Maternity .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
German .....	5	..	5	..	..	..	..
Flushing .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
Jewish .....	6	..	6	..	..	..	..
Methodist Episcopal .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Williamsburg .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
St. John's Church Charity Foundation .....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
St. Catherine's .....	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
St. Mary's Maternity .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Total number of hospital cases and nursing mothers .....	2,454	493	2,947	315	55	42	81
Total number of maternity cases and children .....	250	19	269	8	1	..	10
Grand total .....	2,704	512	3,216	323	56	42	91

Respectfully submitted,  
AGNES M. MULRY,

REPORT OF THE KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, THE NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM, BROOKLYN DIVISION; CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL, BRADFORD STREET HOSPITAL, RECEPTION HOSPITAL, CONEY ISLAND; ALSO TRAINING SCHOOLS AND OTHER BRANCHES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, NEW YORK, FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner of Public Charities, New York:

Dear Sir—I hereby submit to you the second quarterly report for the year 1907 of the institutions of the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, New York.

KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL.

There remained in this hospital March 31, 1907, 324 male and 198 female patients. There were admitted during this quarter 1,930 males and 797 females, making the total number under treatment 2,254 males and 995 females, a total of 3,249 patients. Of this number 762 cases were discharged recovered, 1,221 were discharged as improved, 246 as unimproved, 247 were transferred to State hospitals, 238 died and 535 remained under treatment June 30, 1907, of whom 319 were males and 216 were females. During this quarter there were 23 women confined, giving birth to 8 male children and 14 females; there was one stillbirth.

The number of visits made by the visiting staff was 306.

The number of major operations performed was 110.

There were 233 emergency ambulance calls and 332 transfer ambulance calls.

Kings County Hospital Dispensary.

In this dispensary 1,047 cases were treated during the quarter, of whom 786 were males and 261 were females. The number of new cases was 523, revisits 524.

Kings County Hospital Training School for Female Nurses.

During the past quarter 34 applications were received, 20 were rejected and 4 probationers were accepted. The census of the school consisted of 1 Superintendent, 1 Deputy Superintendent, 3 Supervising Nurses, 11 Trained Nurses, 44 Pupil Nurses and 7 probationers. One Supervising Nurse and one Pupil Nurse are assigned to Bradford Street Hospital, 2 Trained Nurses and 2 Pupil Nurses are assigned to the Reception Hospital, Coney Island.

The New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division.

The census of this home on March 31, 1907, showed 863 male inmates and 590 female inmates. During this second quarter 409 male cases and 188 female cases were admitted, making the total number under care 1,272 male cases and 778 female cases, a total of 2,050. There were discharged during this quarter 673 cases, of whom 495 were males and 178 were females; 72 died and there remained in the home June 30, 1907, 745 male cases and 560 female cases, a total of 1,305.

Neurological Hospital.

The number of patients remaining in this hospital March 31, 1907, was 81 males and 61 females, a total of 142. During the second quarter 77 cases were admitted, of whom 46 were males and 31 were females; 66 cases were discharged improved, 18 died and there remained under treatment June 30, 1907, 135. Of the 77 cases admitted during the second quarter 11 were epileptics.

CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL.

In this hospital there remained under treatment March 31, 1907, 182 patients, of whom 102 were male and 80 were females; 588 cases were admitted, of whom 333 were males and 255 were females, making a total number under treatment of 435 males and 335 females, a total of 770. Of this number 377 were discharged recovered, 131 as improved, 12 as unimproved, 84 died and there remained under treatment June 30, 1907, 97 males and 69 females, a total of 166. The women confined numbered 63; 28 male and 29 female children were born and there were 6 stillbirths.

The number of visits by the visiting staff was 55.

The number of major operations performed was 69.

The number of ambulance calls made during the quarter was 152.

Cumberland Street Hospital Dispensary.

During the second quarter 5,329 cases were treated, of whom 3,977 were male cases and 1,352 were female cases; 1,380 of these patients were new cases and 3,949 were revisits.

Cumberland Hospital Training School for Female Nurses.

There are in this training school at the present time one Deputy Superintendent in charge, 4 Trained Nurses and 22 Pupil Nurses. During the second quarter 13 applications were received, 4 rejected and 12 probationers were accepted.

BRADFORD STREET HOSPITAL.

There were admitted to this hospital during the second quarter 35 cases, of whom 25 were males and 10 were females. Of this number 7 were discharged recovered, 17 as improved, 5 as unimproved, 3 died and 3 remained under treatment June 30, 1907.

The number of visits made by the visiting staff was 16.

The number of major operations performed was 3.

Bradford Street Hospital Dispensary.

During the second quarter 2,454 cases were treated in this dispensary, of whom 1,462 were males and 992 were females.

The number of ambulance calls made was 323.

RECEPTION HOSPITAL, CONEY ISLAND.

This hospital was opened for the reception of patients on April 15, 1907. During the portion of the quarter that this hospital was open 51 patients were admitted, of whom 35 were males and 16 were females. Of these 51 11 were discharged recovered, 19 as improved, 3 as unimproved and 2 died. The number remaining under treatment June 30 was 16, of whom 8 were males and 8 were females.

The number of visits made by the visiting staff was 10.

Two major operations were performed.

The number of ambulance calls made during this quarter was 153.

Reception Hospital Dispensary.

In this dispensary 485 cases were treated during the quarter, of whom 406 were males and 79 were females. The number of new cases was 253, and 233 were revisits.

During the second quarter contracts have been made for painting a number of buildings, for replumbing half the staff house for the house staff, for repairing roofs and for the installation of sanitary bases and steel ceilings in the main hospital. The work on most of these contracts is proceeding satisfactorily, on others, however, notably the replumbing of staff house and the installation of steel ceilings are extremely slow.

At the present time the contractor for painting the buildings and repairing and painting roofs is having some trouble with the sub-contractor, which is causing delay in the progress of his work.

At the Coney Island Hospital the tent has been covered, new flies being furnished for same, and at the present time contains about ten children suffering from tubercular bone disease.

It will be observed that whereas formerly during the summer months, the work was very much lighter and the census lessened, for the past two seasons the summer months have been exceptionally heavy. During the first quarter of this year only 2,457 cases were admitted to the Kings County Hospital, whereas during the second quarter 2,727 cases were admitted. In the dispensary 821 cases were treated in the first quarter, whereas in the second quarter 1,047 were treated. During the first quarter of the year 500 cases were admitted to the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division, whereas during the second quarter 597 cases were admitted.

These facts as noted show that there is a marked change in the character of the service being rendered the public by these institutions.

During the second quarter of 1906 but 2,484 cases were admitted to the Kings County Hospital as compared with 2,727 admitted during the second quarter of 1907.

The services formerly rendered to the hospital and the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division, by the prisoners from the penitentiary, were of considerable worth to the Department in the care of the grounds and outbuildings. Since the removal of the penitentiary the grounds have suffered considerably. We are doing what we can to maintain the premises in as presentable condition as possible with the help available.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. FITZ GERALD, General Medical Superintendent.

Approved:

J. J. McInerney, Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities.

KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining March 31, 1907.....	324	198	522
Patients admitted during second quarter.....	1,930	797	2,727
Total.....	2,254	995	3,249
Discharged recovered .....	593	169	762
Discharged improved .....	903	318	1,221
Discharged unimproved .....	176	70	246
Transferred to State hospitals.....	105	142	247
Died .....	158	80	238
Remaining June 30, 1907.....	319	216	535
Total.....	2,254	995	3,249

Percentage recovered .....	23.453
Percentage improved .....	37.581
Percentage unimproved .....	7.572
Percentage to State Hospitals.....	7.602
Percentage died .....	7.325
Percentage remaining June 30, 1907.....	16.467

Total ..... 100.000

Women confined .....	23
Children born, male.....	8
Children born, female.....	14
Still births .....	1

Number of visits by visiting staff.....	306
Number of major operations performed.....	110

Causes of Dependency of Patients Admitted to Kings County Hospital During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Intemperance .....	380	36	416
Insanity .....	189	180	369
Children having sick parents.....	12	16	28



	Males.	Females.	Total.
Bastards .....	3	2	5
Sickness .....	1,346	563	1,909
Total.....	1,930	797	2,727

## Number of Days' Labor by Convalescent Help During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Kings County Hospital.....	4,823	546	5,369

Total number of days' treatment afforded.....	50,067
Average daily census.....	550
Total number of days' board provided for employees from March 31 to June 30, 1907 .....	29,125
Average per diem.....	320

Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of institution.....	\$0.70800
Per capita cost for provisions alone, patients and employees.....	.22212
Per capita cost per diem of drugs for inmates.....	.07359
Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of patients alone.....	1.11985
Per capita cost salaries.....	.39683

## Expenditures.

Provisions .....	\$17,590 52
Furniture .....	970 44
Fuel .....	3,511 83
Water .....	964 90
Repairs .....	2,638 52
Clothing .....	1,593 31
Salaries .....	19,868 45
Drugs and surgical supplies.....	3,684 67
Transportation and gardens.....	2,122 30
Incidentals and sundries.....	3,122 93
Total .....	\$56,067 87

## Kings County Hospital Dispensary.

Number of males treated.....	786
Number of females treated.....	261
Total.....	1,047

New cases .....	523
Revisits .....	524
Cost of drugs.....	\$38 39

## Kings County Hospital Training School.

The census of this school consists of 1 Superintendent, 1 Deputy Superintendent, 3 Supervising Nurses, 11 Trained Nurses, 44 Pupil Nurses.	
The Supervising Nurse and 1 Pupil Nurse are at the Bradford Street Hospital.	
Probationers remaining March 31, 1907.....	5
Applications received .....	34
Applications rejected .....	20
Probationers accepted .....	4
Probationers rejected .....	7
Probationers remaining June 30, 1907.....	7

All the expenses of this school are included in the Kings County Hospital accounts.

## The New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Inmates remaining March 31, 1907, including transients.....	863	590	1,453
Inmates admitted during second quarter.....	409	188	597
Total.....	1,272	778	2,050
Discharged during second quarter.....	495	178	673
Died .....	32	40	72
Remaining June 30, 1907.....	745	560	1,305
Total.....	1,272	778	2,050

## Causes of Dependency of Inmates Admitted to the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division, During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Vagrancy .....	3	4	7
Insanity .....	..	2	2
Blindness .....	7	1	8
Lameness .....	..	1	1
Decrepitude .....	154	32	186
Old age .....	80	53	133
Sickness .....	10	3	13
Indigent and destitute.....	116	47	163
Able-bodied .....	..	22	22
Lodgers .....	39	23	62
Total.....	409	188	597

## Number of Days of Labor by Inmates of the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division, During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
The New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division .....	26,828	20,566	47,394
Kings County Hospital.....	2,551	2,730	5,281
Transportation and Gardens.....	3,913	.....	3,913
Total.....	33,292	23,296	56,588

Total daily census of inmates.....	120,053
Average per diem.....	1,319
Total daily census of employees.....	5,727
Average per diem, including mechanics and drivers.....	63

Per capita cost per diem of inmates, buildings and employees.....	\$0.26127
Per capita cost per diem of provisions alone, inmates and employees.....	.12194
Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of inmates alone.....	.27321
Per capita cost, salaries.....	.06494

## NEUROLOGICAL HOSPITAL.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining March 31, 1907.....	81	61	142
Patients admitted during second quarter.....	46	31	77
Total.....	127	92	219
Discharged improved .....	48	18	66
Died .....	6	12	18
Remaining June 30, 1907.....	73	62	135
Total.....	127	92	219

## Causes of Dependency of Patients Admitted to Neurological Hospital During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Sickness .....	38	28	66
Epileptics .....	8	3	11
Total.....	46	31	77

Total daily census of inmates.....	13,568
Average per diem.....	149

The expenses of this hospital are included in the tables of the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division.

## Expenditures.

Provisions, including bakery.....	\$17,995 11
Furniture .....	510 21
Fuel .....	3,511 82
Water .....	944 69
Repairs .....	287 98
Clothing .....	2,109 00
Salaries .....	8,677 42
Drugs .....	420 35
Incidentals and sundries.....	2,050 25
Total.....	\$36,506 83

## Drug Department.

Apothecaries .....	2
Helpers .....	3
Salaries .....	\$632 00
Distributed to Kings County Hospital.....	\$3,684 67
Distributed to Kings County Hospital Dispensary.....	38 39
Distributed to the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm, Brooklyn Division .....	420 35
Distributed to Cumberland Street Hospital.....	966 97
Distributed to Cumberland Street Hospital Dispensary.....	237 68
Distributed to Bradford Street Hospital.....	49 80
Distributed to Bradford Street Hospital Dispensary.....	140 23
Distributed to Reception Hospital, Coney Island.....	50 98
Distributed to Reception Hospital, Coney Island, Dispensary.....	113 48
Total.....	\$5,702 55

## Bakery.

Employees .....	4
Salaries .....	\$516 00
Supplies .....	3,395 32

## Mechanical Department.

Employees .....	7
Salaries .....	\$1,947 15

## Transportation Department.

Number of trips made by each wagon:	
Van to Central Office.....	133
Double truck .....	20
Brougham .....	102



Transfer ambulance .....	332
Emergency ambulance .....	233
Burial wagon .....	245
Surrey .....	28
Priests' cab .....	461
Coach for insane .....	229
Single truck .....	41
Delivery wagon .....	103
Morgue wagon .....	125
Buggy .....	79

## Garden and Stables.

Employees .....	11
Number of horses employed .....	30
Salaries .....	\$1,827 55
Supplies .....	2,781 74

## CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining March 31, 1907 .....	102	80	182
Patients admitted during second quarter .....	333	255	588
Total .....	435	335	770
Discharged recovered .....	206	171	377
Discharged improved .....	71	60	131
Discharged unimproved .....	3	9	12
Died .....	58	26	84
Remaining June 30, 1907 .....	97	69	166
Total .....	435	335	770

Percentage recovered .....	48.961
Percentage improved .....	17.013
Percentage unimproved .....	1.559
Percentage died .....	10.909
Percentage remaining June 30, 1907 .....	21.558
Total .....	100.000

Women confined .....	63
Children born, male .....	28
Children born, female .....	29
Still births .....	6
Number of visits by visiting staff .....	55
Number of major operations performed .....	69

## Causes of Dependency of Patients Admitted to the Cumberland Street Hospital During Second Quarter, 1907.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Sickness .....	332	235	567
Children having sick parents .....	..	15	15
Bastards .....	1	5	6
Total .....	333	255	588

## Number of Days' Labor by Convalescent Help During the Second Quarter at Cumberland Street Hospital.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Cumberland Street Hospital .....	1,027	206	1,233

Total number of days' treatment afforded .....	16,442
Average daily census .....	181
Total number of days' board provided for employees during second quarter .....	9,137
Average per diem .....	100
Included in the above is an average of employees not on the payroll .....	14
Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of institution .....	\$0.63412
Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of patients alone .....	.98650
Per capita cost per diem for provisions, patients and employees .....	.20607
Per capita cost per diem of drugs for inmates .....	.05881
Per capita cost, salaries .....	.38102

## Expenditures.

Provisions .....	\$5,271 21
Furniture .....	499 74
Fuel .....	1,047 99
Repairs .....	321 11
Clothing .....	354 31
Salaries .....	6,264 80
Drugs .....	966 97
Transportation .....	334 17
Incidentals and sundries .....	1,159 75
Total .....	\$16,220 05

## Cumberland Street Hospital Dispensary.

Number of males treated .....	3,977
Number of females treated .....	1,352
Total .....	5,329

New cases .....	1,380
Revisits .....	3,949
Cost of drugs .....	\$237 68
Number of ambulance calls during second quarter .....	152

## Cumberland Street Hospital Training School for Female Nurses.

The census of this school consists of 1 Deputy Superintendent, no Supervising Nurses, 4 Trained Nurses and 22 Pupil Nurses.	
Probationers remaining March 31, 1907 .....	3
Applications received .....	13
Applications rejected .....	4
Probationers accepted .....	12
Probationers rejected .....	..
Remaining June 30, 1907 .....	2
Number of lectures .....	6
Number of recitations .....	20

All of the expenses of this school are included in the accounts of the Cumberland Street Hospital.

## BRADFORD STREET HOSPITAL.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining March 31, 1907 .....	..	..	..
Patients admitted during second quarter .....	25	10	35
Total .....	25	10	35
Discharged recovered .....	6	1	7
Discharged improved .....	12	5	17
Discharged unimproved .....	2	3	5
Died .....	2	1	3
Remaining June 30, 1907 .....	3	..	3
Total .....	25	10	35

Percentage recovered .....	20.000
Percentage improved .....	48.571
Percentage unimproved .....	14.287
Percentage died .....	8.571
Percentage remaining June 30, 1907 .....	8.571
Total .....	100.000

Number of visits by Visiting Staff .....	16
Number of major operations performed .....	3

## Causes of Dependency of Patients Admitted to Bradford Street Hospital During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Sickness .....	25	10	35

## Number of Days' Labor by Convalescent Help During Second Quarter.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Bradford Street Hospital .....	44	..	44

Number of days treatment afforded .....	142
Average per diem .....	2
Number of days board provided for employees from March 31, 1907, to June 30, 1907 .....	887
Average per diem .....	10

Included in the above is an average of one employee not on the payroll.

Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of institution .....	\$1.44648
Per capita cost per diem for provisions alone, patients and employees .....	.45633
Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of patients alone .....	10.48190
Per capita cost per diem of drugs for inmates .....	.35070
Per capita cost, salaries .....	4.24021

## Expenditures.

Provisions .....	\$469 56
Fuel .....	99 62
Repairs .....	10 35
Salaries .....	602 11
Drugs .....	49 80
Transportation .....	139 41
Incidentals and sundries .....	117 58
Total .....	\$1,488 43

## Bradford Street Hospital Dispensary.

Number of males treated .....	1,462
Number of females treated .....	992
Total .....	2,454
Cost of drugs .....	\$140 23
Number of ambulance calls during second quarter .....	323



## RECEPTION HOSPITAL, CONEY ISLAND.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining March 31, 1907.....	..	..	..
Patients admitted during second quarter.....	35	16	51
Total.....	35	16	51

Discharged recovered .....	9	2	11
Discharged improved .....	15	4	19
Discharged unimproved .....	1	2	3
Died .....	2	..	2
Remaining June 30, 1907.....	8	8	16
Total.....	35	16	51

Percentage recovered .....	21.568
Percentage improved .....	37.255
Percentage unimproved .....	5.883
Percentage died .....	3.922
Percentage remaining June 30, 1907.....	31.372
Total.....	100.000

Women confined .....	..
Number of visits by Visiting Staff.....	10
Number of major operations performed.....	2

## Causes of Dependency of Patients Admitted to the Reception Hospital, Coney Island, During Second Quarter, 1907.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Sickness .....	35	16	51

Number of days treatment afforded.....	296
Average per diem .....	4
Number of days board provided for employees from March 31, 1907, to June 30, 1907 .....	689
Average per diem.....	9

Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of institution.....	\$1.26940
Per capita cost per diem for provisions alone, patients and employees.....	.42851
Per capita cost per diem for entire maintenance of patients alone.....	4.22418
Per capita cost per diem of drugs for inmates.....	.17223
Per capita cost salaries.....	1.72983

## Expenditures.

Provisions .....	\$422 08
Fuel .....	23 44
Repairs .....	79
Clothing .....	2 85
Salaries .....	512 03
Drugs .....	50 98
Transportation .....	185 86
Incidentals and sundries .....	52 33
Total.....	\$1,250 36

## REPORT OF THE BUREAU OF DEPENDENT ADULTS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

August 5, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, New York City:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit my report for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

As the tabulated report will show, there were 33 applications for the commitment of children to institutions during the quarter. Of these 18 were approved for commitment, 1 referred to private charities, 13 were disapproved unconditionally, and 1 pending at close of quarter.

Of the number of approved applications, permits for 4 were not called for. Of the number becoming public charges, 4 were committed last quarter, but refused admission to institutions on account of epidemic. The total number of investigations for reacceptance for children in institutions was 29.

The number of discharges of children applied for and investigated was 15. Of this number 7 were approved and 8 enforced.

The part payment toward the payment of children in institutions is not as good as might be by reason of the parents not having regular employment. The number of children committed to institutions by the Department and the Courts during the quarter was 25. Of this number 7 were committed by the Court. The number of children remaining in institutions at close of quarter is 174.

One child was discharged from family and placed in free home, thus leaving the number boarding in families at close of quarter 16.

The children boarding in families and those placed in free homes have been visited once in each month. The cost of clothing (summer) for children boarding in families was \$256.97.

The cases in abandonment and bastardy proceedings have been prosecuted vigorously.

A new card system, the same as used in the Department in Manhattan, was installed in this office June 1. Since then all cases reported as City charges by the hospitals have been investigated.

May 3, 1907, this bureau was furnished by the Department with a horse, harness and buggy, which has greatly facilitated the investigating.

Respectfully submitted,

JEREMIAH CONNELLY, Superintendent.

## Commitment of Children.

Number of applications for the commitment of children pending March 31, 1907.....	..
Number of applications for the commitment of children received during the quarter ending June 30, 1907.....	33

Total number of applications under consideration during the quarter. 33

Number of applications approved for commitment.....	18
Number referred to private charities.....	..
Number disapproved and referred to private charities.....	1
Number disapproved unconditionally.....	13
Number pending at close of quarter.....	1
Total.....	33

Of the number of approved applications, permits for the commitment of four (4) children were not called for.

The applications disapproved were disapproved for the following reasons:

Non-residents .....	3
Immigrants .....	..
Unknown at address given.....	..
Insufficient information .....	..
Able to pay full board and referred to institution.....	1
Able to support children at home.....	11
Total.....	15

Of the number of applications approved, the following actually became public charges in institutions, distributed as follows:

Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	3
Five Points House of Industry.....	5
Mission of Immaculate Virgin.....	10
Total.....	18

Of the number becoming public charges, 4 were committed last quarter, but refused admittance to institution on account of epidemic.

## Reinvestigation of Children in Institutions.

Total number of investigations made during the quarter.....	29
Approved to remain indefinitely.....	16
Approved to remain for a year or longer.....	..
Approved to remain for a period less than a year.....	5
Unable to locate at address given.....	3
Disapproved for further retention as a public charge.....	..
Referred to Catholic Home Bureau for indenture.....	3
Referred to Children's Aid Society for indenture.....	2
Total.....	29

## Discharge of Children from Public Support in Institutions and Families.

Number of discharges of children applied for and investigated.....	15
Of these there were:	
Approved .....	7
Enforced .....	8
Disapproved .....	..
Pending at close of quarter.....	..
Total.....	15

## Part Payments by Parents or Relatives.

Number of children committed during the quarter for whom part payment was required .....	10
Total number of parents making part payments toward the support of children during the quarter .....	7

Total amount received by months during the quarter in part payment for the support of children during the quarter:

April .....	\$30 50
May .....	45 50
June .....	65 50
Total.....	\$141 50

## Number of Children Remaining in Institutions and Families as Public Charges at Close of the Quarter.

Name.	Com- mitted by Courts.	Committed by Depart- ment.	Surren- dered.	Remain- ing June 30, 1907.
Colored Orphan Asylum.....	3	2	1	4
Dominican Convent.....	..	7	..	7
Five Points House of Industry.....	3	5	1	7
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	..	2	..	2
Mission of Immaculate Virgin.....	15	99	13	101
Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis..	1	10	4	7
New York Catholic Protectory.....	9	..	1	8
New York Infant Asylum.....	..	1	..	1
*New York Institute for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	..	8	..	8
New York Juvenile Asylum.....	6	..	..	6
St. Michael's Home.....	5	13	..	18
†St. Joseph's Institute for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	..	4	..	4
‡Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children .....	..	1	..	1
	42	152	20	174
Families .....	..	17	1	16
Total.....	42	169	21	190

\* Two County and six State pupils. † Two County and two State pupils. ‡ One State pupil.

