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## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

### Weekly Calendar of Hearings.

The following hearings will be held during the remainder of the week commencing July 4, 1910:

Friday, July 8, 1910—2:00 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1181.—Third Ave. Railroad Co.—“Application of Bondholders’ Committee for approval of issue of securities under second reorganization plan.”—Chairman Willcox and Commissioner Maltbie. 2:30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1235.—New York, New Haven & Hartford RR. Co.—Ethel E. Bailey, Complainant.—“Excess fare from Casanova to Bartow Station.”—Commissioner Eustis.

Regular meetings of the Commission are held every Tuesday and Friday, at 11:30 a. m., in Room 310.

## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### SPECIAL MEETING.

Tuesday, July 5, 1910, 12 o'clock m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Thomas F. Baldwin,	Alexander S. Drescher,	Thomas J. McAleer,
Thomas F. Barton,	William Drescher,	John McCann,
John A. Bolles,	Daniel Ehntholt,	George Markert,
John H. Boschen,	Edward Eichhorn,	Samuel Marx,
Edward Brady,	O. Grant Esterbrook,	John J. Meagher,
William D. Brush,	William Fink,	George A. Morrison,
James E. Campbell,	William H. Finley,	Courtlandt Nicoll,
Charles P. Cole,	James H. Finnigan,	James J. Nugent,
Daniel R. Coleman,	Ralph Folks,	John J. Reardon,
Daniel T. Cornell,	John S. Gaynor,	Edwin W. Sohmer,
Percy L. Davis,	Henry F. Grimm,	William C. Towne,
William J. Desmond,	Joseph M. Hannon,	Michael J. Volkmann,
John Diemer,	Abram W. Herbst,	Leonard A. Van Nostrand,
Frank J. Dotzler,	Tristram B. Johnson,	John F. Walsh,
Frank L. Dowling,	Francis P. Kenney,	Louis Wendel, Jr.,
Robert F. Downing,	Max S. Levine,	James R. Weston.

Lawrence Gresser, President, Borough of Queens, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works.

Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.  
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Taxes and Assessments:

No. 1697.

The City of New York, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, July 5, 1910.

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

Gentlemen—The Board of Taxes and Assessments herewith transmit, as required by section 907 of the Greater New York Charter, the assessment rolls of real and per-

sonal estate of The City of New York, for the year 1910; also the following summary statement as contained in said rolls, showing the assessed valuation of real and personal estate in The City of New York for said year.

Borough.	Real Estate.	Personal Estate.	Total.
Manhattan .....	\$4,743,916,785 00	\$298,030,483 00	\$5,041,947,268 00
The Bronx.....	493,757,919 00	7,716,550 00	501,474,469 00
Brooklyn .....	1,404,036,521 00	59,331,825 00	1,463,368,346 00
Queens .....	334,563,960 00	5,358,480 00	339,922,440 00
Richmond .....	67,917,489 00	2,207,487 00	70,124,976 00
Total.....	\$7,044,192,674 00	\$372,644,825 00	\$7,416,837,499 00

The separate series of installments of interest on bonds and the (fourth) installment thereof, issued under the provisions of chapter 311, Laws of 1886, as amended by chapter 335 of the Laws of 1886, for paving, curbing and guttering streets and avenues in the 26th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, have been entered in four (4) volumes.

Also the separate series of installments of assessments for sewer improvements in the 29th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to chapter 161 of the Laws of 1889, and amendments thereto, have been entered in one (1) volume.

Also one (1) volume containing the eighth installment for Flatbush avenue improvement in the 29th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to Chapter 161 of the Laws of 1889, and amendments thereto.

Also one (1) volume containing the installments for 1910, for opening and grading streets in the 31st Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, formerly the Town of Gravesend, as authorized by chapter 118, Laws of 1892, amended by chapter 171, Laws of 1893, and chapter 522, Laws of 1899, and which was transmitted to this Department by the Board of Assessors on July 2, 1910.

All of which are transmitted with the assessment rolls of real and personal estate, comprising in all three hundred and seventy-nine (379) volumes.