Dependent children in institutions March 31, 1907.....	169
Dependent children committed to institutions since March 31, 1907.....	25
Total .....	194
Dependent children discharged from institutions since March 31, 1907.....	20
Dependent children remaining in institutions June 30, 1907.....	174



Of the number of children committed to institutions during the quarter, 7 were committed by the courts and 18 by the department.

Dependent children boarding in families March 31, 1907..... 17  
Dependent children committed to board in families since March 31, 1907.... ..  
Total ..... 17

Dependent children discharged from families since March 31, 1907..... ..  
Dependent children transferred from families to "Free Home"..... 1

Dependent children remaining in families June 30, 1907..... 16  
Dependent children boarding in families visited..... 17

## Abandonment Proceedings.

Warrants pending March 31, 1907..... 9  
Requisitions for warrants issued since..... 24  
Total ..... 33

## Disposition.

Convictions ..... 4  
Dismissed (most cases wife not appearing)..... 19  
Warrants pending June 30, 1907..... 10  
Total..... 33

## Bastardy Proceedings.

Warrants pending March 31, 1907..... 3  
Requisitions for warrants issued during the quarter..... 2  
Total..... 5

## Disposition.

Marriage ..... 1  
Conviction ..... ..  
Pending June 30, 1907..... 4  
Total..... 5

## Receipts.

Balance on hand March 31, 1907 (abandonment)..... \$20 00  
Receipts for quarter ending June 30, 1907..... 284 00  
Balance on hand March 31, 1907 (bastardy)..... \$93 00  
Receipts for quarter ending June 30, 1907..... 241 50  
Part payment for support of dependent children during quarter..... 141 50  
Part payment for support of aged and infirm..... 23 00  
For clothing of patients at Craig Colony..... 32 25  
For insane examinations..... 30 00  
Total ..... \$865 25

## Disbursements.

Abandonment proceedings..... \$284 00  
Bastardy proceedings ..... 246 50  
Part payment for support of dependent children..... 141 50  
Part payment for support of aged and infirm..... 23 00  
For clothing of patients at Craig Colony..... 32 25  
For insane examinations..... 30 00  
Total..... 757 25

Cash on hand June 30, 1907..... \$108 00

Items—  
Abandonment ..... \$20 00  
Bastardy ..... 88 00  
Total..... \$108 00

Miscellaneous visits and investigations..... 121  
G. A. R. investigations..... 6

Represented department in court (times)..... 127  
Total..... 15

## Insane.

Examinations chargeable to City..... 8  
Examinations paid for by relatives..... 2

Patients committed to Manhattan State Hospital, Ward's Island..... 7  
Patients examined and declared "not insane"..... 3  
Total..... 10

## Permits.

Permits issued for admission of destitute to the New York City Farm Colony 27  
Burial permits issued for the interment of poor and strangers in Potter's Field 15

## The S. R. Smith Infirmary.

The number of patients (City charges) remaining March 31, 1907..... 77  
The number of patients (City charges) admitted during quarter..... 302  
Total..... 379  
The number of patients (City charges) discharged during quarter..... 284  
The number of patients (City charges) remaining June 30, 1907..... 95

## St. Vincent's Hospital (Branch).

The number of patients (City charges) remaining March 31, 1907..... 134  
The number of patients (City charges) admitted during quarter..... 247  
Total ..... 381  
The number of patients (City charges) discharged during quarter..... 290  
The number of patients (City charges) remaining June 30, 1907..... 91

## Referred.

Referred to Bureau of Dependent Adults, New York City, the following cases—  
Feeble-minded ..... 2  
Facial erysipelas ..... 2  
Total ..... 4

Respectfully submitted,  
JEREMIAH CONNELLY, Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE NEW YORK CITY FARM COLONY.

July 8, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to herewith submit my report of the New York City Farm Colony for the quarter ending June 30, 1907.

The following repairs and improvements have been made during the quarter:

In the men's main dormitory the following changes have been made:

The room over the office, formerly used by the employees as a sleeping room, has been entirely renovated and is now used as an emergency ward, it being more convenient for the patients to use the baths and the toilets. Pajamas have been distributed to the sick, making them more comfortable, thus giving the ward a cheerful appearance. The room formerly used as an emergency ward has been renovated and made into a reading and writing room which the inmates of the home have never enjoyed before, and for which they are very grateful.

All the beds in the main dormitory have been painted and enameled, giving the wards a very clean appearance.

The roof on the stable is now being overhauled; new gutters and leaders which were badly needed have been supplied.

At the storehouse building the following repairs have been made: Owing to the unsafe condition of the floors, it was necessary to brace them with a 6 by 8-inch pine beam, putting it now in a more safe condition, also a new tin roof has been laid, in place of the old one, which leaked badly doing quite some damage every time it rained; new gutters and leaders have also been placed where needed.

In the old stone building the following rooms have been painted and whitewashed: the clothesroom, seamstress' sewing room, tailor shop, shoemaker room, laundry and the boiler room, giving the building a neat and tidy appearance, also the room on the first floor, used by the farmer for the storing of seeds and tools which have been removed to the shed, adjoining the paint shop, has been entirely renovated, and now used by employees for sleeping purposes.

At the pumping station the boiler has been thoroughly overhauled, and a new smoke stack erected.

A painted new picket fence, with new posts, has been built around the garden farm, and also inclosing the Superintendent's house from the main farm, giving the Colony a cheerful appearance.

The entire institution has been equipped with the "Utica Fire Extinguishers" placed in all the buildings throughout the Colony.

The stand pipes at the cottages have been removed from the inside of closets to a more convenient place where they can be easily got at in case of fire.

The cottages A B and C at the present time are being replastered, by the firm that the contract has been awarded to; the windows in cottage C have been screened, making all the cottages the same; the porches on cottages A B and C have also been screened, making it very comfortable for the old folks. Board pathways have been laid in front of the three cottages, and also grass plots have been laid, giving the cottages a neat genteel appearance.

Earthen pipes have been laid leading from the stables, and also from several springs to carry the drainage have been completed. Also all unnecessary excavations are now being filled in, giving the grounds a more finished appearance.

The inmates, this quarter, mostly have been employed on the farm, which is in a flourishing condition.

On Wednesday, May 8, we shipped our first shipment of vegetables, showing more progress than last year, the date for the first shipment last year being June 15; we are also busily engaged harvesting rye, which is of an excellent quality.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY JETTER, Superintendent.

## Quarterly Report For the Three Months Ending June 30, 1907.

Number of inmates remaining March 31, 1907 ..... 305  
Number of inmates admitted during the quarter ..... 62  
Total ..... 367

Number of inmates discharged ..... 62  
Number of inmates died ..... 5  
Number of inmates transferred to other institutions ..... 5  
Total ..... 72

Number of inmates remaining June 30, 1907 (officials 1, employees 34) ..... 312

Total number of officials, employees and inmates remaining June 30, 1907..... 312

Dead wagon calls ..... 18  
Ambulance calls ..... 7

## Potter's Field.

Number of burials ..... 23  
Number of coffins furnished for inmates ..... 5  
Number of coffins furnished for poor or strangers ..... 18  
Total number furnished..... 23

## Coroner's Cases.

Dead bodies received at the Morgue (Coroner's cases) ..... 7  
Identified and interred in Potter's Field ..... 3  
Unidentified and interred in Potter's Field ..... 4

## Insane.

Number of patients received at pavilion for examination ..... 9  
Committed to Manhattan State Hospital ..... 5  
Certified to as sane by Medical Examiners ..... 4  
Cost of clothing ..... \$27 00

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY JETTER, Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE GENERAL DRUG DEPARTMENT.

July 1, 1907.

Hon. ROBERT W. HEBBERD, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities, New York City:

Sir—I have the honor to submit herewith my report of the second quarter of the current year.

Regular and special requisitions for medical and surgical supplies have been filed for the following institutions, viz.:

City Hospital, Blackwell's Island ..... \$4,636 74  
New York City Training School for Nurses ..... 34 17  
New York City Home for the Aged, Blackwell's Island ..... 1,213 03  
Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island ..... 4,442 88  
Randall's Island Hospitals, Randall's Island ..... 1,251 07  
Kings County Hospitals and Dependencies ..... 4,435 59



Richmond Farm Colony .....	38 75
Municipal Lodging House .....	28 58
Steamboats .....	6 11
General Drug Department .....	209 91
Total .....	\$16,296 83

The repairs to surgical instruments and apparatus amounted to \$245.92. The preparation of sterilized catgut for the hospitals has been continued, and the Manufacturing Bureau has turned out a great variety of pharmaceutical preparations. These comprise 385 gallons fluid extracts and tinctures, 1,270 gallons liniments, 705 gallons elixirs and syrups, 329 gallons mixtures, 328 pounds ointments and numerous other articles.

Various analyses have been made of supplies received and of such other articles and materials as were referred to the undersigned by the General Storekeeper.

Very respectfully,  
D. E. ROELKEY, Chemist.

### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York, October 7, 1907.

Inclosed is eligible list for the position of Plan Examiner, which is to be published in the CITY RECORD.

### ELIGIBLE LIST FOR THE POSITION OF PLAN EXAMINER—TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Established October 4, 1907.

	Per Cent.
1. Curtiss, Samuel (veteran), No. 59 Willett street, Jamaica, Long Island....	76.50
2. Caird, John D., No. 15 Madison street, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.....	98.50
3. Vander Koogh, Herman, No. 255 Halsey street, Brooklyn.....	95.50
4. Larke, Richard A., Twelfth avenue and Sixty-eighth street, Brooklyn....	93.60
5. Shanahan, John J., No. 428 East Fifty-eighth street.....	93.00
6. Herlihy, Patrick, No. 320 East Ninetieth street.....	93.00
7. Goldner, Abram H., No. 305 East Seventy-ninth street.....	92.20
8. Pfaff, Charles H., No. 605 Ralph street, Ridgewood Heights, Long Island..	92.20
9. Scheibel, Henry, No. 29 Melrose street, Brooklyn.....	91.00
10. Sheppard, Charles, No. 467 Grove street, Ridgewood, Long Island.....	90.50
11. Noonan, Joseph E., No. 669 Second avenue.....	90.00
12. Green, Thomas, No. 677 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.....	89.30
13. Uhr, Philip E., No. 242 East Seventy-first street.....	89.20
14. Hoag, George L., No. 326 Sixtieth street, Brooklyn.....	89.00
15. Harris, Henry G., No. 3 East Seventeenth street.....	89.50
16. Jaffy, Charles, No. 1471 Fifth avenue.....	88.20
17. Leon, Leslie L., No. 183 West Eighty-eighth street.....	88.10
18. Cahoon, Frederic H., No. 138 West Sixty-second street.....	88.00
19. McArdle, Michael J., No. 1469 Seventy-third street, Brooklyn.....	87.20
20. Jacobowitz, Milton I., No. 158 Diamond street, Brooklyn.....	86.00
21. Mintram, Eugene S., No. 113 Fort Greene place, Brooklyn.....	85.80
22. Daly, Thomas P., No. 227 Meeker avenue, Brooklyn.....	85.80
23. Neumann, Robert F., No. 1226 Tinton avenue, The Bronx.....	85.70
24. Harris, Maurice, No. 1 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street.....	85.50
25. Abseck, Louis H., No. 591 Hopkinson avenue, Brooklyn.....	84.70
26. Salter, William, No. 445 Third street, Brooklyn.....	84.60
27. Farren, William A., No. 275 Hicks street, Brooklyn.....	84.50
28. Schuman, Isidore, No. 72 Columbia street.....	84.40
29. Engelhardt, Henry L., No. 110 East Ninety-sixth street.....	84.20
30. O'Neil, Francis, No. 210 West Twenty-first street.....	84.00
31. Robinson, John G., No. 2270 Bathgate avenue, The Bronx.....	83.30
32. MacDermott, Leo J., No. 226 East Thirty-ninth street.....	83.20
33. Delaney, John, No. 84 Third street, Long Island City.....	83.20
34. Claffin, Ward W., No. 325 Eightieth street, Brooklyn.....	82.40
35. Solomon, Isidore, No. 71 Mangin street.....	82.20
36. Kremp, August J., No. 35 Sutter avenue, Middle Village, Long Island....	81.00
37. Carey, Charles J., No. 843 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street.....	80.80
38. Zuckerman, Emil, No. 351 East Eighty-third street.....	80.80
39. Glanz, Frank, No. 192 Leland avenue, The Bronx.....	80.40
40. Krimont, Arnold, No. 215 East Sixty-ninth street.....	80.40
41. Greenberg, Abraham B., No. 5 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street..	80.40
42. Weindorf, Arthur, No. 105 East avenue, Long Island City.....	80.30
43. Riggs, John T., No. 418 Fourth street, Brooklyn.....	79.20
44. Popkin, Charles, No. 1450 Madison avenue, care of S. Schulgasser.....	79.00
45. Mackin, Harry J., No. 150 Hicks street, Brooklyn.....	79.00
46. O'Brien, James J., No. 1772 Sedgwick avenue, The Bronx.....	78.50
47. McLaughlin, Peter J., No. 427 West Fifty-seventh street.....	77.30
48. Clifford, Edward L., No. 164 Barclay street, Flushing, Long Island.....	76.20
49. Marble, Charles B., No. 56 Anderson avenue, Port Richmond, Staten Island	76.00
50. Frankel, Isador, No. 338 East Ninety-sixth street.....	75.50
51. Schofer, Louis J., No. 819 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street....	75.50
52. Shaub, Mitchell, No. 2 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street, care of Tager .....	75.20
53. Jones, Williamson, Henderson avenue, Staten Island.....	75.00
54. Hackett, George, No. 53 Elinor place, Yonkers.....	73.00
55. Faulder, Alfred J., No. 356 West Twenty-third street.....	72.60
56. Domidion, William G., No. 335 Second avenue.....	72.60
57. Cannella, Pasquale, No. 81-a Hull street, Brooklyn.....	72.50
58. Hudner, William R., No. 128 South Fulton avenue, Mt. Vernon, N. Y....	72.50
59. Sheinart, Louis A., No. 944 Stebbins avenue, The Bronx.....	72.20
60. McCarthy, Edward J., No. 418 East Sixteenth street, Brooklyn.....	72.20
61. Hauser, William, Castleton Corners, Staten Island.....	71.60
62. O'Brien, John R., No. 188 East End avenue.....	71.50
63. Morris, Henry, No. 864 Fourth avenue, College Point, Long Island.....	71.20
64. Reynolds, George W., No. 135 Hopkinson avenue, Brooklyn.....	70.90
65. Holbert, James B., No. 11 Post avenue, Port Richmond, Staten Island....	70.80
66. Snyder, Samuel L., No. 742 Sixth street.....	70.40
67. Franke, John C., No. 146 West One Hundred and Third street.....	70.30
68. O'Connor, William J., No. 1890 Cedar avenue, The Bronx.....	70.00
69. Tucker, Robert J., No. 495 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street.....	70.00

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

### CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

#### BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

October 7—Three resolutions, of which the following are copies, were adopted by the Board on October 3, 1907:

Resolved, That William J. Elson, residing at No. 306 Stuyvesant avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Clerk in the service of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, at a compensation at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, until otherwise ordered. Said appointment to take effect October 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the resignation of William Nelson Mead, dated September 18, 1907, from the position of Clerk in the service of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, be and it is hereby accepted, to take effect September 30, 1907.

Resolved, That Thomas Durkin, residing

at No. 1510 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Clerk in the service of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, at a compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum, until otherwise ordered. Said appointment to take effect October 1, 1907.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

October 7—Removals, resignations, etc., of temporary Clerks, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, taking effect on the dates mentioned:

##### Manhattan.

Francis J. Merz, No. 145 West Sixty-second street, New York; removed at close of business October 5; failed to report.

Thomas R. McGann, No. 130 West Sixty-third street, New York; removed at close of business October 5; failed to report.

Oswald B. Strong, No. 263 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn; appointed October 7.

#### The Bronx.

Joseph V. McKiernan, One Hundred and Seventieth street and Inwood avenue; removed October 7; absence without leave.

#### Brooklyn.

Max Ury, No. 460 East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, New York; resigned October 4.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

October 7—August DeWitt, Janitor of Public School 73, Borough of Queens, died July 29, 1907.

#### CITY MAGISTRATE'S COURT, SECOND DIVISION.

September 30—Appointment by the Board of City Magistrates of the Second Division of Emma E. Polhamus of No. 599 Halsey street, Brooklyn, N. Y., as a Probation Officer of the City Magistrates' Courts, in and for the Borough of Richmond, at a salary of \$600 per annum, such appointment to take effect October 1, 1907.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

October 7—The Commissioner has appointed Lewis Steinert of No. 148 East Fifty-fourth street, Manhattan, to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, compensation to be at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, said appointment to take effect at once.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

##### Borough of The Bronx.

October 7—Transfer of Richard E. Quirk, No. 260 Willis avenue, Stationary Engineer, from this Department to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, to take effect October 7.

#### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

October 7—John McCue, No. 46 Prospect street, Brooklyn, is reassigned to duty as a Laborer at 28½ cents per hour.

#### BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

##### Borough of Manhattan.

October 1—William G. Roberts transferred from position of Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, to the same position in this Bureau.

Fred H. Dewey, Assistant Engineer, resigned.

#### BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

October 8—The Board has made the following appointments:

Joseph W. O'Meara, No. 311 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Axeman, \$840, October 1.

William Findlay, No. 371 Convent avenue, Topographical Draughtsman, \$1,200, October 1.

John Maloney, Locust street, Babylon, Topographical Draughtsman, \$1,200, October 3.

Robert F. Kief, No. 2196 Eighth avenue, Topographical Draughtsman, \$1,200, October 1.

Carl Huhne, No. 35 Hone street, Kingston, N. Y., Office Boy, \$25 per month, September 23.

John H. Briscoe, Babylon, L. I., Stoker, \$3 per diem, October 3.

Charles F. Werber, No. 843 Glenmore avenue, Brooklyn, Clerk, \$1,050, October 7.

Maurice Kann, No. 334 East Houston street, Clerk, \$1,050, October 7.

Charles E. Tracy, No. 2069 Pacific street, Brooklyn, Clerk, \$1,350, October 8.

The services of John Maloney as Rodman to this Board terminated October 2, 1907, he having been appointed Topographical Draughtsman to this Board.

#### TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

October 7—Reinstated Max Rubin, No. 1360 Boston road, New York City, Clerk, salary \$1,050 per annum. This reinstatement to take effect on October 5, 1907.

Resigned, Louis Herskowitz, No. 14 Avenue D, New York City, Inspector of Tenements, salary \$1,200 per annum. This resignation to take effect at the close of business on October 10, 1907.

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office—Bureau of Licenses, }  
New York, October 8, 1907.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor in the week ending, Saturday, October 5, 1907.

##### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, September 30.....	128	\$355 25
Tuesday, October 1.....	154	2,463 75
Wednesday, October 2.....	188	424 00
Thursday, October 3.....	243	574 50
Friday, October 4.....	222	1,645 50
Saturday, October 5.....	115	259 75
Totals.....	1,050	\$5,722 75

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, September 30.....	40	\$140 00
Tuesday, October 1.....	22	94 00
Wednesday, October 2.....	42	151 50
Thursday, October 3.....	71	230 25
Friday, October 4.....	51	212 00
Saturday, October 5.....	41	185 75
Totals.....	268	\$1,013 50

#### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, September 30.....	31	\$99 50
Tuesday, October 1.....	..	..
Wednesday, October 2.....	..	..
Thursday, October 3.....	..	..
Friday, October 4.....	27	86 00
Saturday, October 5.....	14	30 50
Totals.....	72	\$216 00

#### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, September 30.....	6	\$14 00
Tuesday, October 1.....	7	24 00
Wednesday, October 2.....	..	..
Thursday, October 3.....	..	..
Friday, October 4.....	1	4 00
Saturday, October 5.....	1	8 00
Totals.....	15	\$50 00

JOHN P. CORRIGAN,  
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.



### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

#### CITY OFFICES.

##### MAYOR'S OFFICE.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor.  
Frank M. O'Brien, Secretary.  
William A. Willis, Executive Secretary.  
James A. Rierdon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

##### BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
Patrick Derry, Chief of Bureau.

##### BUREAU OF LICENSES.

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau  
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. Gaetano D'Amato, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Daniel J. Griffin, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Branch Office, Richmond Borough Hall, Room 23, New Brighton, S. I.; William R. Woelfe, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.  
Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

##### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 207, No. 280 Broadway, 5th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 1942 Worth.  
The Mayor, the Comptroller, ex-officio, Commissioners John F. Cowan (President), William H. Ten Eyck, John J. Ryan and John F. Windolph; Harry W. Walker, Secretary; Walter H. Sears, Chief Engineer.

##### ARMORY BOARD.

Mayor George B. McClellan, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Patrick F. McGowan, Brigadier-General James McLeer, Brigadier-General George Moore Smith, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Lawson Purdy, Harrie Davis, Secretary, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Chambers and Centre streets.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 3900 Worth.



**ART COMMISSION.**

City Hall, Room 21.  
Telephone call, 1107 Cortlandt.  
Robert W. de Forest, President;  
Vice-President: Howard Mansfield, Secretary; A. Augustus Healy, President of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences; George B. McClellan, Mayor of the City of New York; J. Pierpont Morgan, President of Metropolitan Museum of Art; John Bigelow, President of New York Public Library; F. D. Millet, Painter; John J. Boyle, Sculptor; Arnold W. Brunner, Architect; John B. Pine.  
John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

**BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.**

Office, Bellevue Hospital.  
Telephone, 400 Madison Square.  
Board of Trustees: Dr. John W. Brannan, President; James K. Paulding, Secretary; Arden M. Robbins, Samuel Sachs, Leopold Stern, Theodore E. Tack, Myles Tierney, Robert W. Hebbard, ex-officio.  
General Medical Superintendent, S. T. Armstrong, M. D.

**BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**

No. 11 City Hall, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 10 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.  
Patrick F. McGowan, President.  
F. J. Scully, City Clerk.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.  
Antonio Zucca.  
Paul Weimann.  
James H. Kennedy.  
William H. Jasper, Secretary.  
Telephone, 29, 30 and 31 Worth.

**BOARD OF ELECTIONS.**

Headquarters, General Office, No. 107 West Forty first street.  
Commissioners—John T. Dooling (President)  
Charles B. Page (Secretary), John Maguire, Rudolph C. Fuller.  
A. C. Allen, Chief Clerk.