Very respectfully,

LAWSON PURDY, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President then directed the Clerk to read the following order:

No. 1698.

City of New York, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, July 5, 1910.

Whereas, The tax and assessment rolls having been finally submitted to the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday, July 5, 1910, the undersigned, in the name of the Board of Aldermen, and as one of its acts, and by virtue of law, authorizes and requests the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, by themselves and such clerical assistance as may be at their disposal, without expense to the City, to cause to be properly estimated and computed the taxes to be imposed under and by virtue of said rolls, and to cause the said estimation and computation to be properly set down and extended in the said tax or assessment rolls or books; to cause the item of said taxes to be carefully added, and set down the amount of the same in the said rolls or books, and to perform such other duties connected with the said tax or assessment rolls or books as the undersigned is, by sections 909 and 910 of the Greater New York Charter, authorized or required to have done.

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

Alderman Dowling moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned sine die.

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

## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, July 5, 1910, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Francis P. Bent,	Alexander Dujat,	George Markert,
Vice-Chairman;	Daniel Ehntholt,	Samuel Marx,
Thomas F. Baldwin,	Edward Eichhorn,	John J. Meagher,
Thomas F. Barton,	O. Grant Esterbrook,	George A. Morrison,
John A. Bolles,	Lawrence J. Fagan,	James J. Mulhearn,
John H. Boschen,	William Fink,	Courtlandt Nicoll,
Edward Brady,	William H. Finley,	James J. Nugent,
William D. Brush,	James H. Finnigan,	Lewis M. Potter,
Stephen Callaghan,	Ralph Folks,	John J. Reardon,
James E. Campbell,	John S. Gaynor,	Joseph Schloss,
Michael Carberry,	Henry F. Grimm,	Peter Sheridan,
Charles P. Cole,	James Hamilton,	W. Augustus Shipley,
Daniel R. Coleman,	Joseph M. Hannon,	James J. Smith,
Daniel T. Cornell,	William J. Heffernan,	Frederick Snell,
Frank A. Cunningham,	Abram W. Herbst,	Edwin W. Sohmer,
Percy L. Davis,	John J. Hickey,	Michael Stapleton,
Charles Delaney,	John F. Hoertz,	William C. Towne,
John Diemer,	Tristram B. Johnson,	Michael J. Volkmann,
Frank J. Dotzler,	William P. Kenneally,	Leonard A. Van Nostrand,
Frank L. Dowling,	Francis P. Kenney,	John F. Walsh,
Robert F. Downing,	Max S. Levine,	Louis Wendel, Jr.,
Alexander S. Drescher,	Thomas J. McAleer,	James R. Weston,
William Drescher,	John McCann,	John J. White,

George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.

Lawrence Gresser, President, Borough of Queens, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works.

Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works.

George McAneny, President, Borough of Manhattan, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works.

The President announced that Alderman Godwin had been excused from attendance.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of June 28, 1910.

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

## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1699.

An invitation to attend the annual outing of the Edward Eichhorn Association. Which was accepted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.  
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning:

No. 1700.

July 6, 1910.

To JOHN P. MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Owing to the fact that the Hoey bill, having been signed by the Mayor, also the Governor, gives two weeks' vacation to all Department employees, the work of the Department will be seriously handicapped and the streets will not be able to be kept in proper shape. I therefore request your Honorable Board that you appropriate the sum



of \$125,000 special revenue bonds, under chapter 188, subdivision 8, for the purpose of replacing regular men by extra men during vacation period. No available funds in the Budget for this purpose.

Yours respectfully,  
W. H. EDWARDS.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Armory Board:

No. 1701.

Office of the Secretary, The Armory Board, Hall of Records, New York, June 29, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Armory Board held May 23, 1910, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby requested to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to an amount not to exceed \$9,000, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to wiring by electricity the armory of the Ninth Coast Artillery District, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully,  
C. D. RHINEHART, Secretary.

No. 1702.