**BOROUGH OFFICES.**

**Manhattan.**  
No. 112 West Forty-second street.  
William C. Baxter, Chief Clerk.  
**The Bronx.**  
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue (Solingen Building).  
Cornelius A. Bunner, Chief Clerk.  
**Brooklyn.**  
No. 42 Court street (Temple Bar Building).  
George Russell, Chief Clerk.  
**Queens.**  
No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.  
Carl Voegel, Chief Clerk.  
**Richmond.**  
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.  
Alexander M. Ross, Chief Clerk.  
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.**

The Mayor, Chairman; the Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Borough of Manhattan, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, President of the Borough of The Bronx, President of the Borough of Queens, President of the Borough of Richmond.

**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.**

No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth.  
Joseph Haag, Secretary; William M. Lawrence, Assistant Secretary. Charles V. Adee, Clerk to Board.

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER.**

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer, No. 277 Broadway, Room 1408. Telephone, 2281 Worth.  
Arthur S. Tuttle, Engineer in charge Division of Public Improvements, No. 277 Broadway, Room 1408. Telephone, 2281 Worth.  
Harry P. Nichols, Engineer in charge Division of Franchises, No. 277 Broadway, Room 801. Telephone, 2282 Worth.

**BOARD OF EXAMINERS.**

Rooms 6027 and 6028 Metropolitan Building, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 5840 Gramercy.  
Warren A. Conover, Charles Buek, Lewis Harding, Charles G. Smith, Edward F. Croker, Henry R. Marshall and George A. Just, Chairman.  
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.  
Board meeting every Tuesday at 2 p. m.

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Herman A. Metz, Comptroller.  
Francis K. Pendleton, Corporation Counsel.  
Lawson Purdy, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.  
Henry J. Storrs, Chief Clerk, Finance Department, No. 280 Broadway.  
Telephone, 1200 Worth.

**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.**

Office, No. 209 Broadway.  
J. Edward Simmons, Charles N. Chadwick, Charles A. Shaw, Commissioners.  
Thomas Hassett, Secretary.  
J. Waldo Smith, Chief Engineer

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Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 280 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone 4315 Worth.  
John Purroy Mitchel, Philip B. Gaynor, Commissioners.

**CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.**

**TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.**  
Office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City.  
Commissioners—William E. Stillings, George C. Norton, Oscar S. Bailey.

Lamont McLoughlin, Clerk.  
Regular advertised meetings on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week at 2 o'clock p. m.

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City Hall, Rooms 11, 12; 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.  
F. J. Scully, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.  
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**CITY RECORD OFFICE.**

**BUREAU OF PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.**  
Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row, Entrance, Room 807, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 1505 and 1506 Cortlandt. Supply Room, No. 2 City Hall.  
Patrick J. Tracy, Supervisor; Henry McMillen, Deputy Supervisor; C. McKemie, Secretary.

**COMMISSIONER OF LICENSES.**

Office, No. 277 Broadway.  
John N. Bogart, Commissioner.  
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Telephone, 2828 Worth.

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Office of Secretary, Room 12, Stewart Building.  
Telephone, 1200 Worth.

**DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.**

Nos. 13-21 Park Row.  
James W. Stevenson, Commissioner.  
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Telephone, 6080 Cortlandt

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.**

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No. 148 East Twentieth street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 1047 Gramercy.  
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Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.  
Telephone, 300 Rector.  
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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**  
Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. (in the month of August 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.); Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 4580 Plaza.  
Richard H. Adams, Richard B. Aldcroft, Jr., Grosvenor H. Backus, Nicholas J. Barrett, Joseph E. Cosgrove, Francis P. Cunneen, Thomas M. DeLaney, Samuel B. Donnelly, Horace E. Dreser, A. Leo Everett, Joseph Nicola Francolini, George Freifeld, John Greene, George J. Gillespie, George D. Hamlin, M. D.; Robert L. Harrison, Louis Haupt, M. D.; Thomas J. Higgins, Arthur Hollick, Charles H. Ingalls, Nathan S. Jonas, Hugo Kanzler, John C. Kelley, Alrick H. Man, Clement March, Mitchell May, Dennis J. McDonald, M. D.; Thomas J. O'Donohue, Frank H. Partridge, George E. Payne, George W. Schaele, Henry H. Sherman, Abraham Stern, M. Samuel Stern, Cornelius J. Sullivan, Rupert B. Thomas, John R. Thompson, George A. Vandenhoff, John A. Wilbur, William N. Wilmer, Frank D. Wilsey, George W. Wingate, Egerton L. Winthrop, Jr., members of the Board. (Three vacancies).  
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John I. McDonough and William H. Loughran, Deputy Receivers of Taxes.

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

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

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

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Borough of Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton.

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

James J. Donovan, Jr., Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Brooklyn—Mechanics' Bank Building corner Court and Montague streets.

William E. Melody, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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

Patrick E. Leahy, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Richmond—St. George, New Brighton.

George Brand, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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James H. Baldwin, Deputy Superintendent of Markets.

David O'Brien, Deputy Collector of City Revenue

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James J. Martin, City Chamberlain.

John H. Campbell, Deputy Chamberlain.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.**

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Bureau of Burial and Contagious Disease Offices all ways open.

Telephone, 4900 Columbus.

Thomas Darlington, M. D., Commissioner of Health and President.

Alvah H. Doty, M. D., Theodore A. Bingham, Commissioners.

Eugene W. Scheffer, Secretary.

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James McC. Miller, Chief Clerk.

Sanitary Superintendent.

William H. Guilfoyle, M. D., Registrar of Records.

Borough of Manhattan.

Alonzo Blauvelt, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent; George A. Roberts, Assistant Chief Clerk.

Charles J. Burke, M. D., Assistant Registrar of Records.

Borough of The Bronx, No. 373 Third avenue.

Charles F. Spencer, M. D., Acting Assistant Sanitary Superintendent; Ambrose Lee, Jr., Assistant Chief Clerk; Arthur J. O'Leary, M. D., Assistant Registrar of Records.

Borough of Brooklyn, Nos. 38 and 40 Clinton street

Traverse R. Maxfield, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent; Alfred T. Metcalfe, Assistant Chief Clerk; S. J. Byrne, M. D., Assistant Registrar of Records.

Borough of Queens, Nos. 372 and 374 Fulton street Jamaica.

John P. Moore, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent; George R. Crowley, Assistant Chief Clerk; Robert Campbell, M. D., Assistant Registrar of Records.

Borough of Richmond, Nos. 54 and 56 Water street Stapleton, Staten Island.

John T. Sprague, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent; Charles E. Hoyer, Assistant Chief Clerk; J. Walter Wood, M. D., Assistant Registrar of Records.

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**

Samuel Parsons, Jr., Acting Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and President Park Board.  
M. F. Loughman, Secretary.

Offices, Arsenal, Central Park.  
Telephone, 201 Plaza.  
Michael J. Kennedy, Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
Offices, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.  
Telephone, 3300 South.

Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx.  
Office, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.  
Telephone, 998 Tremont.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.****CENTRAL OFFICE.**

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 12 m.  
Telephone, 3350 Madison Square.  
Robert W. Hebbard, Commissioner.  
Richard C. Baker, First Deputy Commissioner.  
James J. McInerney, Second Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 327 to 331 Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn.  
J. McKee Borden, Secretary.  
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 12 m.  
Bureau of Dependent Adults, foot of East Twenty-sixth street. Office hours, 8.30 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
The Children's Bureau, No. 66 Third avenue. Office hours, 8.30 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Jeremiah Connelly, Superintendent for Richmond Borough, Borough Hall, St. George, Staten Island.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3863 Cortlandt.  
Walter Bense, M. D., Commissioner.  
William H. Edwards, Deputy Commissioner.  
John J. O'Brien, Chief Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**

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##### NEW YORK COUNTY.

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Hall of Records. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
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No. 299 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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#### KINGS COUNTY.

##### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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Telephone, 1454 Main.

##### COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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##### COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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##### COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 17, 18, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23; Part II., Room No. 10. Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18 and 22, open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m. to 2 p. m.  
Norman S. Dike and Lewis L. Fawcett, County Judges.  
Charles S. Devoy, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 4154 and 4155 Main.

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
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##### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
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##### REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August; then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute.  
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##### SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, N. Y. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m. to 2 p. m.  
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##### SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
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#### QUEENS COUNTY.

##### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Queens County Court-house, Long Island City.  
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##### COUNTY CLERK.

Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.  
Office open, April 1 to October 1, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; October 1 to April 1, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays throughout year until 12 noon.  
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##### COUNTY COURT.

Temporary County Court-house, Long Island City. County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August.  
County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.  
Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
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##### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 17 Cook avenue, Elmhurst.  
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##### SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Herbert S. Harvey, Sheriff.  
John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.

##### SURROGATE.

Office at Jamaica.  
Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open between March 3 and July 1, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays, from 8 a. m. to 12 m.; between July 1 and September 1 from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; on Saturday from 9 a. m. to 12 m. The calendar is called on Tuesday of each week at 10 a. m., except during the month of August, when no court is held, and the court sits every day thereafter until all contested cases have been disposed of.

#### RICHMOND COUNTY.

##### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.  
John J. McCaughey, Assistant Commissioner.  
Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

##### COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
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County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

##### COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1907.  
County Courts—Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge.  
First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury.  
First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of February, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of March, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of May, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of June, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of September, without a jury.  
Fourth Wednesday of October, without a jury.  
Surrogate's Court—Stephen D. Stephens, Surrogate.  
Mondays at the Borough Hall, St. George, 10:30 o'clock a. m.  
Tuesdays at the Borough Hall, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.  
Wednesdays at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

No. 400 Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, S. I.  
Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.  
John J. Kenney, District Attorney.

##### SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
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#### THE COURTS.

##### APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

##### FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 10 a. m.  
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Clerk's Office open at 9 a. m.

##### SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10:15 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33.  
Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room 31.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 27.  
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.  
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.  
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.  
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.  
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.  
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.  
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.  
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Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 15.  
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner, mezzanine floor.  
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southeast corner, second floor.  
Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room north east corner, second floor, east.  
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.  
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).  
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.  
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##### SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Court open daily from 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.  
James F. McGee, General Clerk.  
Telephone, 6070 Main.

##### CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10:30 a. m.  
Peter J. Dooling, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

##### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10 a. m.  
Thomas C. T. Crain, Francis S. McAvoy, Otto A. Rosalsky, Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan and Charles S. Whitman, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. Edward K. Carroll, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
During July and August Clerk's office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.



## CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Part I.  
Part II.  
Part III.  
Part IV.  
Part V.  
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; John Henry McCarty, Lewis J. Conlan, Theodore F. Hascall, Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, William H. Wadhams, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
Telephone, 6142 Cortlandt.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

Court opens at 10 a. m.  
Justices—First Division—John B. McKean, William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo. Charles W. Cullen, Clerk; William M. Fuller, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesday at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursday at 10 o'clock.  
Justices—Howard J. Forker, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

## CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan, Edmund C. Lee, Clerk.  
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn, James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

## CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

## First Division.

Court opens from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
City Magistrates—Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Joseph F. Moss, James J. Walsh, Henry Steinert, Daniel E. Finn, Charles G. F. Wahle, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernochan, Arthur C. Rutts, Otto H. Droege, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herrman.

James McCabe, Secretary, No. 125 Sixth avenue.  
First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.  
Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

## Second Division.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

City Magistrates—Alfred E. Steers, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., James G. Tighe, Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, E. G. Higginbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, Henry J. Furlong, John F. Hylan, Alexander H. Geismar.

President of the Board, Frank E. O'Reilly, No. 249 Manhattan avenue.  
Secretary to the Board, William F. Delaney, No. 495 Gates avenue.

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

Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flatbush).  
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).  
Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey avenue.

## Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Luke I. Connorton, Edmund J. Healy, Eugene C. Gilroy.  
First District—Long Island City.  
Second District—Flushing.  
Third District—Far Rockaway.

## Borough of Richmond.

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

## MUNICIPAL COURTS.

## Borough of Manhattan.

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

Wauhope Lynn, Justice. Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 1371 Spring.

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 J. 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.  
Telephone, 2410 Orchard.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

William F. Moore, Justice. Daniel Williams, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

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.  
Telephone, 4053 Orchard.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of

Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

Benjamin Hoffman, Justice. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2326 Orchard.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 a. m. daily (except legal holidays), and continues open until close of business.

Henry W. Unger, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk.  
Telephone, 4570 Gramercy.

Seventh District—That portion of Nineteenth Ward east of Lexington avenue, bounded on the south by the north side of East Fortieth street and on the north by the south side of East Eighty-sixth street, also that portion bounded on the south by the north side of East Sixty-first street, on the west by the east side of Park avenue, and on the north by the south side of East Sixty-fifth street. 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.  
Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

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 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.

Telephone, 2665 Chelsea.

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

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

Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 3595 Harlem.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street, west of Central Park West to Fifty-ninth street, east on Fifty-ninth street to Seventh avenue, south on Seventh avenue to Fifty-third street, west on Fifty-third street to Eighth avenue, south on Eighth avenue to Fortieth street, north side to Hudson river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

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

Telephone, 1890 Columbus.

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

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

Telephone, 6335 Morningside.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2555 Broadway.

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

Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

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. 264 Madison street.

Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Fourteenth District—The Fourteenth District embraces that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded as follows: Beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue, north on Eighth avenue to West Fifty-third street; east on West Fifty-third street to Seventh avenue; north on Seventh avenue to West Fifty-ninth street to Eighth avenue; north on Eighth avenue and west on Central Park West to the Transverse road at Central Park West and West Ninety-seventh street; east on Transverse road to Fifth avenue and East Ninety-seventh street; south on Fifth avenue to East Ninety-sixth street; east on Ninety-sixth street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Sixty-fifth street; west on East Sixty-fifth street to Park avenue; south on Park avenue to East Sixty-first street; east on East Sixty-first street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Fortieth street; west on East Fortieth street to the point of beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue.

Edgar J. Lauer, Justice. William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.

Court-house, No. 620 Madison avenue.

Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

## 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, Tuesday and Friday of each week.

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

Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 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, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second 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.

Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.

Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue, between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

Philip D. Meagher, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.

Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

Thomas H. Williams, Justice. G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk.

Milton I. Williams, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.

Justice, Lucien S. Bayliss. Charles P. Bible, Clerk.

Court-house, No. 611 Fulton street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.

Alexander S. Rosenthal, Justice. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.

Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Jury Days: Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Telephone, 904 East New York.

## OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Independent."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Free Press."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Tammany Times" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts), "New York Daily News" (Designated by Board of City Record June 19, 1906.

Amended June 20, 1906; July 1, 1907; September 30, 1907.

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, November 20, 1906.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
GEORGE C. NORTON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Clerk.

## BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,  
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Board of City Record meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

PATRICK J. TRACY,  
Supervisor, Secretary.

## OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."

Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."

Weekly—"Democracy," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1906. Amended March 1, 1906, November 20, 1906, and February 20, 1907.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 9.45 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1907.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, MEAT TO THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y., DURING THE YEAR 1907.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1907.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class, as indicated by the specifications.

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

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D.,  
President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
THEODORE A. BINGHAM,  
Board of Health.

Dated September 28, 1907. 828,09

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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, OCTOBER 17, 1907.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before ten days.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN V. COGGEY,  
Commissioner.

Dated October 3, 1907. 04,17

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## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1907,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 30 SETS OF SINGLE DRIVING HARNESS.



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 of each article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per set, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and the award will be made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

W. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated October 3, 1907.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1907,  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOVES AND STOVE SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before November 1, 1907.

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, each, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and the award made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

W. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated October 3, 1907.

05,16

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that written applications for non-competitive examinations for the following positions on the steam dumpers "Cinderella," "Aschenbroedel" and "Ceneretola" in accordance with the rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, will be received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, on the fourteenth floor, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Room 1416, on the Wednesday of each week, at 2 p. m., beginning Wednesday, October 2, 1907:

Masters,  
Mates,  
Marine Enginemen,  
Deckhands,  
Firemen.

W. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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.

WALTER BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

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.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,  
Police Commissioner.

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.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,  
Police Commissioner.

## 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 Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1907.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SPECIAL AND GENERAL SUPPLIES, AS FOLLOWS: DOMESTIC SCIENCE, DRAWING, JANITORS' KINDERGARTEN, MIMOGRAPH, MISCELLANEOUS, NEOSTYLE, PHYSICAL TRAINING, RECORDS, SCIENCE, SEWING, STATIONERY, TYPEWRITING AND WORKSHOP SUPPLIES, FOR THE DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS AND

DAY AND EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1908.

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 classes of items herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item or classes of items, whose sample is equal to the Board sample submitted for inspection or referred to by catalogue number.

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

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

PATRICK JONES,

Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated September 28, 1907.

\$28,011

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2:30 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1907.

FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE EXCAVATION, MASONRY, STEEL AND IRON, ROOFING AND METAL WORK, CARPENTRY, GLAZING, PAINTING, HARDWARE, ELECTRIC WORK AND ALL OTHER WORK (EXCEPT PLUMBING, HEATING, ELEVATOR WORK, ELECTRIC WIRING AND FITTING UP OF THE DIET KITCHENS, DRUG ROOMS AND UTILITY ROOMS), AS SET FORTH IN THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF SIX WARD BUILDINGS OF THE SEA VIEW HOSPITAL, SITUATED ON CERTAIN PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE MANOR ROAD, TOWNSHIP OF CASTLETON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SAID PROPOSED STRUCTURES BEING INTENDED FOR THE USES AND PURPOSES OF THE DEPARTMENT, AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is seven hundred and thirty (730) consecutive calendar days.

The surety required will be Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Raymond F. Almira, Architect, No. 51 Chambers street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,  
Commissioner.

Dated September 27, 1907.

\$28,014

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## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1907.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A SHELTER HOUSE IN NEW LOTS PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be within sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 2. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A SHELTER HOUSE IN FULTON PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be within ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No. 3. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A SHELTER HOUSE IN WINTHROP PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be within one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

No. 4. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A SHELTER AND TENNIS HOUSE IN PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be within one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

05,17

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1907.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY TO WIRE AND LIGHT AND MAKE REPAIRS TO THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ARCH, PROSPECT PARK, BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

SAMUEL PARSONS,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

02,17

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1907.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY TO CONSTRUCT A RUSTIC MASONRY BOUNDARY WALL AROUND SUNSET PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work is within one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is 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.

SAMUEL PARSONS,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

02,17

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1907.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 1. FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO AND PAINTING OF FENCES AROUND PARKS AND ON PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is within thirty consecutive working days.

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

No. 2. FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE VARIOUS ORNAMENTAL STONE ENTRANCES TO PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is within thirty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

\$30,017

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OLD WELL ROTTED HORSE MANURE WHERE REQUIRED ON THE PARKS.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed to deliver the material will be as required before December 31, 1907.

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, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

\$30,010

Dated September 26, 1907.

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND PLANTING TREES AND SHRUBS IN McLAUGHLIN PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is within thirty (30) consecutive working days.

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

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, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

\$28,010

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOPSOIL OR GARDEN MOULD TO PARKS AND PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is within sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

\$28,010

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR COMPLETELY ERECTING AND CONSTRUCTING A COMFORT STATION IN THE BOTANICAL GARDEN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

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

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

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

\$24,010

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS AND LABOR FOR CONSTRUCTING RETAINING WALL ON SPUYTEN DUYVIL PARKWAY, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

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

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, The Bronx.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

\$24,010

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

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



The time allowed for the completion of the contract is within one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).  
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, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

SAMUEL PARSONS, JR.,  
President;  
JOSEPH I. BERRY,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

824,010

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## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1907,

FOR THE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS BRIDGE.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and in accordance with the specifications, within sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to be to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated October 4, 1907.

07,24

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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907,

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE FLOOR AT THE WASHINGTON AVENUE BRIDGE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and in accordance with the specifications, on or before the expiration of four calendar months from date of said certification.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to be to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

J. W. STEVENSON,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated September 26, 1907.

827,010

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## BOROUGH OF QUEENS

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

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1907,

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) CUBIC YARDS OF SAND TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

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

1,500 cubic yards of sand.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, TWO (2) NEW FOUR (4) CYLINDER AUTOMOBILES OF NOT LESS THAN THIRTY (30) HORSE POWER, TO SEAT NOT LESS THAN FIVE (5) PERSONS EACH, 1907 MODEL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the above article will be twenty (20) days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-four Hundred Dollars (\$2,400).

No. 3. FOR REBUILDING THE INTERIOR OF THE QUEENS COUNTY COURT HOUSE AT LONG ISLAND CITY, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, EXCEPTING ALL THAT PROVIDED FOR IN THE PREVIOUS CONTRACT.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred and eighty (180) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, RESIDUUM OIL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the above material and the performance of the contract will be ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The total quantity to be furnished is:

150,000 gallons residuum oil.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot, 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 a total.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.  
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.  
Dated Long Island City, September 30, 1907.

JOSEPH BERMEI,  
President of the Borough of Queens.

830,014

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

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, 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, OCTOBER 23, 1907,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BRADFORD STREET, FROM FULTON STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE.

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

1,770 square yards of asphalt pavement.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

250 cubic yards of concrete.

270 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

790 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GEORGE STREET, FROM EVERGREEN AVENUE TO KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE.

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

6,250 square yards of asphalt pavement.

20 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

870 cubic yards of concrete.

2,810 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

940 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

16 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PARK PLACE, FROM BEDFORD AVENUE TO NOSTRAND AVENUE.

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

8,780 square yards of asphalt pavement.

530 cubic yards of concrete.

750 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

1,200 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

10 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SACKMAN STREET, FROM 100 FEET SOUTH OF EASTERN PARKWAY TO FULTON STREET.

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

950 square yards of asphalt pavement.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

130 cubic yards of concrete.

310 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

260 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

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

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SCHAEFFER STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE.

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

10,250 square yards of asphalt pavement.

40 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

1,430 cubic yards of concrete.

2,200 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

3,950 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

27 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS WITH WOODEN RAIL FENCES, SIX FEET HIGH, IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,312 linear feet of fence.

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

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 500 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1907.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

No. 8. FOR GRADING A LOT ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FORTY-FIRST STREET, BETWEEN SIXTH AVENUE AND SEVENTH AVENUE, KNOWN AS LOT NO. 65, BLOCK 918.

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

905 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

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

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

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 Bureau of Highways, Room 15, Municipal Building, the Borough of Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,

President.

Dated October 7, 1907.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, 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, OCTOBER 16, 1907.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT AND GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENTS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE SOUTH ROADWAY OF ATLANTIC AVENUE, FROM SIXTH AVENUE TO WASHINGTON AVENUE.

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

2,550 square yards of asphalt pavement.

1,540 square yards of granite block pavement with cement joints.

40 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

610 cubic yards of concrete.

1,640 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

30 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

13,670 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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 Five Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CENTRAL PLACE, FROM GREENE AVENUE TO GROVE STREET.

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

2,070 square yards of asphalt pavement.

290 cubic yards of concrete.

640 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

600 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, FROM FIFTH AVENUE TO SIXTH AVENUE.

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

2,400 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

300 cubic yards of concrete.

340 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

1,100 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

7 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF OLIVE PLACE, FROM HERKIMER STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE.

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

1,160 square yards of asphalt pavement.

160 cubic yards of concrete.

420 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

280 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

4 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON PROVBOST STREET, FROM PAIDGE AVENUE TO GREENPOINT AVENUE.

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

4,110 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

1,800 cubic yards of earth excavation.

3,290 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

230 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

19,280 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ST. ANDREW'S PLACE, FROM HERKIMER STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE.

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

1,160 square yards of asphalt pavement.

160 cubic yards of concrete.

415 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

280 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

4 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand One Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF WASHINGTON AVENUE, FROM LAFAYETTE AVENUE TO GREENE AVENUE.

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

2,660 square yards of asphalt pavement.

2,660 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

610 linear feet of new curbstone.

410 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

12,380 square feet of cement concrete sidewalk.

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 Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

13,600 square feet of cement concrete sidewalk.

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 square yard, cubic yard, square foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,

President.

Dated September 30, 1907.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, 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, OCTOBER 9, 1907,

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND RE



# **No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
15,900 square feet of cement concrete sidewalk.  
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

# **No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
14,325 square feet of cement concrete sidewalk.  
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 Nine Hundred Dollars.

# **No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
15,172 square feet of cement concrete sidewalk.  
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 Nine Hundred Dollars.

# **No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
12,355 square feet of cement concrete sidewalk.  
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 14 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,  
President.

Dated September 23, 1907.

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

## **BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.**

### **NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION adopted at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held September 20, 1907, a public hearing will be had on Friday, October 11, 1907, at Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in relation to the application of the several Borough Presidents, departments, boards, officers, corporations and institutions, for appropriations for the year 1908, and the taxpayers of the City are invited to appear and be heard on that day in regard to the appropriations to be made and included in the budget for the year 1908.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary.  
\$24,011

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the public hearing as fixed for this day by resolution duly adopted July 8, 1907, on the application of the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company for a change of the line of its route in the Borough of The Bronx, was opened, and the hearing was continued until Friday, November 1, 1907, at the same time and place, when citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Dated September 20, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary.  
\$24,011

## **DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.**

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

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

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1907.**

### **Borough of Queens.**

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND STORING ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE FOLLOWING AMOUNT: 450 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

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

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, 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, and any further information may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 922, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,  
Commissioner of Water Supply,  
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, October 7, 1907.

\$8,18

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

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

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

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1907.**

### **Borough of Brooklyn.**

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND CONSTRUCTING PIERS FOR TWO BRIDGES OVER THE WANTAGH STREAM, AND TO DO CERTAIN GRADING OF SEAMAN'S ROAD, IN THE TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be seventy-five working days.

The surety required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

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

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,  
Commissioner of Water Supply,  
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, October 5, 1907.

\$7,18

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, CITY OF NEW YORK.

## **NOTICE OF SALE AT AUCTION.**

ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1907, AT 11 o'clock a. m., the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, by William H. Smith, Auctioneer, at the Western District Repair Yard, North Portland avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.,  
75 tons, more or less, old scrap iron.

### **TERMS OF SALE.**

The upset price at which this material will be sold is \$8 per ton.  
No bid below this price will be considered or accepted.

The sale of the material will be based on delivery on the ground, but the purchaser must agree to have the material weighed at the nearest public scale to the point where the material is sold.

Successful bidder must make cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

Bids will be received for only the entire quantity.

The purchaser must remove all the material within thirty days after the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the money paid at the time of sale and the ownership to the material, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the City.

The purchaser must remove the material under the supervision of an employee of the Department, and will not be allowed to select material for removal at will.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,  
Commissioner of Water Supply,  
Gas and Electricity.

\$2,14

## **BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

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

### **BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

List 9241, No. 1. Sewer in Pitkin avenue, between Euclid avenue and Sheridan avenue, and between Grant avenue and Enfield street, and sewer basins at the following points: Northeast and northwest corners of Atkins and Pitkin avenues; northeast and northwest corners of Montauk and Pitkin avenues; northeast and northwest corners of Milford street and Pitkin avenue; northeast and northwest corners of Logan street and Pitkin avenue, and outlet sewers in Crescent street, between Pitkin and Sutter avenues, and in Hemlock street, between Pitkin and Sutter avenues.

List 9281, No. 2. Sewer in Putnam avenue, from Knickerbocker avenue to the borough line of Queens, and outlet sewers in Irving avenue, from Putnam avenue to Palmetto street; in Palmetto street, from Irving avenue to Knickerbocker avenue.

List 9287, No. 3. Sewer in Ashford street, from Pitkin avenue to Blake avenue; Cleveland street, from Pitkin avenue to Blake avenue; Sutter avenue, from Ashford street to Elton street; Blake avenue, between Ashford and Elton streets, and outlet sewers in Ashford street, from Blake avenue to Dumont avenue, and in Cleveland street, from Blake avenue to New Lots avenue.

List 9298, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying sidewalks on Dumont avenue, from Schenck avenue to New Lots road.

List 9356, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Washington avenue, from Gravesend avenue to First street.

List 9405, No. 6. Curbing, recubing, laying cement sidewalks and paving with asphalt on a concrete foundation Eighty-third street, between Second and Third avenues.

List 9420, No. 7. Paving with asphalt on a concrete foundation East Seventeenth street, between Albemarle road and Beverley road.

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

No. 1. Blocks bounded by Logan street, Berriam street, Glenmore avenue and Pitkin avenue; blocks bounded by Railroad avenue, Pine street, Belmont and Sutter avenues; blocks bounded by Sheridan and Euclid avenues, Belmont and Pitkin avenues; blocks bounded by Sheridan avenue, Hemlock street, Pitkin and Conduit avenues; blocks bounded by Hemlock street, Euclid avenue, Pitkin and Glenmore avenues; blocks bounded by Hemlock street, Pine street, Glenmore and Conduit avenues, and blocks bounded by Enfield street, Grant avenue, Conduit avenue and Glenmore avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Irving avenue, from the borough boundary line of Brooklyn and Queens at Eldert street to Gates avenue; both sides of Wyckoff avenue, from Madison street to Palmetto street; both sides of Ridgewood avenue,

from Putnam avenue to Palmetto street; both sides of Palmetto street and Putnam avenue, from Knickerbocker avenue to Wyckoff avenue; both sides of Woodbine street and Madison street, from Irving avenue to Wyckoff avenue; both sides of Cornelia street, Jefferson avenue, Hancock street, Weirfield street and Halsey street, from a point commencing about 252 feet west of Irving avenue to the borough boundary line east of Irving avenue.

No. 3. Blocks bounded by Warwick street and Elton street, Livonia avenue, New Lots avenue and Dumont avenue, Warwick and Elton streets; Dumont and Blake avenues, Warwick and Elton streets, Blake and Sutter avenues, Warwick and Elton streets, Sutter and Belmont avenues, Warwick and Elton streets, Belmont and Pitkin avenues, Warwick and Cleveland streets, Pitkin and Glenmore avenues, and block bounded by Warwick and Ashford streets, Glenmore and Liberty avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Dumont avenue, from Schenck avenue to New Lots road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Washington avenue, from Gravesend avenue to First street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Seventeenth street, from Albemarle road to Beverley road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before November 6, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,  
PAUL WEIMANN,  
JAMES H. KENNEDY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway.  
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,  
October 3, 1907.

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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, OCTOBER 18, 1907.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OFFICIAL AND SAMPLE BALLOTS FOR ELECTION PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the ballots, etc., and the performance of the contract is by or before November 1, 1907.

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.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Board of Elections, at No. 107 West Forty-first street.

JOHN T. DOOLING,  
CHARLES B. PAGE,  
JOHN MAGUIRE,  
RUDOLPH C. FULLER,  
Board of Elections.

A. C. ALLEN,  
Chief Clerk.  
Dated October 3, 1907.

\$8,18

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## **BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**

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

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

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.**

FOR FURNISHING FORTY HORSE-POWER BOILERS AND PUMPS WITH NECESSARY FITTINGS, AND OPERATING THE SAME TO REMOVE THE WATER THEREFROM AT THE INWOOD AVENUE CUT OF THE WEBSTER AVENUE STORM RELIEF TUNNEL SEWER, AND AT SHAFT NO. 2 CONTINUALLY TWENTY-FOUR HOURS PER DAY, AND AT THE WESTERLY END OF THE HIGH BRIDGE CUT FOR EIGHT HOURS PER DAY.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be within thirty days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

LOUIS F. HOFFEN,  
President.

\$28,010

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## **DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1907.**

for a lease of the following described wharf property, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining a dumping board thereon, for a term of five years from a date thirty days after said lease shall be approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Beginning at a point near the intersection of the southerly line of East Ninety-fifth street with the bulkhead wall; thence running southerly along the face of the bulkhead wall a distance of about 197 feet; thence running westerly at right angles to said wall a distance of about 22 feet; thence running northerly parallel to the bulkhead wall a distance of about 84 feet; thence running northeasterly a distance of about 6 feet to a point about 18 feet westerly and at right angles from the bulkhead wall; thence running northerly and parallel with the bulkhead wall a distance of about 109 feet; thence running easterly a distance of about 18 feet to the point of beginning; together with an overhang at the southerly end of same extending about 18 feet outshore or easterly from the face of the bulkhead wall, and extending from the southerly side of the aforesaid structure northerly and parallel with the bulkhead wall a distance of about 85 feet.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease, on wharf property contiguous to the above described premises, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dump, and the Commissioner of Docks agrees to set aside such wharf property under his jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dump. The plans and specifications for said dump and runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries. Any and all structures erected under the terms of the lease shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

There shall be kept posted in at least two conspicuous places on the pier, so that same can be readily seen by passersby from the street, printed in large type, the prices to be charged by the lessee to the public for the privilege of dumping cellar dirt, which prices are also made a condition of the lease, to be not more than 25 cents per cubic yard; and also as follows:

For regular and ordinary dumping carts which contain 2 cubic yards, not exceeding 50 cents.

For an ordinary cellar digger's cart, which contains 1½ cubic yards, not exceeding 35 cents.

For brick trucks, containing between 2½ and 3½ cubic yards, not exceeding 60 cents.

The lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times during said term keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received, the quantity of material dumped thereat, rates charged therefor and names of persons using said dump; said books of account shall at all times during said term be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids; should a

about 18 feet south of the northerly line of said pier, in all a distance of about 36 feet.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease on wharf property contiguous to the above described premises the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dumps, and the Commissioner of Docks agrees to set aside such wharf property under his jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dumps. The plans and specifications for said dumps and runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries. Any and all structures erected under the terms of the lease shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

There shall be kept posted in at least two conspicuous places on the pier so that same can be readily seen by passersby from the street, printed in large type, the prices to be charged by the lessee to the public for the privilege of dumping cellar dirt, which prices are also made a condition of the lease, to be not more than twenty-five cents per cubic yard, and also as follows:

For regular and ordinary dumping carts which contain two cubic yards, not exceeding fifty cents.

For ordinary cellar digger's cart which contains one and one-half cubic yards, not exceeding thirty-five cents.

For brick trucks containing between two and one-quarter and two and one-half cubic yards, not exceeding sixty cents.

The lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times during said term keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received and quantity of material dumped thereat, rates charged therefor and names of persons using said dump; said books of account shall at all times during said term be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids; should a bid, however, be accepted the said Commissioner will prepare a form of lease and transmit same to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund with a recommendation that said lease be approved by said Commissioners. The said form of lease shall contain the usual terms, conditions and covenants at present embodied in leases of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time during the term of said lease as may be considered necessary or proper by the Commissioner of Docks, in the basins or slips or water adjacent to the said premises.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Department of Docks and Ferries at the time of the award five per cent. (5%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which five per cent. (5%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, and the said successful bidder will be required to agree that he will, upon three days' notice so to do, execute a lease, the form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place; and also to furnish a bond or obligation in the sum of double the annual rent for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the sureties on bond to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

J. A. BENDEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated The City of New York, October 7, 1907.

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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 WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks, at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1907.**

for a lease of the following described wharf property, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining a dumping board thereon, for a term of five years from a date thirty days after said lease shall be approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Beginning at a point near the intersection of the southerly line of East Ninety-fifth street with the bulkhead wall; thence running southerly along the face of the bulkhead wall a distance of about 197 feet; thence running westerly at right angles to said wall a distance of about 22 feet; thence running northerly parallel to the bulkhead wall a distance of about 84 feet; thence running northeasterly a distance of about 6 feet to a point about 18 feet westerly and at right angles from the bulkhead wall; thence running northerly and parallel with the bulkhead wall a distance of about 109 feet; thence running easterly a distance of about 18 feet to the point of beginning; together with an overhang at the southerly end of same extending about 18 feet outshore or easterly from the face of the bulkhead wall, and extending from the southerly side of the aforesaid structure northerly and parallel with the bulkhead wall a distance of about 85 feet.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease, on wharf property contiguous to the above described premises, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dump, and the Commissioner of Docks agrees to set aside such wharf property under his jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dump. The plans and specifications for said dump and runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries. Any and all structures erected under the terms of the lease shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

There shall be kept posted in at least two conspicuous places on the pier, so that same can be readily seen by passersby from the street, printed in large type, the prices to be charged by the lessee to the public for the privilege of dumping cellar dirt, which prices are also made a condition of the lease, to be not more than 25 cents per cubic yard; and also as follows:

For regular and ordinary dumping carts which contain 2 cubic yards, not exceeding 50 cents.

For an ordinary cellar digger's cart, which contains 1½ cubic yards, not exceeding 35 cents.

For brick trucks, containing between 2½ and 3½ cubic yards, not exceeding 60 cents.

The lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times during said term keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received, the quantity of material dumped thereat, rates charged therefor and names of persons using said dump; said books of account shall at all times during said term be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids; should a



bid, however, be accepted, the said Commissioner will prepare a form of lease and transmit same to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with a recommendation that said lease be approved by said Commissioners. The said form of lease shall contain the usual terms, conditions and covenants at present embodied in leases of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time, during the term of said lease, as may be considered necessary or proper by the Commissioner of Docks, in the basins or slips or water adjacent to the said premises.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Department of Docks and Ferries at the time of the award five per cent. (5%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which five per cent. (5%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, and the said successful bidder will be required to agree that he will, upon three days' notice so to do, execute a lease, the form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place, and also to furnish a bond or obligation in the sum of double the annual rent for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the sureties on bond to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated The City of New York, October 7, 1907.  
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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1907,

for a lease of the following described wharf property for a term of five years from a date ten days after said lease shall be approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The southerly side of the pier foot of East Sixtieth street, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining, during the term of said lease, a dumping board extending from a line parallel to and about 18 feet north of the southerly line of said pier, foot of East Sixtieth street, to a line 18 feet south of the southerly side of said pier, in all a distance of about 36 feet.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease on wharf property contiguous to the above described premises the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dumps, and the Commissioner of Docks agrees to set aside such wharf property under his jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dumps. The plans and specifications for said dumps and runways, ramps and approaches to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries. Any and all structures erected under the terms of the lease shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

There shall be kept posted in at least two conspicuous places on the pier, so that same can be readily seen by passersby from the street, printed in large type, the prices to be charged by the lessee to the public for the privilege of dumping cellar dirt, which prices are also made a condition of the lease, to be not more than 25 cents per cubic yard, and also as follows:

For regular and ordinary dumping carts which contain 2 cubic yards, not exceeding 50 cents.

For an ordinary cellar digger's cart, which contains 1½ cubic yards, not exceeding 35 cents.

For brick trucks, containing between 2¼ and 2½ cubic yards, not exceeding 60 cents.

The lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times during said term keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received, the quantity of material dumped thereat, rates charged therefor and names of persons using said dump; said books of account shall at all times during said term be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids; should a bid, however, be accepted, the said Commissioner will prepare a form of lease and transmit same to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with a recommendation that said lease be approved by said Commissioners. The said form of lease shall contain the usual terms, conditions and covenants at present embodied in leases of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall covenant and agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time, during the term of said lease, as may be considered necessary or proper by the Commissioner of Docks in the basins or slips or water adjacent to the said premises.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Department of Docks and Ferries at the time of the award five per cent. (5%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which five per cent. (5%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, and the said successful bidder will be required to agree that he will, upon three days' notice so to do, execute a lease, the form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place; and also to furnish a bond or obligation in the sum of double the annual rent for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the sureties on bond to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated October 7, 1907.  
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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 12 o'clock m. on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.  
Borough of Richmond.

CONTRACT NO. 1106.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 20,000 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 90 calendar days.

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

Bidders will state a price per ton for furnishing the material called for in the specifications, by which price the bids will be tested.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated September 27, 1907.

\$28,010

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 12 o'clock m. on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.

CONTRACT NO. 1107.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MANILA 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 Five Thousand Dollars.

The bidder must state a price per pound for furnishing the material called for in the specifications, by which price the bids will be tested.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated September 27, 1907.

\$28,010

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH W. SAVAGE,  
Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., October 8, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Greater New York Charter, that a petition signed by residents of the Staten Island District for Local Improvements to pave and curb Haven Esplanade, from Castleton avenue to Barrett Boulevard; Frelinghuysen avenue, east and west of Haven Esplanade; and Barrett Boulevard, east and west of Haven Esplanade, in the First Ward of the Borough of Richmond, has been presented to me and is on file in this office for inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board will be held in the Borough office, in the First National Bank building, at St. George, Borough of Richmond, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting said petition will be submitted to said Board.

GEORGE CROMWELL,  
President of the Borough.

MAYBURY FLEMING,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

WEST SIXTY-FIRST STREET—EXTENSION OF SEWER, between Central Park West and Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixty-first street, between Central Park West and Broadway.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET AND BROADWAY—RECEIVING BASIN, at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET—SEWER, between Broadway and St. Nicholas avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Broadway to St. Nicholas avenue.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET—SEWER, between the Harlem river and Tenth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Harlem river to Tenth avenue; both sides of Two Hundred and Twelfth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Two Hundred and Twelfth to Two Hundred and Fourteenth street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on October 8, 1907, and entered on October 8, 1907, 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 in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 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 December 7, 1907, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 8, 1907.

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### CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1907,

at 11 a. m., at the office of the Collector of City Revenue and Markets, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, Parcel 1 and Parcels 2 and 8, excepting so much thereof as lies west of Leggett's creek, as shown on the map filed with judgment roll, entered December 1, 1899, in the matter of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York against the East Bay Land and Improvement Company, which said parcels or portions thereof were included in the deed made by the East Bay Land and Improvement Company to The City of New York, recorded in the Register's Office of the County of New York, December 11, 1899, in Volume 23, page 211. Section 10 on the land maps of the County of New York. The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500), and the sale is to be had upon the following

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees, at the time of sale. The deed, which shall be a quit-claim deed, is to be delivered within thirty days after the date of the sale. The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Map of real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted September 20, 1907.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 4, 1907.

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### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

SEVENTH AVENUE—SEWER, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on October 1, 1907, and entered on October 1, 1907, 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 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 H, 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 November 30, 1907, will be exempt from interest as above provided, but 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 1, 1907.

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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:

### FIRST WARD.

CRESCENT STREET—SEWER, from Payntar avenue to Freeman avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Crescent street, from Payntar avenue to Freeman avenue.

THIRTEENTH AVENUE—SEWER, from Broadway to Graham avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Thirteenth avenue, from Broadway to Graham avenue, and north side of Graham avenue, from Twelfth to Fourteenth avenue.

SIXTEENTH AVENUE—SEWER, from Broadway to Jamaica avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixteenth avenue, from Broadway to Jamaica avenue, including Blocks 218 and 220, bounded by Sixteenth avenue, Jamaica avenue and Fifteenth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on October 1, 1907, and entered on October 1, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, 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 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, 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 November 30, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 1, 1907.

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### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER, alteration and improvement, between Riverside drive and Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from Riverside drive to Broadway.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on October 3, 1907, and entered on October 3, 1907, 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 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 H, 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 December 2, 1907, will be exempt from interest as above provided, but 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 3, 1907.

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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-FOURTH WARD, ANNEXED TERRITORY.

TEMPORARY SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST FARMS ROAD, from Bronx street to Morris Park avenue, and in MORRIS PARK AVENUE, from West Farms road to Bear Swamp road; in GARFIELD STREET, between Jackson avenue and the Harlem River Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; in VAN BUREN STREET, between Morris Park avenue and Jackson avenue; in HANCOCK STREET, between Morris Park avenue and Jackson avenue; in TAYLOR STREET AND GARFIELD STREET, between Morris Park avenue and Jackson avenue; in FILLMORE STREET, between Morris Park avenue and Columbus avenue; in UNIONPORT ROAD, between Columbus avenue and Jackson avenue; in VICTOR STREET, between Morris Park avenue and Columbus avenue; in LOUISE STREET, between Morris Park avenue and the property of the New York, New Haven and Hart-



ford Railroad Company; in LINCOLN STREET, between Morris Park avenue and the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company; in MADISON STREET, between Morris Park avenue and Columbus avenue; in COLUMBUS AVENUE, between West Farms road and Bear Swamp road; in GRAND AVENUE, between Garfield street and Unionport road; and in JACKSON AVENUE, between Garfield street and Unionport road; in TAYLOR STREET, from the existing sewer east of Columbus avenue to the Harlem River Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; in BRONX PARK AVENUE, between a point about 640 feet south of the West Farms road and One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; in ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Bronx Park avenue and Watson's lane; in ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Bronx Park avenue and Watson's lane; in ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, between Bronx Park avenue and a point about 423 feet westerly therefrom; in LEBANON STREET, between a point about 410 feet west of Bronx Park avenue and Morris Park avenue; in JEFFERSON STREET, between Morris Park avenue and the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company; in ADAMS PLACE, between Columbus avenue and Rosedale avenue, and at the intersection of ROSEDALE AVENUE, WEST FARMS ROAD and ADAMS PLACE; in ADAMS PLACE, between Columbus avenue and the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, thence across the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company to Rosedale avenue, and in ROSEDALE AVENUE, between the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the centre of Tremont avenue (proposed); in WEST FARMS ROAD, between Rosedale avenue and Clason's Point road; in COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, between West Farms road and Merrill street; in ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE, between West Farms road and Merrill street; in CLASON'S POINT ROAD, between West Farms road and Mansion street; in MANSION STREET, between Rosedale avenue and Clason's Point road; in MERRILL STREET, between Rosedale avenue and St. Lawrence street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morris Park avenue, from West Farms road to Bronx Park avenue (Bear Swamp road); both sides of Bronx Park avenue, from Tremont avenue to Adams place; both sides of the first avenue east of the Bronx river, from West Farms road to Bronx Park; both sides of Columbus avenue, from Van Nest street to Bronx Park avenue (Bear Swamp road); both sides of Grant avenue (Jackson avenue), from Garfield street to Unionport road; both sides of Rosedale avenue, from Tremont avenue to West Farms road; both sides of Commonwealth avenue, from Merrill street to West Farms road; both sides of St. Lawrence street, from Merrill street to West Farms road; both sides of Clason's Point road, from the south side of Mansion street to West Farms road; both sides of Merrill street, from Rosedale avenue to St. Lawrence avenue; both sides of Mansion street, from Rosedale avenue to Clason's Point road; both sides of West Farms road, from Rosedale avenue to Clason's Point road; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, commencing at Watson's lane and extending about 156 feet west of Bronx Park avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Watson's lane to Bronx Park avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Bronx Park avenue to the first avenue westerly; both sides of Lebanon street, from Morris Park avenue to the first avenue west of Bronx Park avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Morris Park avenue to the first avenue east of the Bronx river; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Morris Park avenue to the Bronx Park; both sides of West Farms road, from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to the Bronx river; both sides of Van Nest street, from Adams place to West Farms road; both sides of Adams place, from West Farms road to Bronx Park avenue; both sides of Van Buren street, Hancock street, Taylor street and Garfield street, from Morris Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Fillmore street, from Morris Park avenue to Columbus avenue; both sides of Bronx Park avenue and Unionport road, from Mianna street to Jackson avenue; both sides of Amethyst street, from Mianna street to Morris Park avenue; both sides of Victor street, from Mianna street to Columbus avenue; both sides of White Plains road, from Mianna street to Morris Park avenue; both sides of Washington street, from Morris Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Louise street, from Hunt avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Lincoln street, from Hunt avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Jefferson street, from Bronx Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Madison street, from Bronx Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Rose street, from Morris Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; both sides of Bronx Park avenue, from Morris Park avenue to Columbus avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors October 1, 1907, and entered October 1, 1907, 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 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.