Office of the Secretary, The Armory Board, Hall of Records, New York, June 29, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Armory Board held May 23, 1910, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby requested to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to an amount not to exceed \$12,000, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to repairing and rendering watertight the stables of Squadron C Armory, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,  
C. D. RHINEHART, Secretary.

No. 1703.

Office of the Secretary, The Armory Board, Hall of Records, New York, June 29, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Armory Board held May 23, 1910, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That the requisition of the commanding officer of the 23d Regiment, for painting, equipping, etc., the Surgeon's and new Field Hospital quarters, and for partitions, lockers and enlargement of company rooms, at an estimated cost of \$16,250, be granted, with the exception of two items therein, namely, \$3,200 for seats on drill room floor and \$1,075 for alterations in billiard room, be stricken from the list; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby requested to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to an amount not to exceed \$11,975, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to painting, equipping, etc., in the armory of the 23d Regiment, as requisitioned for by the commanding officer of that organization.

Respectfully,  
C. D. RHINEHART, Secretary.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Parks, The Bronx:

No. 1704.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, June 29, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, City of New York:

Sir—Application is hereby made to your Honorable Board for the issuance of a special revenue bond to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be used for the purpose of complying with the requirements of the Department of Health in effecting the destruction of mosquito producing areas at Pelham Bay Park, Hunter and Quinn Islands, by draining the area of the marsh lands therein, estimated by the Health Department to cover about four hundred (400) acres.

Respectfully,  
T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 1705.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, June 23, 1910.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—A resolution was adopted on June 28, 1909, by the Local Board of the Williamsburg District for the construction of an outlet for the S. 6th st. sewer, as follows, and transmitted to the Board of Estimate:

"Beginning in the centre line of S. 6th st., about 30 feet west of Kent ave.; thence northerly across S. 6th st. to and across land of The City of New York (now under jurisdiction of the Department of Bridges) to a point in S. 5th st., about 180 feet west of Kent ave."

I enclose herewith copy of report made relative thereto by the Chief Engineer of the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, part of which is as follows:

"The cost of the work is estimated to be about \$6,200, and that the assessed valuation of the property to be benefited is \$21,291,600. It is evident that the cost of preparing an assessment for this improvement would amount to as much or more than the construction itself and that the case is similar to one recently considered by the Board relating to an outlet sewer at the foot of Clarkson st., in the Borough of Manhattan, where it was deemed inadvisable to assess for benefit. In the latter case the cost of the work was met through an issue of special revenue bonds, and I see no reason why the improvement now proposed should not be similarly treated."

In accordance therewith, I would respectfully request that your Honorable Body adopt a resolution authorizing the issuance of special revenue bonds amounting to \$6,500, for the construction of an outlet to the S. 6th st. sewer, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Williamsburg District and recommendation of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Yours very truly,  
L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Report No. 7930. Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Chief Engineer, May 19, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Williamsburg District, Borough of Brooklyn, adopted on June 28, 1909, initiating proceedings for constructing an outlet sewer from a point on the centre line of S. 6th st., about 30 feet west of Kent ave., diagonally across the Williamsburg Bridge lands to a point in S. 5th st., about 180 feet west of Kent ave.

The drainage plan showing the proposed construction was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in 1909, at which time it was understood that the present outlet of the S. 6th st. sewer would have to be abandoned owing to its relation to the piers of the Williamsburg Bridge, the construction of which was responsible for the present unsanitary condition. The sewer, if perpetuated, would require substantial repairs, and it is now proposed to supersede it with a new sewer connecting with the one already built in S. 5th st., near its outlet.

The report of the Chief Engineer of the Sewer Bureau, which accompanies the resolution, shows that the cost of the work is estimated to be about \$6,200, and that the assessed valuation of the property to be benefited is \$21,291,600. It is evident that the cost of preparing an assessment for this improvement would amount to as much

or more than the construction itself and that the case is similar to one recently considered by the Board relating to an outlet sewer at the foot of Clarkson st., in the Borough of Manhattan, where it was deemed inadvisable to assess for benefit. In the latter case the cost of the work was met through an issue of special revenue bonds, and I see no reason why the improvement now proposed should not be similarly treated.