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 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."

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 November 30, 1907, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 1, 1907.

## CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1907,**

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the following property, which it has by virtue of a lease from the Supervisor of the Town of Gravesend and afterwards conveyed to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is dated December 28, 1895, and recorded in the Kings County Register's Office on December 31, 1895, in Section 21, Liber 1 of Conveyances, at page 500; all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, known as and by the number 13 on the assessment map for grading Sea Breeze avenue, from East Fifth to West Fifth street, in the former Town of Gravesend, later City of Brooklyn, now Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, which lease thereof for 100 years was sold on January 11, 1893, for the sum of \$53.78, and which lease was for the unexpired term conveyed to the City of Brooklyn by the Supervisor of the Town of Gravesend on December 28, 1895.

The minimum or upset price at which the said land is to be sold is and is hereby appraised at the sum of \$101.14, being the sum of \$53.78, together with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum to date of sale; the purchaser in addition thereto to pay the auctioneer's fees and \$100 for the expense of examination, advertising, etc. The sale of the said premises is to be made on the following

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

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

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held September 20, 1907.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, September 30, 1907.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, September 30, 1907.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** assessment rolls of real estate and personal property in The City of New York for the year 1907, and the warrants for the collection of taxes, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that all the taxes on said assessment rolls are due and payable on

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1907,**

at the office of the Receiver of Taxes in the borough in which the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.  
Borough of The Bronx, corner of Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.  
Borough of Brooklyn, Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Borough of Queens, corner of Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.  
Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, Staten Island, N. Y.

In case of payment during October the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 915 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897), viz.: A deduction of interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum between the day of such payment and the 1st day of December next.

**ALL BILLS PAID DURING OCTOBER MUST BE REBATED BEFORE CHECKS ARE DRAWN FOR PAYMENT.**

When checks are mailed to the Receiver of Taxes they must be accompanied by addressed envelopes with postage prepaid in order to insure return of receipted bills by mail.

Checks dated October 7 should be mailed to the Receiver as soon as possible after bills have been received by the taxpayer.

Draw checks only to the order of the Receiver of Taxes.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

## TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

**WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER**, between Fort Washington avenue and Haven avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Seventy-first street, extending about 204 feet west of Fort Washington avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on September 26, 1907, and entered on September 26, 1907, 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 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 H, 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 November 25, 1907, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1907.

## 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:

## TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

**JEROME STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS**, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jerome street, from Pitkin street to New Lots road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues. —that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments September 26, 1907, and entered September 26, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, 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 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 Mechanic's Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, 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 November 25, 1907, 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 such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, September 26, 1907.

## 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 QUEENS.

## FIRST WARD.

**ACADEMY STREET—SEWER**, from Paynter avenue to Jane street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Academy street, from Jane street to Paynter avenue, including the triangle formed by Academy street, Old road and Hunter avenue. —that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on September 26, 1907, and entered on September 26, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, 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 November 25, 1907, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1907.

## INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

**THE INTEREST DUE ON NOVEMBER 1,** 1907, on the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 85).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from October 10, 1907, to November 1, 1907.

The interest due on November 1, 1907, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that

day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on November 1, 1907, on Coupon Bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, September 20, 1907.

## NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK NOW KNOWN AS THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FOR UNPAID TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1907.

**UNDER THE DIRECTION OF HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller of The City of New York**, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 1027 of the Greater New York Charter:

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York now known as the Borough of Richmond, on which taxes have been laid and confirmed according to law by The City of New York for the years 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, including taxes on the real estate of corporations for the said years and taxes on the special franchises of corporations for the years 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, and which now remain due and unpaid:

And also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in The City of New York, situated in the borough aforesaid, on which the assessments have been laid according to law by the said City of New York for the years 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904, and which now remain due and unpaid, are required to pay the amount of the said taxes and assessments so remaining due and unpaid, with the interest thereon at the rate of seven (7) per centum per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Borough Hall, New Brighton, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York;

And that, if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, in Room 129, Borough Hall, New Brighton, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1907.**

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the said taxes or assessments, as the case may be, and the interest thereon as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon; and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of such taxes and assessments and the ownership of the property taxed and on which such taxes and assessments remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN,  
Collector of Assessments and Arrears  
of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
December 14, 1906.

**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS** otherwise directed in any special case surety companies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, including Gas and Electricity—

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.  
Two companies on a bond up to \$125,000.  
Three companies on a bond up to \$200,000.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements—

Two companies on a bond up to \$50,000.  
Three companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Regulating, Grading, Paving, Sewers, Water Mains, Dredging, Construction of Parks, Parkways, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.  
Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.  
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.  
Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

New Docks, Buildings, Bridges, Aqueducts, Tunnels, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.  
Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.  
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.  
Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

Repairs, Ventilating, Heating, Plumbing, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.  
Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.  
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.  
Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

On bonds regarded as hazardous risks additional surety will be required as the Comptroller sees fit in each instance.

All bonds exceeding \$250,000 will by that fact alone be considered hazardous risks, no matter what the nature of the work.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, October 1, 1907.

**JACOB DOBLIN, AUCTIONEER**, ON BEHALF of the Fire Department, City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Hospital and Training Stables, Nos. 133 and 135 West Ninety-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, on

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1907,**

at 12 o'clock noon, the following six horses, no longer fit for service of the Department, and known as Nos. 1438, 1498, 1558, 1758, 1825 and 1837.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Fire Commissioner.



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

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907.**  
**Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED TONS OF CANNEL COAL. The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1907.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Fire Commissioner.

Dated September 27, 1907.

\$28,010

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

### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, October 8, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF the following proposed amendment of the classification of the Civil Service:

Including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Taxes and Assessments," the following title:

"CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS."

A public hearing will be had on the foregoing proposed amendment, in accordance with Civil Service Rule III., at the Commission's offices, No. 299 Broadway, on

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1907,**  
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, August 16, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for the position of PATROLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT, will be received from 9 A. M. MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, UNTIL 12 M. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1907.

NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE DATE ANNOUNCED.

The subjects and weights are as follows:  
Physical development and strength..... 50  
Mental test ..... 50

The subjects and weights of the mental test are as follows:

Memory test ..... 2  
Government ..... 3  
Localities ..... 3  
Arithmetic ..... 2

Seventy per cent. will be required on the mental examination.  
Seventy per cent. will be required on strength.  
Seventy per cent. will be required on physical development.

Applications will not be received from persons who are less than twenty-one (21) years of age on October 12, 1907, or who are more than thirty (30) years of age.

Naturalized citizens must attach their naturalization papers to application.

Applicants will be notified later of the dates of the physical and mental examinations.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

### SPECIAL NOTICE TO APPLICANTS.

The Civil Service Commission desires to warn you against all persons who offer to sell, in advance of the examinations, the questions that you will be expected to answer; and also against all individuals or so-called "schools" that would have you think they possess advantages by the use of which you will be enabled to pass a successful examination and secure appointment. If you pay any money for these purposes, other than the nominal charge for legitimate Civil Service School tuition, a fraud will be imposed upon you, and you will not only lose your money but be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Section 56, Penal Code.)

Your own merit and ability will determine your position as a result of the examination.

A reward of \$100 will be paid to any person who will furnish the Civil Service Commission with information and evidence that will secure the conviction of any person attempting to defraud applicants, and such information will be considered confidential.

Questions used in previous examinations may be seen upon application at the Examining Department, Room 1108, No. 299 Broadway, New York City.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President.  
\$27,012

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, September 27, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that promotion examinations for all positions in Part II. (the clerical service) and Part VII. (the engineer service) will be held in the month of November, upon dates to be announced later.

Examinations in Part II. will be open to persons who have served for a period of two years in Grade 1, or for a period of three years in Grade 2, 3 or 4 in the City Service, prior to October 1, 1907.

The positions in Part II. are graded as follows:

Grade 1, \$300 annually.  
Grade 2, \$600 annually.  
Grade 3, \$1,200 annually.  
Grade 4, \$1,800 annually.  
Grade 5, \$2,400 annually, or over.

Examinations in Part VII. will be open to persons who have served continuously in positions in the next lower grade, in the same bureau or office, for a period of six months prior to October 1, 1907.

First grade Clerks to be eligible to compete for promotion must be eighteen years of age. Second grade Clerks and others, to be eligible to compete for promotion to third grade Clerk, must be twenty-one years of age.

For all other positions applicants must be twenty-one.

Promotion lists now in existence will continue in force for a period of one year from the date of promulgation, and until new lists are announced.

Applications can be procured at once from the Application Desk (Room 1119), and can be filed only after October 1 and until 4 p. m., October 31, 1907.

The efficiency records called for by Rule XV., paragraph 7, as amended, must be completed to September 30, and a transcript thereof must appear upon the application blank, properly filled out and signed by the person designated by each appointing officer.

No further notice of these examinations will be sent to any department.

No personal application will be considered, and no one will be examined who has not filed an application.

Examinations for promotion to positions other than those in Parts II. and VII. of the competitive class will be held only upon special request.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.  
\$27,011

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, September 25, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from 9 A. M. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, UNTIL 4 P. M. WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1907, for the position of

OIL SURVEYOR.

The examination will be held on

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1907,**

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special ..... 6  
Experience ..... 3  
Arithmetic ..... 1

The percentage required is 70.

The technical examination will include methods of surveying buildings for permits for oils and other combustibles, and the elementary chemistry of the same, and provisions for safety in their storage and use enforced by the Bureau of Combustibles.

There will be three or more appointments in the Bureau of Combustibles, Fire Department.

The salary is \$1,500 per annum.

The minimum age is 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.  
\$25,030

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, September 23, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from 9 A. M. MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, UNTIL 4 P. M. MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1907, for the position of

GAS INSPECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

The examination will be held on

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1907,**

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special ..... 6  
Experience ..... 4

The percentage required is 70.

The special paper will presuppose a thorough knowledge of the construction, use and working of the photometer, as well as a rudimentary knowledge of the chemistry of illuminating gas.

There will probably be ten appointments.

The salary is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.  
\$23,028

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, September 20, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from 9 A. M. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, UNTIL 4 P. M. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1907, for the position of

LAY SANITARY INSPECTOR (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The examination will be held on

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1907,**

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special ..... 4  
Experience ..... 3  
Report ..... 2  
Arithmetic ..... 1

The percentage required is 70.

The special paper will call for a thorough knowledge of the principles and laws of sanitation and a knowledge of the statutes governing the Health and Tenement House Departments relating thereto. Practical experience in the candidates will also be required.

Certifications will be made to the Health and Tenement House Departments.

Vacancies in both Departments occur from time to time.

The salary is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.  
\$20,04

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, 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,  
FRANK L. POLK,  
Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

### BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### RE-ADVERTISEMENT.

CONSTRUCTING A FIELD OFFICE BUILDING IN THE TOWN OF MARBLETOWN, ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Water Supply at the office of the Secretary, No. 299 Broadway, New York, Room 911, ninth floor, until 2 p. m. on

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1907,**

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FIELD OFFICE BUILDING, FOR DIVISION AND SECTION ENGINEERS IN THE EMPLOY OF THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, IN THE TOWN OF MARBLETOWN, ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

At the above place and hour the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board of Water Supply as soon thereafter as practicable.

This work is authorized by chapter 724, Laws of 1905, of the State of New York, as amended. The building is to be a two-story and attic office building, 40 feet 4 inches by 45 feet 4 inches in plan, with concrete or stone foundations, fireproof concrete vault, frame superstructure, shingle roof and steam heating, plumbing and electric lighting systems.

The building will be located on the east side of the road from Stone Ridge to High Falls, in the Town of Marbletown, Ulster County, New York.

The bond required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000). No bid will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check upon a national or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is five months.

Pamphlet containing further information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract and bond, approved by the Corporation Counsel, and specifications, can be obtained at the office of the Board of Water Supply, Room 1515, No. 299 Broadway, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of five dollars (\$5) in currency or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply, for each pamphlet. The deposit will be refunded upon the return of pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days after the date on which the bids are to be opened.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS,  
President;

CHARLES N. CHADWICK,  
CHARLES A. SHAW,  
Board of Water Supply.

J. WALDO SMITH,  
Engineer.

THOS. HASSETT,  
Secretary.  
08,20

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

CONTRACTS EXPECTED TO BE ADVERTISED DURING FALL AND WINTER.

THE ATTENTION OF INTENDING BIDDERS is now directed to work described below in order that they may look over the ground before topographical features are obscured by snow.

#### Main Dam, Kensico Reservoir.

A large masonry dam to be located near Valhalla, Westchester County, N. Y.

#### Headworks of the Catskill Aqueduct.

To include aeration fountain, substructures of several large chambers and about one mile of aqueduct from the Beaverkill dikes, near Brown's Station, N. Y., to the Esopus Creek valley.

#### Portions of the Esopus Division of the Catskill Aqueduct.

About 6.6 miles of cut-and-cover aqueduct and 0.7 mile of grade tunnel, extending from a point near the Olive Bridge dam to the north end of the Rondout siphon, near Krippelbush, N. Y.

#### Portion of the Wallkill Division of the Catskill Aqueduct.

About 3.8 miles of cut-and-cover aqueduct and 0.8 mile of grade tunnel, extending from about the middle of the Bonticou tunnel, south of High Falls, to the north end of the Wallkill siphon, near Libertyville, N. Y.

#### Rondout Siphon.

About 4.5 miles of pressure tunnel near High Falls, N. Y., and about 0.75 mile of grade tunnel.

#### Wallkill Siphon.

About 4.4 miles of pressure tunnel under the Wallkill Valley, about 3.5 miles west of New Paltz, N. Y.

Further information can be obtained from A. D. Flinn, Department Engineer in charge of headquarters, Room 1515, No. 299 Broadway, New York City.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS,  
President;  
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,  
CHARLES A. SHAW,  
Board of Water Supply.

J. WALDO SMITH,  
Engineer.  
THOMAS HASSETT,  
Secretary.  
\$28,026

### SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of CASTLE HILL AVENUE, from West Farms road to the public place at its southern terminus; and the PUBLIC PLACE at the southern terminus of Castle Hill avenue, fronting on Westchester creek, to the East river and Pugsley's creek, 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Castle Hill avenue, from West Farms road to the public place at its southern terminus; and the public place at the southern terminus of Castle Hill avenue fronting on Westchester creek, the East river and Pugsley's creek, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of West Farms road distant 3,373.443 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Westchester avenue;

Thence westerly along the southern line of West Farms road for 110.42 feet;

Thence southerly, deflecting 89 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 2,944.73 feet to the northern line of Westchester avenue;

Thence easterly along the last-mentioned line for 134.17 feet;

Thence northerly, deflecting 96 degrees 41 minutes 55 seconds to the left for 297.41 feet;

Thence southerly, deflecting 6 degrees 35 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 2,554.29 feet;

Thence northerly for 96.51 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Tremont avenue (East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) distant 2,754.70 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of the public place at the intersection of Tremont and Westchester avenues;

Thence southeasterly along the northern line of Tremont avenue for 116.81 feet;

Thence northerly, deflecting 121 degrees 7 minutes to the left for 1,866.75 feet;

Thence northerly, deflecting 4 degrees 42 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 243.93 feet to the southern line of Westchester avenue;

Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 100.60 feet;

Thence southerly, deflecting 96 degrees 41 minutes 55 seconds to the left for 251.57 feet;

Thence southerly for 1,122.28 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Tremont avenue (East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) distant 2,803.64 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of the public place at the intersection of Tremont and Westchester avenues;

Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Tremont avenue for 116.81 feet;

Thence southerly, deflecting 58 degrees 53 minutes to the right for 820.81 feet to the northern line of Ludlow avenue (legally acquired as Eastern Boulevard); thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 100 feet;

Thence northerly for 881.17 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Ludlow avenue (legally acquired as Eastern Boulevard) distant 1,359.778 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of the extension of Tremont avenue (East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street);

Thence westerly along the southern line of said Ludlow avenue for 100 feet;

Thence southerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 5,845.60 feet;

Thence westerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 249.456 feet;

Thence westerly, deflecting 12 degrees 38 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 93.355 feet;

Thence southerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 173.76 feet;

Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 250 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 604.76 feet;

Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 255.086 feet;

Thence westerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 84.616 feet;

Thence westerly, deflecting 28 degrees 45 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 104.318 feet;

Thence northerly 5,845.60 feet to the point of beginning.

Castle Hill avenue, from West Farms road to Westchester avenue, is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the location, laying out and the grades of the streets within the area bounded by Castle Hill avenue, Bear Swamp road, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Blondell avenue and Westchester avenue, 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on June 10, 1907; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on June 4, 1907, as Map No. 1179, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon hole 78.

Castle Hill avenue, from Westchester avenue to the public place and the public place are shown on the following maps: "Map or plan showing the change of line of Castle Hill avenue, for about a distance of 300 feet on either side of Westchester avenue, 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," filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on May 24, 1906; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on May 18, 1906, as Map 1126A, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeon-hole No. 1; "Plan and profile showing the locating and laying out and the grades of Castle Hill avenue, from the first avenue north of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Public Place between East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Westchester creek, and the Public Place between East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and the Westchester creek, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, prepared by the Board of Public Improvements under authority of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements on March 22, 1901; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on March 22, 1901, as map No. 217, and the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on March 22, 1901, in pigeon-hole No. 15; and "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out, and the grades of Castle Hill avenue, from Westchester avenue to Lafayette avenue, and from Lafayette avenue to the Public Place at its southerly terminus, and Public Place at the southerly terminus of Castle Hill avenue, fronting on Westchester creek, the East river and Pugsley's creek, 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on ; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on as Map

, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole

The land to be taken for Castle Hill avenue and the Public Place is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 8th day of July, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the prolongation of a line distant 1,290.2 feet westerly from and parallel with the central line of Castle Hill avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Castle Hill avenue with the northerly line of Pugsley's creek, and running thence northwesterly and always parallel with and distant 1,290.2 feet westerly from the central line of Castle Hill avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Pierce avenue and Van Nest avenue, the former course being located practically midway between Trask avenue and Screvin avenue; thence easterly and along the said line midway between Pierce avenue and Van Nest avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Hone avenue and Lurting avenue; thence southwesterly along a line always midway between Hone avenue and Lurting avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between St. Peters avenue and Overing street; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between St. Peters avenue and Overing street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between McClay avenue and St. Raymond avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line always midway between McClay avenue and St. Raymond avenue to the intersection with a line midway between St. Peters avenue and Seddon street; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between Seddon street and St. Peters avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between St. Raymond avenue and Glebe avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between St. Raymond avenue and Glebe avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Roland street and Zerega avenue; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between Zerega avenue and Roland street to the intersection with a line distant 1,290.2 feet easterly from and parallel with the central line of Castle Hill avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Castle Hill avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with and always distant 1,290.2 feet easterly from the central line of Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with the southeasterly side of Zerega avenue; thence southeasterly at right angles to the line of Zerega avenue to the intersection with the bulkhead line of Westchester creek; thence southwesterly and northwesterly along the bulkhead line of Westchester creek and along the line of Pugsley's creek to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

09,22

## 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 ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected for purposes of a public playground.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of Charles L. Hoffman, Samuel S. Koenig and John B. Doris, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 8th day of October, 1907, was filed in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 8th day of October, 1907, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Notice is further given that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in the First Judicial District, at Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 8, 1907.  
FRANCIS KEY PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

09,19

## 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 for the same purpose, in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of SEDGWICK AVENUE,

between Fordham road and Bailey avenue; of BAILEY AVENUE, between Sedgwick avenue and Albany road; of ALBANY ROAD, between Bailey avenue and Van Cortlandt Park, and for the opening and extending of HEATH AVENUE, between West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; of the PUBLIC PLACE, between Heath avenue and Bailey avenue, south of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, and the lands and premises required for the widening of KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, between Exterior street and Bailey 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, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1907, 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 13th day of July, 1907, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Blocks 3226, 3236, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3260, 3261, 3264, 3265, 3267, 3268, 3269, 3270, and 3271, we, Stephen J. Navin, Jr., Peter J. Everett and George Von Skal, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage 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 and extending and widening the above mentioned streets or avenues and public place, 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 13th day of July, 1907, and the said Stephen J. Navin, Jr., was appointed Commissioner of Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said streets or avenues and public place so to be opened and extended and widened, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises situated within the area of assessment, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and not required for the purpose of opening and extending and widening the same, but benefited thereby, the said area of assessment 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 13th day of July, 1907, 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 and extending and widening the said streets or avenues and public place, and 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, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavit or other proof as the owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of October, 1907, 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, City of New York, October 9, 1907.

PETER J. EVERETT,  
STEPHEN J. NAVIN, JR.,  
GEO. VON SKAL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

09,21

## 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, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for an extension of and approaches to the southerly end of the GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, 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 29th day of June, 1907, 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 13th day of July, 1907, 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. 2468 and 2470, 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 extension of and approaches to the southerly end of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 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 13th day of July, 1907; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said extension of and approaches to the southerly end of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 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, extending, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tract 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, and chapter 522 of the Laws of 1905, entitled "An act to extend the Grand Boulevard and Con-

course, established by chapter 130 of the Laws of 1895, and the approaches thereto," passed May 17, 1905.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said extension of and approaches to the southerly end of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and 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, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavit or other proof as the owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of October, 1907, 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, October 9, 1907.

JOHN A. HAWKINS,  
MAX BENDIT,  
JAMES A. McMAHON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

09,21

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of that portion of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET from Anderson avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of The City of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and One Commissioner of 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 of all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as that portion of West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Anderson avenue to Jerome avenue, Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Jerome avenue, distant 297.14 feet northerly from an angle point in the westerly line of Jerome avenue, opposite East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Jerome avenue for 20.01 feet; thence westerly deflecting 88 degrees 43 minutes 18 seconds to the left for 251.72 feet to eastern line of Anderson avenue; thence southerly deflecting 82 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 20.16 feet; thence easterly for 254.66 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street is shown as East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street on Section 8 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of The City of New York on November 11, 1895, in the office of the Register of the former City and County of New York on November 12, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 13, 1895.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street is located in blocks 2504 and 2505, in Section 9, on the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 16th day of November, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

The territory bounded on the west by a line midway between the easterly side of Ogden avenue and the westerly side of Nelson avenue, extending from a point midway between the southerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the northerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to a point midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.

On the north by a line midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and the said line extended from a point midway between Ogden avenue and Nelson avenue to a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of Jerome avenue.

On the east by a line 100 feet east of the easterly side of Jerome avenue, from a point midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street produced and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street produced to a point midway between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

On the south by a line midway between the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, as the same are laid out east of Jerome avenue and the prolongation of the said line from a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of Jerome avenue to the easterly side of Anderson avenue and a line midway between the southerly side of West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between the westerly side of Anderson avenue and a point midway between Nelson and Ogden avenues.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

09,22

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of ASTOR AVENUE, between Olinville avenue and White Plains 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvements 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Astor avenue, between Olinville avenue and White Plains road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of White Plains road, distant 152.229 feet northerly from the northern tangent point of a curve, having a radius of 780 feet, which curve lies north of the Bronx and Pelham parkway; thence northerly along the westerly line of White Plains road for 80 feet; thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 200 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 80 feet; thence easterly for 200 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Astor avenue is shown on Section 31 of the final maps of the Borough of The Bronx, filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on February 2, 1906; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on January 30, 1906, as Map No. 1103, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 59.

The land to be taken for Astor avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 8th day of March, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line 215 feet south of and parallel with the southerly line of Waring avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Waring avenue on the east by a line 100 feet east of and parallel with the easterly line of White Plains road; the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of White Plains road on the south by a line 167.5 feet north of and parallel with the northerly line of Thwaits place, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Thwaits place and also by the prolongation of said line; on the west by a line midway between Olinville avenue and Parker avenue.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

09,22

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET from Park avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate, and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Park avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Canal place distant 87.79 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street;

Thence southerly along the westerly line of Canal place for 50 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 224.26 feet to the eastern line of Park avenue;

Thence northerly along the last mentioned line for 50 feet;

Thence easterly for 224.18 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Canal place, distant 89.20 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Canal place for 50 feet;

Thence easterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 125 feet to the western line of Ryder avenue;

Thence northerly along the last mentioned line for 50 feet;

Thence westerly for 125 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Ryder avenue, distant 395.40 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-first street;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Ryder avenue for 50 feet;

Thence easterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 210.48 feet to the western line of Morris avenue;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 50 feet;

Thence westerly for 211.10 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Fortieth street is shown on Section 7 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, 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 October 31, 1895; in the office of the



Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, as Map No. 1061, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Fortieth street is located in Blocks Nos. 2333 and 2340 of Section 9 of the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 5th day of April, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Fortieth street and the southwesterly side of Lowell street or East One Hundred and Forty-first street, as laid down on the final maps of the Borough of The Bronx, and the prolongation thereof.

On the southeast by a line 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of Morris avenue and parallel therewith.

On the southwest by a line midway between the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Fortieth street and the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad and Ryder avenue, and by a line midway between the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Fortieth street and the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Ryder avenue and Morris avenue, and the prolongation thereof; and on the northwest by the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,

Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

09,22

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WEST STREET, from Honeywell avenue to Crotona parkway, 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, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, on the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as West street, from Honeywell avenue to Crotona parkway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Mohegan avenue, distant 120.32 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street;

Thence northerly along the eastern line of Mohegan avenue for 50.52 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 98 degrees 12 minutes 51 seconds to the right for 288.43 feet to the western line of Honeywell avenue;

Thence southerly along the last mentioned line for 50.52 feet;

Thence westerly for 288.43 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Mohegan avenue, distant 128.98 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street;

Thence northerly along the western line of Mohegan avenue for 50.52 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 81 degrees 47 minutes 09 seconds to the left for 160.57 feet to the eastern line of Crotona parkway;

Thence southerly along last mentioned line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 724.17 feet radius for 52.36 feet;

Thence easterly for 152.28 feet to the point of beginning.

West street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating and laying out and the grades of West street, from Crotona parkway to Honeywell avenue, 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx June 17, 1904; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 15, 1904, as Map No. 1081, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeonhole No. 30.

The land to be taken for West street is located in Blocks 3119 and 3124 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 17th day of May, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between West street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, on the east by Honeywell avenue, on the south by a line midway between West street and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, on the west by Crotona parkway.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of DE KALB AVENUE from East Two Hundred and Eighth street to Gun Hill 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter.

York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as De Kalb avenue, from East Two Hundred and Eighth street to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Gun Hill road, distant 200.04 feet southeasterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Jerome avenue;

Thence easterly along the southern line of Gun Hill road for 60.01 feet;

Thence southwesterly, deflecting 91 degrees 6 minutes 00 seconds to the right for 832.56 feet;

Thence deflecting westerly 62 degrees 58 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 45.75 feet;

Thence northwesterly, deflecting 27 degrees 1 minute 5 seconds to the right for 19.24 feet;

Thence northeasterly for 832.19 feet to the point of beginning.

De Kalb avenue is shown on Section 18 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 December 16, 1895, 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 De Kalb avenue is located in Block 3327 of Section 12 of the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 14th day of June, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the northwest by a line midway between De Kalb avenue and Jerome avenue, through that portion of the length of each located between East Two Hundred and Eighth street and Gun Hill road and by the prolongation of the said line; on the northeast by a line 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Gun Hill road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Gun Hill road; on the southeast by a line 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of De Kalb avenue through that portion of its length located between East Two Hundred and Eighth street and Gun Hill road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of De Kalb avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line, and on the southwesterly by a line always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East Two Hundred and Eighth street.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of SENECA AVENUE from Hunts Point road to the Bronx 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Seneca avenue, from Hunts Point road or avenue to the Bronx river, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Bryant avenue distant 665.22 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Garrison avenue;

Thence southerly along the western line of Bryant avenue for 80 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 605.77 feet to the eastern line of Hunts Point avenue;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 82.19 feet;

Thence easterly for 624.61 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Bryant avenue distant 675 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Garrison avenue;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Bryant avenue for 80 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 200 feet to the western line of Longfellow avenue;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 80 feet;

Thence westerly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Whittier street distant 675 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Garrison avenue;

Thence southerly along the western line of Whittier street for 80 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 200 feet to the eastern line of Longfellow avenue;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 80 feet;

Thence easterly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Whittier street distant 675 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Garrison avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 504.91 feet;

Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,000 feet radius for 282.49 feet; the centre of said circle lies in a line (radius) which deflects 16 degrees 25 minutes 7 seconds to the left from the eastern prolongation of the previous course;

Thence westerly for 484.88 feet to the point of beginning.

Seneca avenue is shown on Section 4 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on July 8, 1893, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on July 12, 1893, as Map No. 335, 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 Seneca avenue is located in Blocks 2761 and 2762 of Section 10 of the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 8th day of February, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between the northerly side of Seneca avenue and the southerly side of Garrison avenue and the prolongation thereof; on the east by the west side of the Bronx river; on the south by a line midway between the southerly side of Seneca avenue and the northerly side of Lafayette avenue and the prolongation thereof, and on the west by a line 100 feet west of the westerly side of Hunts Point road and parallel therewith.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of that portion of ROCHAMBEAU AVENUE, from East Two Hundred and Twelfth street to the property line between the land of William W. Niles and the land formerly of Michael Varian, located about 265 feet south of Van Cortlandt avenue, 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, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as that portion of Rochambeau avenue, from East Two Hundred and Twelfth street to the property line between the land of William W. Niles and the land formerly of Michael Varian, located about 265 feet south of Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, distant 200 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Woodlawn road;

Thence westerly along the northern line of East Two Hundred and Eighth street for 60 feet;

Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,243.66 feet to the southern line of Gun Hill road;

Thence easterly along last mentioned line for 65.77 feet;

Thence southerly for 1,216.72 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, distant 200 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Woodlawn road;

Thence westerly along the southern line of East Two Hundred and Eighth street for 60 feet;

Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 244.12 feet;

Thence southerly deflecting 20 degrees 24 minutes 11 seconds to the left for 619.87 feet to the property line between the lands of William W. Niles and the land formerly of Michael Varian;

Thence easterly deflecting 91 degrees 56 minutes 39 seconds to the left for 60.04 feet and along said line;

Thence northerly deflecting 88 degrees 3 minutes 21 seconds to the left for 607.03 feet;

Thence northerly for 233.32 feet to the point of beginning.

Rochambeau avenue is shown on section 18 of the final map of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on December 16, 1895, as map No. 136, 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 or about the same date.

The land to be taken for Rochambeau avenue is located in Blocks 3328, 3335, 3336, 3337, 3338, 3339 and 3340 of Section 12 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on November 16, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

One-half of the block on the east side of Rochambeau avenue, between the southerly side of East Two Hundred and Twelfth street and a line 100 feet south of the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Sixth street and parallel therewith, together with the property lying on the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Twelfth street, between Woodlawn road and DeKalb avenue, included between the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Twelfth street and a line 100 feet distant northerly therefrom and parallel therewith.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of MOHEGAN AVENUE between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Mohegan avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street distant 192.34 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the easterly line of Marmion avenue; thence southeasterly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street for 60 feet; thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 373.84 feet to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence northwesterly along said last-mentioned line for 61.01 feet; thence northeasterly for 384 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Mohegan avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating and laying out of the grades of Mohegan avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and the change of grade of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street from Marmion avenue to the Southern Boulevard 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx June 30, 1905, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 24, 1905, as map No. 943, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeon-hole 7.

The land to be taken for Mohegan avenue is located in Block 2958, Section 11, of the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of April, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the northwest by a line midway between Mohegan avenue and Marmion avenue and by the prolongation thereof, on the northeast by a line 100 feet distant northeasterly from the northeast side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and parallel thereto, said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, on the southeast by a line midway between Mohegan avenue and Waterloo place and by the prolongation of said line, and on the southwest by a line 100 feet distant southwesterly from the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and parallel thereto, the said distance being measured at right angles to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of TRAFALGAR PLACE, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN** such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto pertaining, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Trafalgar place, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, distant 208.33 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of the Southern boulevard; thence northwesterly along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street for 50.98 feet; thence northeasterly deflecting 101 degrees 16 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 310.06 feet to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned line for 50 feet; thence southwesterly for 300.09 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Trafalgar place is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating and laying out of the grades of Trafalgar place, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which said map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on May 24, 1906; in the office of the Register of



the City and County of New York on May 18, 1906, as Map No. 1122A, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeon-hole No. 1.

The land to be taken for Trafalgar place is located in Block 2958 of Section 11 on the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 8th day of February, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between Trafalgar place and Waterloo place with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, and running thence northerly along the center line of the block between Trafalgar place and Waterloo place and the prolongation of said line to a point distant 100 feet north of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence eastwardly and parallel with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to the intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and passing through a point on the southerly side of the street midway between Trafalgar place and the Southern boulevard; thence southwardly along the line last described to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence southwardly to a point on the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, midway between the easterly line of Trafalgar place and the westerly line of the Southern boulevard; thence continuing along the said course to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence southwardly at right angles to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street 100 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to the intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning; thence northwardly to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BURNETT PLACE, between Garrison avenue and Tiffany street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN** such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Burnett place, extending from Garrison avenue to Tiffany street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Barry street, distant 165.19 feet northeasterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Longwood avenue;  
Thence northeasterly along the western line of Barry street for 60 feet;  
Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 265.20 feet;  
Thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet;  
Thence southeasterly for 265.20 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Barry street, distant 168.81 feet northeasterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Longwood avenue;  
Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Barry street for 60 feet;  
Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 320.55 feet to the western line of Tiffany street;  
Thence southerly along last mentioned line for 86.27 feet;  
Thence northwesterly for 382.54 feet to the point of beginning.

Burnett place is shown on section 4 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on July 18, 1893; in the office of the Register of the former 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 Burnett place is located in Block 2737 of Section 10 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 16th day of November, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

The territory bounded by Lafayette avenue, Tiffany street, Spofford avenue, Longwood avenue and the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, together with the territory lying on the easterly side of Tiffany street, between the northerly side of Spofford avenue and a line at right angles to the easterly side of Tiffany street opposite a point midway between the intersection of the westerly side of Tiffany street and the southeasterly side of Burnett place and the intersection of the westerly side of Tiffany street with the southeasterly side of Barry street, and extending from the easterly side of Tiffany street to a line 100 feet easterly of the same and parallel therewith.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required

for the opening and extending of GATES PLACE, from Mosholu Parkway North to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; KNOX PLACE, from Mosholu Parkway North to Gun Hill 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of the certain streets or avenues hereinbefore mentioned, to wit:

Said Gates place, from Mosholu Parkway North to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Mosholu parkway (now Mosholu Parkway North), distant 508.78 feet northerly from the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Mosholu Parkway North for 66.36 feet; thence northeasterly deflecting 64 degrees 42 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 447 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 58 degrees 2 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 100 feet; thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 300 feet radius for 8.81 feet, the center of said circle lies in the northerly prolongation of the previous courses; thence easterly on a line tangent to the preceding courses for 126.83 feet; thence southwesterly for 597.73 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Gates place is shown on section 20 of the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on December 16, 1895; 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 18, 1895.

The land to be taken for Gates place is located in Block 3324 of Section 12 on the Land Map of The City of New York.

Said Knox place, from Mosholu Parkway North to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Mosholu parkway (now Mosholu Parkway North), distant 221.21 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Mosholu Parkway North for 66.36 feet; thence northeasterly deflecting 64 degrees 42 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 822.61 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 81 degrees 27 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 60.67 feet; thence southwesterly for 859.98 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Knox place is shown on the map hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Knox place is located in Block 3324 of Section 12, final maps of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 14th day of June, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of a line 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Gates place, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Gates place with the westerly line of Mosholu Parkway North, and running thence northeasterly and parallel with the line of Gates place to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Gun Hill road; thence northeasterly on a radial line 100 feet; thence southeasterly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from the northeasterly line of Gun Hill road to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Knox place, the said distance being measured straight angles to the line of Knox place; thence southwesterly and parallel with the southeasterly line of Knox place to the intersection with the easterly line of Mosholu Parkway North; thence westwardly at right angles to the line of Mosholu Parkway North 160 feet; thence northwardly and always parallel with the line of Mosholu Parkway North to the intersection with a line at right angles to Mosholu Parkway North and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning; thence easterly to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of that portion of EASTERN BOULEVARD from the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company to Hunt's Point road or avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, 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, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as that portion of Eastern Boulevard, from the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford

Railroad Company to Hunt's Point road or avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Tiffany street distant 600 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Randall avenue;

Thence southerly along the western line of Tiffany street for 100 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,660 feet to the property of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company;

Thence deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 100 feet;

Thence easterly for 1,660 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Tiffany street distant 600 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Randall avenue;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Tiffany street for 100 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 460 feet to the western line of Barretto street;

Thence northerly along the last mentioned line for 100 feet;

Thence westerly for 460 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Manida street distant 600 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Randall avenue;

Thence southerly along the western line of Manida street for 100 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 200 feet to the eastern line of Barretto street;

Thence westerly along the last mentioned line for 100 feet;

Thence northerly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Manida street distant 600 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Randall avenue;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Manida street for 100 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 200 feet to the western line of Coster street;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 100 feet;

Thence westerly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "E."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Coster street distant 600 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Randall avenue;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Coster street for 100 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 1,150.41 feet to the western line of Hunt's Point avenue;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 112.09 feet;

Thence westerly for 1,099.78 feet to the point of beginning.

Eastern Boulevard is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing change of street system bounded by Leggett avenue, Truxton street, Eastern Boulevard, Tiffany street, East river and New York, and New Haven and Hartford Railroad Yards," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on February 18, 1907, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City and County of New York on or about the same date. Eastern Boulevard is also shown in sections 4 and 5 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, which maps were filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on July 18, 1893, 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 Eastern Boulevard is located in Blocks 2606, 2766, 2767, 2768, 2769 and 2770 of section 10 of the land map of The City of New York;

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 16th day of November, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

On the north by a line lying 100 feet north of the northerly line of Randall avenue and the said line extended westwardly and parallel therewith, from a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of Halleck street to a point 100 feet west of the westerly line of Cabot street.

On the east by a line 100 feet east of the easterly line of Halleck street and parallel therewith, from a point 100 feet north of the northerly line of Randall avenue to a point 100 feet south of the southerly line of East Bay avenue;

On the south by a line 100 feet south of the southerly side of East Bay avenue and the extension thereof westwardly from a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of Halleck street to a point 100 feet west of the westerly line of Cabot street;

On the west by a line 100 feet west of the westerly line of Cabot street, from a point 100 feet south of the southerly side of East Bay avenue produced to a point 100 feet north of the northerly side of Randall avenue produced.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

09,22

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET, from Jerome avenue to Wayne avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; matter of WAYNE AVENUE, from Reservoir Oval West to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; matter of TRYON AVENUE, from Reservoir Oval West to Gun Hill 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, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of the certain streets or avenues hereinbefore mentioned, to wit:

Said East Two Hundred and Tenth street, from Jerome avenue to Wayne avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Woodlawn road distant 491.69 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Gun Hill road;

Thence southerly along the western line of Woodlawn road for 60 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,067.59 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 27 degrees 1 minute 5 seconds to the right for 194.44 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue;

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 80 feet;

Thence deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 219.24 feet;

Thence easterly for 1,009.15 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Woodlawn road, distant 465.68 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Gun Hill road;

Thence southerly along the eastern line of Woodlawn road for 60 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 229.44 feet;

Thence northerly deflecting 116 degrees 8 minutes 8 seconds to the left for 66.83 feet;

Thence westerly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

East Two Hundred and Tenth street is shown on section 18 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the former 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 East Two Hundred and Tenth street is located in Blocks 3326, 3327, 3337, 3338, 3339, 3340 and 3343 of Section 12 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Said Wayne avenue, from Reservoir Oval West to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Gun Hill road, distant 210.31 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Woodlawn road;

Thence easterly along the southerly line of Gun Hill road for 63.09 feet;

Thence southerly deflecting 71 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 386.97 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 45 degrees 17 minutes 18 seconds to the left for 158.503 feet to the northern line of the lands acquired for the Williamsbridge Reservoir;

Thence southwesterly along last mentioned line for 60.145 feet;

Thence northwesterly deflecting 86 degrees 1 minute 14 seconds to the right for 137.938 feet;

Thence northwesterly deflecting 19 degrees 9 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 66.83 feet;

Thence northerly for 400.65 feet to the point of beginning.

Wayne avenue is shown on Section 18 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the former 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 Wayne avenue is located in Block 3343 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Said Tryon avenue, from Reservoir Oval West to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Gun Hill road, distant 483.71 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Woodlawn road;

Thence easterly along the southern line of Gun Hill road for 63.09 feet;

Thence southerly deflecting 71 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 323.966 feet to the northern line of the land acquired for the Williamsbridge Reservoir;

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 68.106 feet;

Thence northerly for 375.698 feet to the point of beginning.

Tryon avenue is shown on Section 18 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the former City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, 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 Tryon avenue is located in Block 3343 of Section 12 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 14th day of June, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of DeKalb avenue, midway between Gun Hill road and East Two Hundred and Tenth street, and running thence easterly to a point on the westerly line of Steuben avenue, midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Gun Hill road; thence easterly and passing through a point on the westerly line of Woodlawn road midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Gun Hill road, to the intersection of a line midway between Woodlawn road and Wayne avenue.

Thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Woodlawn road and Wayne avenue, to the intersection with a line 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Gun Hill road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Gun Hill road; thence southeasterly and parallel with Gun Hill road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line passing through a point on the southwesterly side of



Gun Hill road and through a point on the northeasterly side of Reservoir Oval West, the said points being located midway between Tryon avenue and Putnam avenue, as determined in the Course, measured along the southwesterly and northeasterly lines of Gun Hill road and Reservoir Oval West, respectively; thence southwesterly along the course last prescribed to the aforesaid point on the northerly line of Reservoir Oval West, midway between Tryon avenue and Putnam avenue; thence southwardly along a radial line to a point 100 feet south of the southerly line of the Reservoir Oval West; thence westwardly and southwesterly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from the southerly and southwesterly lines of the Reservoir Oval West to the intersection with a line at right angles to the northwesterly line of the Reservoir Oval West at a point midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street; thence northwesterly and along the said line last described and passing through the said point on the northwesterly line of Reservoir Oval West midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street to the intersection with a line midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street, through that portion of its length west of and adjoining Woodlawn road; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street to the intersection with the southwesterly line of Steuben avenue; thence across Steuben avenue to a point on the northwesterly line of the said Steuben avenue, midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street; thence northwesterly to a point on the southeasterly line of Kossuth place, midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street; thence westwardly to a point on the westerly line of East Two Hundred and Tenth street midway between Kossuth place and East Two Hundred and Tenth street; thence westwardly at right angles to the line of East Two Hundred and Tenth street to a point midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street and Moshulu Parkway North; thence northwardly to a point on the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue midway between East Two Hundred and Tenth street and East Two Hundred and Eighth street; thence northwesterly at right angles to the line of Jerome avenue to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Jerome avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Jerome avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with Jerome avenue to the intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the line of DeKalb avenue and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning; thence southwesterly to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREET between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**P**URSUANT 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of certain streets or avenues hereinbefore mentioned, to wit:

Said Two Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point 1,675 feet easterly from the White Plains road measured at right angles to the same to a point in the easterly line thereof situated 198 feet north of the north line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence easterly on a line at right angles to White Plains road for 1,538.482 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 85 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60.161 feet; thence westerly deflecting 94 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 1,542.879 feet; thence southerly for 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-third street is located in section 32 of the final maps of the Borough of The Bronx, prepared under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 and acts amendatory thereof, which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on January 2, 1906; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on December 29, 1905, as Map No. 1103, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeon-hole No. 38.

The land to be taken for East Two Hundred and Twenty-third street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point 1,675 feet easterly from the White Plains road, measured at right angles to the same point in the easterly line thereof, situated 477 feet north of the northerly line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence easterly on a line at right angles to White Plains road for 1,558.928 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 85 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60.161 feet; thence westerly deflecting 94 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 1,563.326 feet; thence

southerly for 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth street is shown on the map hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for East Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point 616.25 feet easterly from the White Plains road, measured at right angles to the same from a point in the easterly line thereof, situated 756 feet north of the northerly line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence easterly on a line at right angles to White Plains road for 1,629.376 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 85 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60.161 feet; thence westerly deflecting 94 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 1,633.774 feet; thence southerly for 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street is shown on the maps hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for East Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 5th day of April, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line 100 feet east of and parallel with the easterly side of Laconia avenue; on the south by a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-third street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street, and by the prolongation of the said line, and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Bronxwood avenue, through that portion of its length between East Two Hundred and Twenty-third street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and by the prolongation of the said line.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening of that portion of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET, from Bronx river to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**P**URSUANT 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening of that portion of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, from the Bronx river to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Morris Park avenue, distant 370.841 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of West Farms road (as legally opened);

Thence northerly along the western line of Morris Park avenue for 80.094 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 92 degrees 46 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 497.535 feet;

Thence northwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 52 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 20.951 feet to the southern line of Bronx Park;

Thence westerly deflecting 92 degrees 52 minutes 15 seconds to the left and along the southern line of Bronx Park for 727.477 feet;

Thence southerly deflecting 106 degrees 5 minutes 16.8 seconds to the left for 83.261 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 73 degrees 54 minutes 43.2 seconds to the left for 300.727 feet;

Thence easterly for 892.661 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Morris Park avenue, distant 325.481 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northerly line of West Farms road (as legally opened);

Thence northerly along the eastern line of Morris Park avenue for 80.024 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 91 degrees 24 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 783.433 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 56 degrees 57 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 39.632 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 12 degrees 9 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 53.843 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 21 degrees 21 minutes 14.6 seconds to the left for 107.945 feet to the northern line of West Farms road (as legally opened);

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 528.070 feet;

Thence northwesterly deflecting 117 degrees 4 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 81.305 feet;

Thence westerly for 508.934 feet to the point of beginning.