It is therefore recommended that the resolution be returned to the Borough President and that his attention be called to the desirability of following a similar procedure to that followed in the matter of the Clarkson st. sewer.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1706.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 1, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of twenty-seven (27) resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, recommending the establishment of new positions and additional grades of positions in the various City Departments as follows:

Department of Finance—Expert Accountant, 2 incumbents, \$5,000 per annum; 2 incumbents, \$2,500 per annum; Examiner and various other positions, \$1,950 per annum.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Chief of Meter Setting, 1 incumbent, \$2,400 per annum; Assistant Chief of Meter Setting and various other positions, 2 incumbents, \$2,000 per annum; Water Register, Mr. Clair Foster (present incumbent only), \$6,000 per annum; Secretary to the Commissioner, Mr. J. L. Pultz (present incumbent only), \$5,000 per annum; Foreman of Wells, 1 incumbent, \$4 per diem.

College of The City of New York—Clerk, 1 incumbent, \$1,200 per annum.

Department of Education—Assistant Superintendent of School Buildings (Assistant to Deputy, to be abolished), 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum.

Fire Department—Veterinarian, 1 incumbent, \$2,500 per annum.

Department of Docks and Ferries—Storekeeper, 1 incumbent, \$1,800 per annum; Captain of 100-ton Derrick and various other positions, Thomas D. Stuyvesant (present incumbent only), \$1,650 per annum.

Department of Bridges—Telephone Operator, 1 incumbent, \$900 per annum.

County Clerk, New York County—Confidential Stenographer, 1 incumbent, \$900 per annum.

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Examiner, 3 incumbents, \$2,400 per annum.

Normal College—Secretary of the Normal College, 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum.

Office, President, Borough of Brooklyn—Typewriter Accountant, 1 incumbent, \$1,500 per annum.

Bureau of Weights and Measures, Office of the Mayor—Stenographer, 1 incumbent, \$1,200 per annum; Clerk, 1 incumbent, \$900 per annum; Clerk, 2 incumbents, \$600 per annum.

Department of Correction—Deckhand, \$720 per annum.

City Clerk's Office—Cashier, 1 incumbent, \$2,500 per annum.

Office, President, Borough of The Bronx—Typewriting Copyist, \$600 per annum.

Office, Board of City Record—Editor and various other positions, 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum.

Office, Board of Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn—Clerk to Coroners, 2 incumbents, \$1,500 per annum.

Office, President, Borough of The Bronx—Foreman of Hostlers, 1 incumbent, \$1,800 per annum.

Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Supervisor of Recreation, 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum.

Office, District Attorney, Queens County—Stenographer, 2 incumbents, \$1,500 per annum.

Office, President, Borough of The Bronx—Automobile Engineman, 1 incumbent, \$1,200 per annum.

Fire Department—Electrical Engineer, 1 incumbent, \$5,000 per annum; Secretary to the Commissioner (present grade at \$2,500 abolished), 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum.

I also transmit copies of reports of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President, Board of Aldermen, relative thereto, together with forms of Resolutions for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 27, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for the establishment of certain grades of positions in the Department of Finance. Examination has disclosed the fact that in this Department, as well as practically every other Department in the City, employees have been receiving salaries for years past who were appointed in full compliance with the civil service laws of the State and the rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, but whose grades have not been properly established in accordance with section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, and the present request is made for the purpose of bringing the payroll into accord with the provisions of that section of the Charter.

In the following schedule are given the names of the incumbents of these positions and the date on which they were appointed by the Comptroller to their respective grades:

Expert Accountant, at \$5,000—R. M. Chapman, December 1, 1909; Duncan MacInnes, December 1, 1909.

Expert Accountant, at \$2,500—J. S. Van Wyck, January 14, 1909; William Daly, July 1, 1908.

Examiner, at \$1,950—Ed. T. Clarity, July 1, 1909; Charles E. Rice, February 1, 1907; Jeremiah Bacon, March 6, 1906.