One Hundred and Eightieth street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating and laying out and the grades of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, from the Bronx river to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on January 2, 1906; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 29, 1905, as Map No. 1103, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole No. 28.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Eightieth street is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 5th day of April, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of a line 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly line of West Farms road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the West Farms road with a line distant 600 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, and running thence northwesterly and always parallel with and distant 600 feet from the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eightieth street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the northwesterly side of Boston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the Boston road; thence northwesterly and parallel with the northwesterly side of Boston road and always distant 100 feet from the same and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line 600 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence southeasterly and parallel with the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street and always distant 600 feet from the said line and along the prolongation of the said line to the southeasterly side of West Farms road; thence southeasterly at right angles to the line of West Farms road 100 feet; thence southwesterly and westerly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly and southerly from the southeasterly and southerly side of West Farms road to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

09,22

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LYVERE STREET, between Zerega avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; FULLER STREET, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; BUCK STREET, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; MACLAY AVENUE, between Parker street and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; STEARNS STREET, between Glover street and Parker street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and DORSEY STREET, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**P**URSUANT 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of the certain streets or avenues hereinbefore mentioned, to wit:

Said Lyvere street, between Zerega avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of West Farms road, distant 3,109.25 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Westchester avenue;

Thence westerly along the southern line of West Farms road for 60.084 feet;

Thence southerly deflecting 93 degrees 1 minute 50 seconds to the left for 214.966 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 49 degrees 26 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 305.663 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 85 degrees 28 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60.187 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 94 degrees 31 minutes and 30 seconds to the left for 338.033 feet;

Thence northerly for 239.411 feet to the point of beginning.

Lyvere street is shown on the map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out and the grade of the streets within the area bounded by Castle Hill avenue, Bear Swamp road, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Blondell avenue and Westchester avenue, 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, Laws of 1901," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx June 10, 1907, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 4, 1907, as map No. 1179, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 78.

The land to be taken for Lyvere street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Fuller street, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Seddon street, as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 143.845 feet southerly from the intersection of the said line with the southerly line of West Farms road; thence southeasterly along the southerly line of said Seddon street for 60.037 feet; thence southwesterly deflecting 87 degrees 59 minutes 43 seconds to the right for 586.701 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 95 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 60.295 feet; thence northeasterly for 582.845 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Fuller street being shown on the map or plan hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Fuller street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Buck street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Zerega avenue as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 1,821.892 feet from the intersection of the said line with the northerly line

of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of Zerega avenue for 60.058 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 87 degrees 28 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 574.685 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 94 degrees 54 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 60.221 feet; thence southwesterly for 572.169 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Buck street being shown on the map or plan hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Buck street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Maclay avenue, between Parker street and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of West Farms road, distant 1,654.162 feet westerly from the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Westchester avenue;

Thence along the southerly line of West Farms road 123.856 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 127 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 15.866 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,015.205 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 4 degrees 15 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 758.132 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 87 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60.045 feet;

Thence northwesterly deflecting 92 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 758.225 feet;

Thence northeasterly for 1,110.840 feet to the point of beginning.

Said Maclay avenue is described on the map or plan hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Maclay avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Stearns street, between Glover street and Parker street, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Parker street, as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 1,432.247 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said northern line of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along the westerly line of Parker street for 50.005 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 250.026 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees 49 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 50.005 feet;

Thence northeasterly for 250.026 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Stearns street is shown on the map hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Stearns street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Dorsey street (Carroll lane), between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Zerega avenue, as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 1,341.197 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said Zerega avenue as the same is now being legally acquired for 50.037 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 87 degrees 47 minutes and 30 seconds to the right for 555.176 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 94 degrees 54 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 50.184 feet; thence southwesterly for 550.816 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Dorsey street (Carroll lane) is shown on the map or plan heretofore referred to.

The land to be taken for Dorsey street is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 3d day of May, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of a line 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of Maclay avenue and parallel therewith, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Maclay avenue with a line midway between Seddon street and St. Peter's avenue, and running thence southwesterly and along the said line midway between Seddon street and St. Peter's avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Dorsey street and St. Raymond avenue; thence southwesterly and along the said line midway between Dorsey street and St. Raymond avenue and along the prolongation with the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street; thence northwesterly and along the same line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Stearns street and St. Raymond avenue; thence southwesterly and along the said line midway between Stearns street and St. Raymond's avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northerly side of St. Raymond avenue; thence northwesterly and along a line parallel with the southwesterly side of Glover street to the intersection with the centre line of Castle Hill avenue; thence northwardly along the centre line of Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with the northwesterly side of Stearns street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Stearns street; thence northwesterly and parallel with Stearns street to the intersection with a line midway between Glover street and Parker street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Glover street and Parker street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly side of Maclay avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Maclay avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with the line of Maclay avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Parker street and Zerega avenue; thence northwesterly and along the said line midway between Parker street and Zerega avenue to the intersection with the centre line of Castle Hill avenue; thence northwardly along the centre line of Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Lyvere street; the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lyvere street; thence northwesterly and parallel with the northwesterly line of Lyvere street, and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from the northwesterly and westerly line of Lyvere street, and along the prolongation of the said course to the intersection with a line midway between West Farms road and the first street laid out north of the West Farms road; thence eastwardly and along the said line midway between West Farms road and the unnamed street north of the said road to the intersection with the centre line of the street laid out to meet the West Farms road on its northerly side at a point between the intersection of Lyvere street and of Seddon street with the said road; thence southwardly along the centre line of the said unnamed street to the intersection with the southerly line of West Farms road; thence eastwardly and along the southerly side of the West Farms road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Seddon street and St. Peter's avenue through



that portion of their length southeasterly of Fuller street; thence southeasterly and along the said line midway between Seddon street and St. Peter's avenue to a point on the said line midway between West Farms road and Macloy avenue; thence eastwardly to the point of intersection of a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly side of Macloy avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Macloy avenue, with a line distant 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly side of the West Farms road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of West Farms road; thence northeastwardly and parallel with Macloy avenue and along the prolongation of the said course to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwardly from and parallel with the northerly side of the West Farms road; thence eastwardly and southeasterly and parallel with and always distant 100 feet from the northerly and northeasterly side of the West Farms road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Macloy avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Macloy avenue, and thence southwestwardly to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, and EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET between Chapin avenue (First street) and Laconia avenue, 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Chapin avenue (First street) and Laconia avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Laconia avenue and Bronxwood avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point distant 1,675 feet easterly from the easterly line of White Plains road, measured at right angles to the same from a point in the said easterly line, distant 1,313 feet north of the northerly line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence easterly at right angles to White Plains road for 1,620.199 feet; thence northerly, deflecting 85 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 60.161 feet; thence westerly deflecting 94 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 1,624.596 feet; thence southerly for 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street is shown on section 32 of the final maps of the Borough of The Bronx, prepared under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 and the acts amendatory thereof, which was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on January 2, 1906, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 29, 1905, and as Map No. 1103, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeon-hole 38.

The land to be taken for East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Chapin avenue, First street and Laconia avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of White Plains road distant 1,597 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northerly line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Thence northerly along the western line of White Plains road for 50 feet.

Thence westerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 1,252.712 feet.

Thence southwestwardly, deflecting 58 degrees 26 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 58.675 feet.

Thence easterly for 1,283.415 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of White Plains road, distant 1,597 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northerly line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence northerly along the easterly line of White Plains road for 50 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,675 feet; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 5 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,645.044 feet; thence southerly deflecting 94 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 60.161 feet; thence westerly deflecting 85 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 1,640.647 feet; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 5 feet; thence westerly for 1,675 feet to the point or place of beginning.

East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street is shown on sections 30 and 32 of the final maps of the Borough of The Bronx, prepared under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, and Amended Acts filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx June 19, 1905, and January 2, 1906; and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York June 14, 1905, and December 29, 1905, as Map No. 1059 and 1103, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same dates, in pigeon-holes 47 and 38, respectively.

The land to be taken for East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 3d day of May, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the prolongation of a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street with a line distant 100 feet east of and parallel with the easterly line of Laconia avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Laconia avenue, and running thence westwardly along the said line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet west of the westerly line of Bronxwood avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with the westerly line of Bronxwood avenue to the intersection of a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, through that portion of the length of each east of the White Plains road; thence westwardly along the line last described as midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and along the prolongation of the said line to the centre line of the Bronx river, and thence northwardly and northeastwardly along the centre line of the Bronx river to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet east of and parallel with the easterly side of Laconia avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Laconia avenue; thence southwardly to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of ZEREGA AVENUE, from Castle Hill avenue, near Hart's street, to Castle Hill avenue, near West Farms road, being the whole length of Zerega avenue, including Avenue A and Green lane, 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 thereof to be held in Part III. thereof, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 and the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereunto pertaining, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Zerega avenue, from Castle Hill avenue, near Hart's street, to Castle Hill avenue, near West Farms road, being the whole length of Zerega avenue, including Avenue A and Green lane, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of the Eastern boulevard, distant 76.717 feet easterly from the intersection of the easterly line of Tremont avenue (as legally opened December 15, 1903) with the northern line of Eastern boulevard measured in the direction of the Eastern boulevard.

Thence easterly along the southern line of Eastern boulevard for 80 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 3,123.13 feet.

Thence southwestwardly deflecting 42 degrees 27 minutes and 8 seconds to the right for 80.01 feet.

Thence southwestwardly deflecting 51 minutes 28 seconds to the left for 1,016.11 feet.

Thence southwestwardly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 2,726.634 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 610.72 feet.

Thence southwestwardly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,310.05 feet.

Thence northerly deflecting 151 degrees 14 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 303.04 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 75.07 feet; thence northeasterly deflecting 61 degrees 14 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 1,008.28 feet.

Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 2,806.634 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 628.64 feet.

Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 993.98 feet.

Thence northeasterly deflecting 10 degrees 21 minutes 22 seconds to the left for 93.57 feet.

Thence northerly for 3,065.60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Eastern boulevard distant 76.717 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the easterly line of Tremont avenue (as legally opened December 15, 1903).

Thence easterly along the northern line of Eastern boulevard for 80 feet.

Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 2,911.18 feet.

Thence northwesterly deflecting 74 degrees 11 minutes 7 seconds to the left for 73.95 feet.

Thence northwesterly deflecting 36 degrees 20 minutes 07 seconds to the right for 204.34 feet to the southern line of Westchester avenue.

Thence southwestwardly along the last mentioned line for 80 feet.

## Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Westchester avenue distant 1,086.53 feet easterly from an angle point in said line just east of the intersection of Glebe avenue with said line.

Thence southeasterly deflecting 39 degrees 26 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 667.71 feet.

Thence southwestwardly for 1,571.11 feet to the point of beginning.

Zerega avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the location, laying out and the grades of Zerega avenue, from Castle Hill avenue, near Westchester creek, to Castle Hill avenue, near West Farms road, 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on May 24, 1906, in the office of the Register of the City of New York and County of New York on May 24, 1906, as Map No. 1127-A, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeon-hole No. 1.

The land to be taken for Zerega avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 16th day of November, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the bulkhead line of the East river with the prolongation southwardly of a line 100 feet west of the westerly side of Castle Hill avenue and parallel thereto, and running thence northwardly along a line 100 feet west of the westerly line of Castle Hill avenue and parallel therewith to a point 100 feet south of the southerly side of the first new street south of West Farms road, between Castle Hill avenue and Protective avenue; thence westwardly along a line 100 feet south of the southerly side of the said first new street south of West Farms road and in a prolongation of the said line to a point 100 feet west of the westerly line of Protective avenue; thence northwardly along a line 100 feet west of the westerly line of Protective avenue and parallel therewith to the intersection of the said line with the southerly side of West Farms road; thence northwardly and at right angles to the West Farms road to the tracks of the Harlem River Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence eastwardly along the southerly side of the tracks of the Harlem River Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of Forest street, or Lutting avenue; thence along a line 100 feet east of the easterly side of Forest street, or Lutting avenue, and parallel therewith and the prolongation of said line to a line 100 feet northeast of the northeasterly side of St. Peter's avenue and parallel therewith; thence southeasterly along a line 100 feet northeast of the northeasterly side of St. Peter's avenue and parallel therewith to a point 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Westchester creek; thence northwardly on a line 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Westchester creek and parallel therewith, and the prolongation of said line until it meets the prolongation of a line 100 feet east of the easterly side of Seabury avenue and parallel therewith; thence southwardly along a line 100 feet east of the easterly side of Seabury avenue and parallel therewith, to the northerly bulkhead line of Westchester creek; thence along the bulkhead line of Westchester creek and the East river to the place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of that portion of BOSTON ROAD, between White Plains road and the north line of the city, 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, State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held in Part III. thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as that portion of Boston road, between the White Plains road and the north line of the city, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of White Plains road, distant 3,954.482 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Morris street (Burke avenue);

Thence southerly along the eastern line of White Plains road for 478.916 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 166 degrees 45 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 870.475 feet;

Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,400 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 758.796 feet;

Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,815.542 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 3 degrees 54 minutes to the left for 1,273.874 feet;

Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 2,400 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 618.098 feet to a point of reverse curve;

Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 2,400 feet radius for 161.632 feet to the southern line of Burke avenue (legally acquired as Morris street);

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 1,103 feet;

Thence westerly still along last mentioned line for 113.413 feet;

Thence southwestwardly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 2,500 feet radius for 111.616 feet to the point of reverse curve, the centre of said circle lies in the eastern prolongation of a line forming an angle of 28 degrees 12 minutes 7.4 seconds to the south and drawn southeasterly from the western extremity of the preceding course;

Thence southwestwardly on the arc of a circle of 2,300 feet radius for 592.344 feet;

Thence southwestwardly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,270.470 feet;

Thence southwestwardly deflecting 3 degrees 54 minutes to the right for 1,812.138 feet;

Thence southwestwardly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 1,500 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 812.996 feet;

Thence southwestwardly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 402.009 feet;

Thence westerly for 10 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Gun Hill road, distant 3,663.226 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of White Plains road;

Thence easterly along the southern line of Gun Hill road for 107.875 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 112 degrees 1 minute 40 seconds to the right for 403.005 feet;

Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 2,400 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 436.079 feet, to the northern line of Burke avenue (legally acquired as Morris street);

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 17.813 feet;

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 83.27 feet;

Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 77.47 feet radius for 33.36 feet along last mentioned line;

Thence westerly still along last mentioned line for 18.024 feet;

Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 2,500 feet radius for 548.213 feet, the western prolongation of the radius of said circle drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course deflects 30 degrees 50 minutes 9.2 seconds to the right from the western prolongation of said course;

Thence northeasterly for 362.546 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Gun Hill road distant 3,703.685 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of White Plains road;

Thence easterly along the northern line of Gun Hill road for 107.875 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 67 degrees 58 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 829.575 feet;

Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,600 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 617.032 feet;

Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,194.783 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 23 degrees 29 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 875.261 feet to the southern line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street;

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 103.172 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 75 degrees 45 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 829.078 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 23 degrees 29 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 1,173.987 feet;

Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 1,700 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 655.596 feet;

Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 870.034 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Baychester avenue distant 1,012.76 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Two Hundred and Twenty-second street;

Thence northerly along the western line of Baychester avenue for 100.151 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 93 degrees 9 minutes 5 seconds to the left for 752.820 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 12 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 658.849 feet to the eastern line of Two Hundred and Twenty-second street;

Thence southwesterly along the last mentioned line for 107.600 feet.

Thence northeasterly deflecting 68 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 607.800 feet.

Thence easterly for 735.987 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "E."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Baychester avenue distant 2,047.463 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street;

Thence northerly along the eastern line of Baychester avenue for 100.151 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 86 degrees 50 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 405.356 feet;

Thence easterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 1,000 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 459.239 feet to a point of reverse curve;

Thence northerly on the arc of a circle 2,400 feet radius for 869.317 feet to point of compound curve;

Thence easterly on the arc of a circle of 764.646 feet radius for 264.940 feet;

Thence easterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 474.083 feet;

Thence easterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 780 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 234.212 feet;

Thence easterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 2,100.454 feet;

Thence easterly deflecting 8 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 1,384.542 feet to the northern boundary of The City of New York;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 56 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 119.687 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 123 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 1,458.925 feet;

Thence westerly deflecting 8 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 2,108.173 feet;

Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 880 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 264.239 feet;

Thence westerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 474.083 feet;

Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 664.646 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 230.291 feet to a point of compound curve.

Thence southwestwardly on the arc of a circle of 2,300 feet radius for 833.095 feet to a point of reverse curve;

Thence westerly on the arc of a circle 1,100 feet radius for 505.163 feet;

Thence westerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 410.862 feet to the point of beginning.

Boston road is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the location, laying out and the grades of Boston road from White Plains road to the northern boundary of the City, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on March 29, 1905, in the office of the Register of the County of New York on March 27, 1905, as map No. 1084, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 43, and also shown on Section 31 of the final maps of the Borough of The Bronx, filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on February 2, 1906, in the office of the Register of the County of New York on January 30, 1906 as map No. 1103, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 59.

The land to be taken for Boston road is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 14th day of June, 1907, duly fixed and de-



terminated the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Bronx Park East with the northerly line of the Bronx and Pelham Parkway, and running thence northwardly along the westerly line of Bronx Park East to the intersection with the line midway between Mace avenue and Allerton avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Mace avenue and Allerton avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Olinville avenue and White Plains road; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Olinville avenue and White Plains to the intersection with a line midway between Allerton street and Britton street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Allerton avenue and Britton street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between White Plains road and Cruger avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between White Plains road and Cruger avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Allerton avenue and Arnow avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Allerton avenue and Arnow avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Holland avenue and Wallace avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Holland avenue and Wallace avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Adea avenue and Arnow avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Adea avenue and Arnow avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Matthews avenue and Bronxwood avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Matthews avenue and Bronxwood avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Adea avenue and Burke avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Adea avenue and Burke avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Bronxwood avenue and Radcliffe avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Bronxwood avenue and Radcliffe avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Burke avenue and Duncan street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Burke avenue and Duncan street to the intersection with a line midway between Colden avenue and Paulding avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Paulding avenue and Colden avenue to a point 200 feet northerly from the northerly side of Duncan street; thence eastwardly and parallel with Duncan street to the intersection with a line midway between Home avenue and Lurting avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Home avenue and Lurting avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Laconia avenue and Paulding avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Paulding avenue and Laconia avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between East Two Hundred and Fifteenth street and East Two Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between East Two Hundred and Fifteenth street and East Two Hundred and Sixteenth street to the intersection with a line distant 1,000 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Boston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boston road; thence northeastwardly and always parallel with said distant 1,000 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Boston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boston road, to the north line of the City; thence southeastwardly, northwardly and southeastwardly along the north boundary line of the City to the intersection with the prolongation of a line 1,000 feet southeastwardly from and parallel with the southeastwardly line of Boston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boston road; thence southwesterly and always parallel with and distant 1,000 feet southeastwardly from the southeastwardly line of Boston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boston road, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of the Bronx and Pelham Parkway; thence westwardly and along the northerly line of the Bronx and Pelham Parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of GLEBE AVENUE from Westchester avenue to Overing avenue; LYON AVENUE from Zerega avenue to Castle Hill avenue; FRISBY AVENUE from Zerega avenue to West Farms road; TRATMAN AVENUE from Zerega avenue to Benson avenue, 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 thereof, to be held in Part III thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and of one Commissioner of 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of certain streets or avenues known as Glebe avenue, from Westchester avenue to Overing avenue; Lyon avenue, from Zerega avenue to Castle Hill avenue; Frisby avenue, from Zerega avenue to West Farms road; Tratman avenue, from Zerega avenue to Benson avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Glebe avenue, from Westchester avenue to Overing avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Zerega avenue as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 924.704 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Westchester avenue.

Thence northwesterly along the western line of said Zerega avenue for 60.006 feet.

Thence southwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 505.052 feet.

Thence westerly deflecting 50 degrees 37 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 96.275 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting 104 degrees 49 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 1161.517 feet to the northern line of Westchester avenue.

Thence easterly along last-mentioned line for 60.077 feet.  
Thence northerly deflecting 89 degrees 41 minutes no seconds to the left for 1042.068 feet.  
Thence northeasterly for 589.941 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Zerega avenue as the same is now being legally acquired distant 845.826 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Westchester avenue.

Thence northwesterly along the eastern line of said Zerega avenue for 60.045 feet.

Thence northeasterly deflecting 87 degrees 47 minutes no seconds to the right for 388.729 feet.

Thence northeasterly deflecting 16 minutes 53.5 seconds to the right for 60.014 feet.

Thence northeasterly deflecting 1 degree 18 minutes 16.5 seconds to the right for 788.634 feet.

Thence southeasterly deflecting 92 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 60.065 feet.

Thence southwesterly deflecting 87 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 785.784 feet.

Thence southeasterly deflecting 1 degree 19 minutes 32 seconds to the left for 50.015 feet.

Thence southeasterly for 389.443 feet to the point of beginning.

Glebe avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out, and the grades of the streets within the area bounded by Castle Hill avenue, Bear Swamp road, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Blondell avenue and Westchester avenue, 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, Laws of 1901," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, June 10, 1907, in the office of the Register of The City and County of New York, June 4, 1907, as map No. 1179, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 78.

The land to be taken for Glebe avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Lyon avenue, from Zerega avenue to Castle Hill avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Zerega avenue as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 469.704 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Westchester avenue.

Thence northerly along the western line of said Zerega avenue for 60 feet.

Thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 899.723 feet.

Thence southwesterly deflecting 10 degrees 1 minute 24 seconds to the right for 67.099 feet.

Thence westerly deflecting 29 degrees 43 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 347.644 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet.

Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 350.922 feet.

Thence northeasterly deflecting 17 degrees 29 minutes 59 seconds to the left for 61.938 feet.

Thence northeasterly for 934.310 feet to the point of beginning.

Lyon avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out, and the grades of the streets within the area bounded by Castle Hill avenue, Bear Swamp road, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Blondell avenue, and Westchester avenue, 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, June 10, 1907, in the office of the Register of The City and County of New York on June 4, 1907, as map No. 1179, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 78.

The land to be taken for Lyon avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Frisby avenue, from Zerega avenue to the West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of West Farms road, distant 321.10 feet northwesterly from a point of curve of said line where the same meets the western line of Lane avenue;

Thence northwesterly along the western line of West Farms road for 60.828 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 75 degrees 50 minutes no seconds to the left for 956.875 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 1 degree 34 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 60.027 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 1 degree 42 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 341.168 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting 1 degree 18 minutes 16.5 seconds to the left for 60.014 feet;

Thence southwesterly deflecting no degrees 16 minutes 53.5 seconds to the left for 391.700 feet;

Thence southeasterly deflecting 87 degrees 47 minutes no seconds to the left for 60.045 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 92 degrees 13 minutes no seconds to the left for 392.414 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting no degrees 15 minutes 38 seconds to the right for 60.015 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 1 degree 19 minutes 32 seconds to the right for 341.115 feet;

Thence northeasterly deflecting 1 degree 42 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 60.027 feet;

Thence northeasterly for 966.288 feet to the point of beginning.