Bookkeeper, at \$3,500—Jos. R. Kenny, August 1, 1908.

Financial Clerk, at \$2,550—Ira B. Betts, May 1, 1907.

Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,200—Margaret L. Heatherton, May 19, 1908; Gladys A. Mulhallon, October 1, 1907; Mary F. Harnett, October 1, 1907; John J. McGarry, April 1, 1908; Anne A. Boyle, July 1, 1909; R. L. Prall, April 4, 1910; M. A. Lunz, June 1, 1908; Maud H. Bross, July 7, 1909; Daniel J. McNamara, April 1, 1908.

Typewriting Copyist, at \$750—Bertha M. Brown, March 19, 1910; Bertha Joseph, March 16, 1910.

Typewriter Accountant, at \$1,200—Jos. W. McGovern, July 8, 1909; Chas. F. Betz, May 13, 1910.

Bookbinder, at \$1,350—Edward Greene, June 15, 1908.

Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,500—Patrick J. Hart, January 1, 1909; John J. Moran, August 1, 1906; Daniel J. McCrimlisk, March 15, 1906; D. J. Witschleben, October 5, 1909.

Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,200—Thomas Dwyer, March 3, 1909; Wm. P. Gaynor, March 3, 1909; Thos. J. York, October 5, 1909; Wm. J. Schade, October 5, 1909; Jos. A. Cummins, March 4, 1909; Ed. M. Griffiths, October 5, 1909; H. C. Frazee, October 5, 1909; Wm. A. Finn, October 5, 1909; Hugh M. Foster, October 5, 1909; Frank J. Florenz, October 5, 1909; H. C. Honeck, October 5, 1909; L. J. McDermott, October 8, 1909; Jos. M. Finley, December 20, 1909; one position at present vacant.

Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at \$1,500—Jas. A. Lynch, July 15, 1907; Geo. A. Treacy, July 1, 1909.

Cleaner, at \$450—Lizzie King, May 1, 1902.

Clerk, at \$1,950—M. G. Muldowney, April 1, 1908; Jas. T. Harris, June 1, 1908; R. Bruce Weems, August 1, 1908; Wm. H. Taylor, March 1, 1907; Edward Minnaugh, May 1, 1908; J. M. Lawrence, May 1, 1908; J. P. Dempsey, April 1, 1908; W. K. Vought, March 1, 1907; Thos. J. Dennehy, May 15, 1907; Bernard H. Fee, May 15, 1908.

Clerk, at \$4,500—John H. Andrews, December 30, 1908; Peter L. Kenny, July 1, 1909.

I attach resolution for the action of your Board.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.



Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment recommends to the Board of Aldermen in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Department of Finance in addition to those already existing therein:

Expert Accountant, for 2 incumbents at \$5,000; Expert Accountants, for 2 incumbents at \$2,500; Examiner, at \$1,950; Bookkeeper, for 1 incumbent, at \$3,500; Financial Clerk, at \$2,550; Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,200; Typewriting Copyist, at \$750; Typewriting Accountant, at \$1,200; Bookbinder, at \$1,350; Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,500; Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,200; Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at \$1,500; Cleaner, at \$540; Clerk, at \$1,950; Clerks, for 2 incumbents, at \$4,500.

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

No. 1707.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 25, 1910.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication under date of May 27, 1910, from the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting the establishment in that Department of certain additional positions, your Committee, to whom this request was referred, present their report as follows:

The requested positions are: Chief of Meter Setting, 1 incumbent, \$2,400 per annum; Assistant Chief of Meter Setting, 2 incumbents, \$2,000 per annum; Chief of Meter Repairs and Testing, 1 incumbent, \$2,000 per annum; Assistant Chief of Meter Repairs and Testing, 2 incumbents, \$1,800 per annum; Meter Foreman, 25 incumbents, \$1,500 per annum.

The Commissioner states in his communication that these additional positions are required for the proper organization of the water waste detection work, "for which an appropriation of \$200,000 for the Borough of Brooklyn has already been granted," and further states that it is desirable that these positions be established as soon as practicable so that the Municipal Civil Service Commission may hold the necessary examinations and the required additional employees may be secured "to do the very important work which must be done to prevent a serious shortage of water in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond this summer, and to check the large loss of revenue from under-registration of meters in business places throughout Greater New York."