Frisby avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out, and the grade of the streets within the area bounded by Castle Hill avenue, Bear Swamp road, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Blondell avenue and Westchester avenue, 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 office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, June 10, 1907, in the office of the Register of The City and County of New York June 4, 1907, as map No. 1179, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon-hole 78.

The land to be taken for Frisby avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Tratman avenue, from Zerega avenue to Benson avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Benson avenue as the same is now being legally acquired, distant 122.487 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of Lane avenue, as the same is now being legally acquired; thence northwesterly along the westerly line of said Benson avenue for 61.480

feet; thence southwesterly deflecting 92 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 1,465.977 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 89 degrees 22 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 60.004 feet; thence northeasterly for 1,453.231 feet to the point of beginning.

Said Tratman avenue being shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Tratman avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 17th day of May, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between Overing street and Benson avenue with a line 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly side of Frisby avenue, and running thence northeastwardly and parallel with the line of Frisby avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northeasterly side of Williamsbridge road; thence northwesterly and at right angles to the line of the Williamsbridge road 100 feet; thence southeastwardly and parallel with the line of the Williamsbridge road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Frisby avenue and Tratman avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Frisby avenue and Tratman avenue to a point on the said line distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northeasterly side of Benson avenue; thence southeastwardly and parallel with the northeasterly line of Benson avenue as laid out between Tratman and Frisby avenues, and along the prolongation of the said course to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Tratman avenue and Westchester avenue; thence southwesterly and along the said line midway between Tratman avenue and Westchester avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street to the intersection of a line 100 feet southeastwardly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Lyon avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lyon avenue; thence southwesterly and parallel with the southeasterly line of Lyon avenue to the intersection of a line distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Glebe avenue, said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Glebe avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with the southeasterly line of Glebe avenue as laid out between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue through that portion of their length north of Lyon avenue; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly line of Lyon avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lyon avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Lyon avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Castle Hill avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with the line of Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Lyon avenue and Starling avenue; thence eastwardly and along said line midway between Lyon avenue and Starling avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Glebe avenue and St. Raymond avenue through that portion of their length northeast of Glover street; thence northeastwardly and always midway between St. Raymond avenue and Glebe avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection of a line midway between Overing street and Benson avenue, and thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Overing street and Benson avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BENSON AVENUE (Madison avenue), from West Farms road to Lane avenue; OVERING AVENUE (Washington avenue), from West Farms road to Westchester avenue; ST. PETER'S AVENUE (Union avenue), from Westchester avenue to West Farms road; SEDDON STREET (Tryon row), from St. Raymond avenue (Fourth street) to West Farms road; ROWLAND STREET (Washington avenue), from Westchester avenue to St. Raymond avenue (Fourth street); HUBBELL STREET (Washington avenue), from Dorsey street (Carroll place) to MacLay avenue (Fifth street), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and of one Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvements 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 thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of the certain streets or avenues hereinbefore mentioned, to wit:

Said Benson avenue (Madison avenue), from West Farms road to Lane avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described plots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of West Farms road as the same is being legally acquired, distant 1,654.162 feet westerly from the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of Westchester avenue as the same is being legally acquired for 23.85 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 127 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 1287.36 feet; thence southerly deflecting 9 degrees, 55 minutes 39 seconds to the right for 61.48 feet; thence easterly deflecting 54 degrees 0 minutes 19 seconds to the left for 122.49 feet; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 70 feet; thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 93.29 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 44 degrees 4 minutes and 40 seconds to

the right for 1244.34 feet; thence northeasterly for 37.86 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Benson avenue (Madison avenue) is shown on a map entitled "map or plan showing the locating, laying out, and the grades of the streets within the area bounded by Castle Hill avenue, Bear Swamp road, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Blondell avenue and Westchester avenue, 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, Laws of 1901"; which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on June 10, 1907, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on June 4, 1907, as Map No. 1179, and in the office of the counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date in pigeon hole 78.

The land to be taken for Benson avenue (Madison avenue) is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Overing avenue (Washington avenue), from West Farms road to Westchester avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of West Farms road as the same is being legally acquired, distant 1,986.020 feet westerly from the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of West Farms road as the same is being legally acquired 106.40 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 127 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 1,826.81 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along Westchester avenue for 60.03 feet; thence northwardly deflecting 88 degrees 13 minutes 35 seconds to the left for 1,760.43 feet; thence northeasterly for 24.61 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Overing avenue (Washington avenue) being shown on the map or plan hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Overing avenue (Washington avenue) is located east of the Bronx river.

Said St. Peters avenue (Union avenue), from Westchester avenue to West Farms road in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Westchester avenue, distant 1,008.731 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the easterly boundary of said avenue as the same was legally acquired October 15, 1903; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of Westchester avenue for 60.01 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 6 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 1,708.82 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 4 degrees 2 minutes and 3 seconds to the right for 60 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting no degrees 42 minutes 33 seconds to the left for 1,008.92 feet; thence easterly deflecting 126 degrees 40 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 74.81 feet; thence southwesterly deflecting 53 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 1,035.30 feet; thence southeasterly for 1,095.19 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said St. Peters avenue (Union avenue) being shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for St. Peters avenue (Union avenue) is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Seventh street (Tryon row), from St. Raymond avenue (Fourth street) to West Farms road in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of West Farms road as the same is being legally acquired, distant 2,800.987 feet westerly from the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of West Farms road as the same is being legally acquired for 60 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 2 minutes and 10 seconds to the left for 143.85 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 42 degrees 41 minutes 39 seconds to the left for 60.04 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 6 degrees 3 minutes and 19 seconds to the right for 960.43 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 41 minutes 18 seconds to the left for 60 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 100.11 feet; thence northerly for 113.33 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Seventh street (Tryon row) being shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Seventh street is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Rowland street (Washington avenue), from Westchester avenue to St. Raymond avenue (Fourth street) in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Westchester avenue, distant 1,409.359 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the easterly boundary of said avenue as the same was legally acquired October 15, 1903; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of Westchester avenue for 60.01 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 3 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 1,112.89 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 88 degrees 27 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 60.02 feet; thence southwesterly for 1,115.48 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Rowland street (Washington avenue) being shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Rowland street (Washington avenue) is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Hubbell street (Washington avenue), from Dorsey street (Carroll place) to MacLay avenue (Fifth street), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Dorsey street as the same is laid out on the map hereinbefore mentioned, distant 146.338 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the said line with the westerly line of Seventh street; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of said Dorsey street for 50.02 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 88 degrees, 34 minutes, 20 seconds to the right for 170.33 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 91 degrees, 25 minutes, 40 seconds to the right for 50.02 feet; thence northwesterly for 170.33 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Hubbell street (Washington avenue) being shown on the map or plan hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Hubbell street (Washington avenue) is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 8th day of March, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of a line 100 feet north of and parallel with the northerly side of West Farms road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the West Farms road with a line 100 feet north-easterly from and parallel with the northeastwardly side of Benson avenue, the said distance



being measured at right angles to the line of Benson avenue, and running southwardly and parallel with the northeasterly line of Benson avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southwestwardly from and parallel with the southwesterly side of West Farms road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Benson avenue; thence southeastwardly to a point on the northwesterly side of Frisby avenue, distant 135.5 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the said northwesterly line of Frisby avenue with the northeasterly line of Benson avenue; thence southeastwardly and parallel with the line of Benson avenue at its intersection with Frisby avenue to the intersection with the westerly side of Lane avenue; thence eastwardly at right angles to the line of Lane avenue 200 feet; thence southwardly and parallel with the westerly line of Lane avenue at its intersection with Benson avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeastwardly from and parallel with the southeastwardly side of Westchester avenue. The said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Westchester avenue; thence southwesterly and parallel with the line of Westchester avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Rowland street and Zerega avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Rowland street and Zerega avenue to the intersection with the centre line of St. Raymond avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said centre line of St. Raymond avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Seddon street and Zerega avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Seddon street and Zerega avenue to the centre line of Dorsey street, thence southwestwardly along the said centre line of Dorsey street to the intersection with a line midway between Hubbell street and Zerega avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Hubbell street and Zerega avenue to the centre line of Macley avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said centre line of Macley avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Seddon street and Zerega avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Seddon street and Zerega avenue to the centre line of Fuller street, thence northeastwardly along the said centre line of Fuller street to the intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the West Farms road and passing through a point on the southerly side of the said road midway between its intersection with Lyvere street and Seddon street; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to the West Farms road to a point 100 feet north of the northerly side of the said West Farms road; thence eastwardly and parallel with the West Farms road to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, in and to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of ROSEDALE AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and West Farms road; COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and West Farms road; ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and West Farms road; TAYLOR AVENUE (Harrison avenue) between Westchester avenue and West Farms road; LELAND AVENUE (Saxe avenue), between Westchester avenue and West Farms road; BEACH AVENUE (One Hundred and Seventy-third street), between Gleason avenue and West Farms road; THERIOT AVENUE (One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street) between Gleason avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the 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 thereof to be held in Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvements 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 thereunto pertaining, required for the opening and extending of the certain streets or avenues hereinbefore mentioned, to wit: Rosedale avenue, between Westchester avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Being at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 2,323.594 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) 486.923 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 1 minute and 20 seconds to the left for 317.402 feet; thence southerly deflecting 10 degrees 36 minutes .05 seconds to the left for 80.061 feet; thence southerly deflecting 2 degrees 13 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 1,282.010 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Westchester avenue for 81.420 feet; thence northerly deflecting 79 degrees 17 minutes to the left for 1,259.245 feet; thence northerly deflecting 2 degrees 14 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 81.391 feet; thence northerly for 278.003 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 2,455.545 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 86.923 feet; thence northerly deflecting 66 degrees 58 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 934.189 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 38 degrees 56 minutes 53.4 seconds to the left for 102.880 feet; thence northeasterly deflecting 56 degrees 58 minutes 53.4 seconds to the right for 206.349 feet; thence easterly deflecting 46 degrees 36 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 0.879 feet to the westerly line of West Farms road; thence southeastwardly along the westerly line of West Farms road for 95.143

feet; thence easterly along the southerly line of West Farms road for 40.542 feet; thence southwesterly deflecting 133 degrees 31 minutes and 30 seconds to the right for 53.877 feet; thence southerly for 1,137.229 feet to the point of beginning.

Said Rosedale avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out and the grades of the streets within the area bounded by St. Lawrence avenue, Westchester avenue, Noble avenue, Bronx River avenue and the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and Catholic Protector, Fuglesy avenue, Story avenue, White Plains road and Ludlow avenue, 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 666 of the Laws of 1901." Which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, June 10, 1907, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on June 4, 1907, as Map No. 1176, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date, in pigeonhole 78.

The land to be taken for Rosedale avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Commonwealth avenue, between Westchester avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 2,046.526 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 65.192 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 1 minute 20 seconds to the left for 195.141 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 15 degrees 28 minutes 11.4 seconds to the left for 83.007 feet; thence southerly deflecting 7 degrees 6 minutes and 1.4 seconds to the right for 1,191.969 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along said last mentioned line for 61.065 feet; thence northerly deflecting 79 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 1,171.787 feet; thence northerly deflecting 7 degrees 31 minutes 44.5 seconds to the left for 83.182 feet; thence northerly for 169.645 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 2,178.477 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 65.192 feet; thence northerly deflecting 66 degrees 58 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 1,356.344 feet to the southerly line of West Farms road (now Walker avenue); thence northeasterly along last mentioned line for 66.471 feet; thence southerly for 1,410.448 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Commonwealth avenue being shown on the map hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Commonwealth avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said St. Lawrence avenue, between Westchester avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 1,758.101 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 81.891 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 1 minute 20 seconds to the left for 88.906 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 23 degrees 35 minutes 33.5 seconds to the left for 87.297 feet; thence southerly deflecting 15 degrees 13 minutes 23.5 seconds to the right for 1,104.511 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along the last mentioned line for 61.065 feet; thence northerly for 1,222.645 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 1,906.842 feet westerly from the intersection of the said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 65.192 feet; thence northerly deflecting 66 degrees 58 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 1,581.776 feet to the southerly line of West Farms road (Walker avenue); thence northeasterly along said last mentioned line for 66.471 feet; thence southerly for 1,635.880 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said St. Lawrence avenue being shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be acquired for St. Lawrence avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Taylor avenue (formerly Harrison avenue), between Westchester avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 1,098.418 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 68.422 feet; thence southerly deflecting 118 degrees 43 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 827.320 feet to the northerly line of Westchester; thence easterly along the last mentioned line for 61.674 feet; thence northerly for 780.160 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) and distant 1,242.689 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 68.422 feet; thence southerly deflecting 61 degrees 16 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 1,584.796 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 8 degrees 50 minutes no

seconds to the left for 60.228 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 4 degrees 59 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 350 feet to the southerly line of West Farms road (Walker avenue); thence northeasterly along the last mentioned line for 60 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 350 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 3 degrees 17 minutes 28 seconds to the right for 60.099 feet; thence southerly for 1,632.448 feet to the point of beginning.

Said Taylor avenue being shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Taylor avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Leland avenue (formerly Saxe avenue), between Westchester avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lands, lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 494.026 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 85.527 feet; thence southerly deflecting 118 degrees 43 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 422.537 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 77.093 feet; thence northerly for 363.587 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) distant 638.297 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 89.978 feet; thence easterly deflecting 151 degrees 16 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 3.904 feet; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 691.670 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 18 degrees 42 minutes 25.8 seconds to the left for 60.218 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 4 degrees 52 minutes 55.8 seconds to the right for 350 feet to the southerly line of West Farms road (Walker avenue); thence northeasterly along last mentioned line for 75 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 350 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 6 degrees 59 minutes 44.5 seconds to the left for 60.450 feet; thence southerly for 2053.375 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Leland avenue being shown on the map hereinbefore referred to.

The land to be taken for Leland avenue is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Beach avenue (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-third street), between Gleason avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Westchester avenue, distant 1319.067 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Westchester avenue for 61.079 feet; thence southerly deflecting 79 degrees 12 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 630.577 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet; thence northerly for 642.009 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) distant 1383.780 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 65.658 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 57 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 139.919 feet; thence southerly deflecting 4 degrees 57 minutes no seconds to the left for 885.430 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along the said last mentioned line for 61.674 feet; thence northerly deflecting 76 degrees 37 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 868.659 feet; thence northerly 110.757 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## Parcel C.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) distant 1517.681 feet westerly from the intersection of the said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 65.658 feet; thence northerly deflecting 66 degrees 2 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 24.098 feet; thence northerly deflecting 5 degrees 23 minutes no seconds to the left for 929.364 feet; thence northerly deflecting 6 degrees 19 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 88.277 feet to the southerly line of West Farms road (Walker avenue); thence easterly along last mentioned line for 63.663 feet; thence southerly deflecting 109 degrees 31 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 906.246 feet; thence southerly deflecting 6 degrees 19 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 928.871 feet; thence southerly for 53.584 feet to the point of beginning.

Said Beach avenue (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-third street) is shown on the map hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Beach avenue (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-third street) is located east of the Bronx river.

Said Theriot avenue (formerly Gleason avenue and West Farms road, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## Parcel A.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Westchester avenue distant 789.713 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Westchester avenue for 61.079 feet; thence southerly deflecting 79 degrees 12 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 729.655 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 60 feet; thence northerly for 41.087 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## Parcel B.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 807.625 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at West-

chester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the southerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 68.422 feet; thence southerly deflecting 118 degrees 43 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 626.894 feet to the northerly line of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along said last mentioned line for 61.674 feet; thence northerly for 579.734 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## Parcel C.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), distant 951.896 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the public place at Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street); thence westerly along the northerly line of Tremont avenue (now East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) for 68.422 feet; thence northerly deflecting 61 degrees 16 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 1,787.317 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 11 degrees 18 minutes 47.7 seconds to the left for 60.058 feet; thence northwesterly deflecting 2 degrees 30 minutes 42 seconds and 3-10 of a second to the left for 350 feet to the southerly line of West Farms road (Walker avenue); thence northeasterly along the last mentioned line for 60 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 350 feet; thence southeastwardly deflecting no degrees 48 minutes 14.4 seconds to the right for 60.006 feet; thence southerly for 1834.969 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said Theriot avenue (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street) being shown on the maps hereinbefore mentioned.

The land to be taken for Theriot avenue (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street) is located east of the Bronx river.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 14th day of June, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the prolongation of a line midway between Noble avenue and Croes avenue with the southerly line of the lands of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company adjoining West Farms road, and running thence eastwardly along the said southerly line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company's lands adjoining West Farms road to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the White Plains road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the White Plains road; thence southwardly and along a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the White Plains road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the White Plains road to the intersection with a line 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly line of Westchester avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Westchester avenue; thence westwardly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Westchester avenue to the intersection of a line midway between Leland and Theriot avenues; thence southwardly along a line midway between Theriot avenue and Leland avenue to a point 100 feet south of the southerly line of Gleason avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Gleason avenue to the intersection of a line midway between Theriot avenue and Taylor avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Theriot avenue and Taylor avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Westchester avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Westchester avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with the line of Westchester avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Taylor avenue and Beach avenue; thence southwardly and along the said line midway between Taylor avenue and Beach avenue, to a point distant 100 feet south of the southerly line of Gleason avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with the line of Gleason avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Beach avenue and St. Lawrence avenue; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Beach avenue and St. Lawrence avenue to the intersection of a line 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Westchester avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Westchester avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with the line of Westchester avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Noble avenue and Croes avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Noble avenue and Croes avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the widening of RIVERSIDE DRIVE between West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and West One Hundred and Forty-second streets, 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 thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1907, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of 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 use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the widening of a certain street or avenue known as Riverside Drive, between West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Forty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street, distant 492 feet westerly from Broadway, thence southerly to a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, distant 538 feet westerly from Broadway—distant 205.05 feet to said northerly line, thence westerly along said northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, distant 50 feet to the easterly line of Riverside Drive, thence northerly along said easterly line of the Drive, and in a curved line to the right radius 207.80 feet, distant 216.42 feet, thence northerly in a reverse



curve line, radius 484.44, distant 2.61 feet to the southerly of West One Hundred and Forty-second street, thence along said line distant 19.05 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street, distant 550 feet westerly from Broadway, thence northerly parallel to said street distant 199.83 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, thence westerly along said line distant 38 feet to the easterly line of Riverside Drive, thence southerly along said line distant 199.83 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, thence easterly along said street, distant 38 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street distant 554 feet westerly from Broadway, thence southerly to a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street at its intersection with the Riverside Drive, distant 200.13 feet, thence northerly along the easterly line of said Drive distant 109.41 feet, thence northerly along said Drive and in a curved line to the right, radius 1,218.97 feet, distant 91.64 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-second street, thence easterly along said line distant 32.52 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Streets to be found in Section 7, Blocks 2087 and 2088 of the land map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 3d day of May, 1907, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Riverside Drive midway between West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and running thence easterly on a line midway between West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to a point midway between the easterly side of Riverside Drive and the westerly side of Broadway, thence northwardly on a line midway between the easterly side of Riverside Drive and the westerly side of Broadway to a line midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, thence easterly on a line midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to a line midway between the easterly side of Broadway and the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue, thence northwardly on a line midway between the easterly side of Broadway and the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue to a line midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-second street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-third street, thence westwardly on a line midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-second street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-third street to a point midway between the westerly side of Broadway and the easterly side of Riverside Drive, thence northwardly on a line midway between the westerly side of Broadway and the easterly side of Riverside Drive to a point midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, thence westwardly on a line midway between the northerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and the southerly side of West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to the easterly side of Riverside Drive, thence southwardly along the easterly side of Riverside Drive to the place of beginning.

Said Riverside Drive is shown on a certain map entitled "Map, plan and profile of the laying out of the extension of West One Hundred and Forty-first street from its present end 325 feet west of Broadway to Riverside Drive and a new street on the easterly side of Riverside Drive from West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to West One Hundred and Forty-second street," also alteration and new grade on West One Hundred and Forty-first street and on West One Hundred and Forty-second street from Broadway to Riverside Drive, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Corporation Counsel and the Register of the County of New York on the 30th day of October, 1906.

Said streets are located in Section 7, Blocks 2087 and 2088, land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,

Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of COLLEGE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Teller avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and amended final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 8, 1907.

WM. W. NILES,

WILLIAM G. FISHER,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx river to Pelham Bay Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 29th day of October, 1907, 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 October, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said supplemental and amended 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 the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of October, 1907.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Station place with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 500 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of that part of Briggs avenue lying east of White Plains road; thence northeasterly along said easterly line of Station place and its northeasterly prolongation to an intersection with the easterly line of Bronx river; thence northerly along the easterly line of Bronx river to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 500 feet northwesterly from the northeasterly line of that part of Briggs avenue lying east of White Plains road; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its southeasterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly right of way line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and distant 175 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly line of Briggs avenue and distant 500 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northwesterly prolongation to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, our supplemental and amended final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of January, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our supplemental and amended final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 3, 1907.

FRANK GASS,

JAMES F. SMITH,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of LAWRENCE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Lind avenue to West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of October, 1907, 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, October 5, 1907.

T. CHANNON PRESS,

FRANCIS E. SPLAIN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TAYLOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of

all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 23d day of October, 1907, 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 October, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts 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 the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of October, 1907.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly of the westerly line of Van Buren street and a line parallel to and distant three hundred (300) feet northerly of the northerly line of Morris Park avenue; running thence easterly along said last mentioned parallel line to Morris Park avenue, to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet easterly of easterly line of Fillmore street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence again southerly along a straight line to the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly of the southerly line of West Farms road with the middle line of the block between Saxe avenue and Cottage Grove avenue; thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Theriot avenue and Saxe avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet north of the northerly line of Archer place; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Harrison avenue and Theriot avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet north of the northerly line of Cornell avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Clason Point road and Harrison avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet north of the northerly line of Archer place; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between St. Lawrence avenue and Clason Point road; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly of the southerly line of West Farms road; thence westerly along said parallel line to a point midway between Commonwealth avenue and St. Lawrence avenue; thence northerly along a straight line from said point to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly of the westerly line of Van Buren street where same intersects the northerly line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northerly along said last mentioned parallel line and its northerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning; as such area is shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of December, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 16, 1907.

RALPH HICKOX,

TIMOTHY E. COHALAN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

03,22

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly line of TENTH AVENUE, between Fifth and Fifty-first streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 proceeding, 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, Room 1405, No. 277 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, September 28, 1907, file their ob-

jections, 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 10th day of October, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, September 27, 1907.  
S. STANWOOD MENKEN,  
ADAM T. SCHNEIDER,  
EZRA R. THOMPSON,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,

Clerk.

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#### SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

##### NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

##### WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

##### Catskill Aqueduct, Section No. 1.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles A. Shaw and Charles N. Chadwick, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Towns of Yorktown and Cortlandt, Westchester County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Third Separate Report of Edward G. Whitaker, William C. Kellogg and Arthur W. Lawrence, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, by an order of this Court made at a Special Term thereof, held at the Court House at White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., January 19, 1907, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 13th day of September, 1907, and affects Parcels Numbers Forty-seven (47), Forty-six (46) and Forty-eight (48), shown on the map in this proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Justice's Chambers, in the City of New Rochelle, Westchester County, New York, on the 26th day of October, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, September 30, 1907.  
FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,  
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, New York City.

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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 bid or estimate, 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, and 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.