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has already recognized the importance of the work for which these additional employees are requested by appropriating for use in the Borough of Brooklyn alone \$200,000, as noted by the Commissioner.

We are advised that the Commissioner has already organized a small force for this work in the Borough of Brooklyn, consisting at present of a Chief of Meter Setting at \$2,400 per annum, a Chief of Meter Repairs and Testing at \$2,000 per annum and four Inspectors of Meter Setting at \$1,500 per annum each, together with an Assistant Engineer at \$2,500 per annum, the employment of this special force having been sanctioned by the State Civil Service Commission pending the holding of examinations by the Municipal Civil Service Commission for the positions in question.

In view of the importance of a thorough survey of the existing conditions relative to the distribution and use of water in the several Boroughs, the requested additional positions would appear to be necessary, and the compensations proposed would appear to be reasonable considering the special qualifications required.

It is to be noted, however, that while the Commissioner requests the establishment of the position of "Meter Foreman at \$1,500 per annum," for 25 incumbents, the force at present employed in this capacity bear the office title of "Inspector of Meter Setting," which would appear to properly describe their duties. We therefore recommend that the position of Inspector of Meter Setting be substituted for the position of Meter Foreman requested, which change in title we are advised is agreeable to the Commissioner.

In view of the preceding statements, and in order that the employment of this special force may be properly provided for, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, we recommend the adoption of the resolution attached to this report.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of additional positions and grades of positions as follows:

Chief of Meter Setting, 1 incumbent, \$2,400 per annum; Assistant Chief of Meter Setting, 2 incumbents, \$2,000 per annum; Chief of Meter Repairs and Testing, 1 incumbent, \$2,000 per annum; Assistant Chief of Meter Repairs and Testing, 2 incumbents, \$1,800 per annum; Inspector of Meter Setting, 25 incumbents, \$1,500 per annum."

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

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1708.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 24, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication under date of May 2, 1910, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting that the compensation of the Water Register, Borough of Manhattan, be fixed at \$6,000 per annum, instead of \$4,000, the present salary, which request was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen, your Committee reports as follows:

The Commissioner states that the compensation of the position of Water Register, Borough of Manhattan, was fixed in 1879 and has not been increased since, despite the very heavy increase in the work of the Bureau. The compensation of similar positions in the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of The Bronx are \$4,000 and \$3,000, respectively.

Under the administration of Mr. Clair Foster, the present Water Register, the system of bookkeeping in the Bureau of Water Register, Manhattan, has been completely reorganized and the Bureau brought to a much higher point of efficiency than in former years.

In addition to his duties in the Manhattan office, Mr. Foster has had charge of the Bureaus in the Boroughs of Richmond and Queens, where the position of Water Register has not yet been established; and the Commissioner states that, owing to the new methods of accounting installed in those Boroughs, many irregularities in the handling of accounts have been stopped, and that there is a marked increase in the receipts since Mr. Foster has taken charge.

The Commissioner further states: "The salary which is paid this official is entirely inadequate for the services which he renders. If it was recognized by the City thirty years ago that the position was important enough to pay a salary of \$4,000 per annum, the added responsibilities which have accrued since that time, without taking into account his labor in the other two Boroughs, entitles him, in my opinion, to at least \$2,000 additional salary, and I recommend that this increase be granted."

We recommend the adoption of the resolution hereto attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910,

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Water Register in the Department of Water

Supply, Gas and Electricity (Borough of Manhattan), in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) per annum, for the present incumbent, Mr. Clair Foster, only."

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

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Fagan, Finley, Finnigan, Heffernan, Hickey, Johnson, Kenneally, Kenney, McAleer, Markert, Marx, Morrison, Reardon, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Sohmer, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White, President Gresser, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works, and President McAuleny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—40.

No. 1709.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 15, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication under date of May 2, 1910, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting that the compensation of the position of Secretary to the Commissioner be fixed at \$5,000 per annum for the present incumbent, J. L. Pultz, only, instead of \$3,500, the salary now paid, we present our report herewith as follows:

The Commissioner states that Mr. Pultz, the present incumbent, is a mechanical engineer of high standing and has already demonstrated that his services are valuable to the Department. He is now receiving considerably less than some of the secretaries in other City departments. The Commissioner further states that in addition to the confidential work on which Mr. Pultz has been employed, "He has taken charge of the preparation of several very important contracts of the Department. He has prepared a formula for the purchase of coal which has been adopted by several of the departments and has been highly commended by outside experts for this report. It can be safely estimated that in the purchase of coal, under the contracts and specifications which he has prepared, this Department alone will save about \$150,000 annually."

The position now held by Mr. Pultz was established by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen May 28, 1907. It appears, however, that in addition to the duties of Secretary, Mr. Pultz has entire charge of the preparation of all supply contracts and general supervision of the supply bureau and of the distribution of all supplies, for which work he is particularly fitted by his technical training.

The Commissioner's request covers the incumbency of Mr. Pultz only, and proposes that upon the cessation of Mr. Pultz's services the compensation of the position of Secretary to the Commissioner reverts to the present rate of \$3,500 per annum. In consideration of the important and responsible nature of the duties now intrusted to Mr. Pultz, and of the Commissioner's estimate of the value to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the services rendered, the proposed compensation of \$5,000 per annum would appear to be reasonable.

We recommend the adoption of the resolution hereto attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of the position of Secretary to the Commissioner, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per annum, for the present incumbent, J. L. Pultz, only."

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

No. 1710.

Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of your Board held on May 13, 1910, a communication was presented from the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity requesting the establishment in that Department of the additional position and grade of Foreman of Wells, with compensation at the rate of \$4 per day, which was referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen.

We recommend compliance with the request of the Commissioner, upon his statement made to the Committee that he cannot obtain an employee with the qualifications for this special work under the general title of Foreman. A resolution for adoption is transmitted.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the position of Foreman of Wells, with compensation at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per day, for one incumbent."

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

No. 1711.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 24, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication from the Board of Trustees, College of The City of New York, requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, for one incumbent, which was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held May 6, 1910, we would report as follows:

Samuel Newman, a Clerk in the office of the President, has recently passed the examination for third grade Clerk and it is therefore proposed to create a corresponding grade of position. Mr. Newman now receives \$1,050 per annum, his salary having been increased from \$960 to this sum a few weeks ago.

It is recommended that the new grade be established as requested according to the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, that an additional grade of the position of Clerk, with salary at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, for 1 incumbent, be established in the College of The City of New York."

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



No. 1712.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 25, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication from the Board of Education requesting the establishment of the new grade of position of Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, which was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held June 3, 1910, we would report as follows:

It is proposed to establish a new grade of the position of Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, for the purpose of promoting thereto Harry M. Devoe, who now receives \$2,550 per annum. Mr. Devoe was originally appointed in the Building Bureau of the Board of Education in 1884. He held the positions of Draftsman and Assistant Chief Inspector of Repairs until 1902, when he was made an Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings and shortly afterward assigned as Supervisor of Janitors, at a salary of \$2,250 per annum, which salary was subsequently increased to \$3,000.

On July 1, 1907, the assignment as Supervisor of Janitors was rescinded and Mr. Devoe returned to the Building Bureau as Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings, at \$2,550. From June 28, 1909, to December 20, 1909, he was in charge of the branch office in Brooklyn, during the suspension of the Deputy Superintendent for that Borough. In recognition of his efficient services during that time the Committee on Buildings now desires to restore his salary to the amount he received from April, 1905, to July, 1907, namely, \$3,000.

Owing to a clerical error in a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 30, 1902, fixing the salaries of the officers, Clerks and other employees of the Department of Education in accordance with the provisions of section 10 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 436 of the Laws of 1902, the then existing position of "Assistant to Superintendent of School Buildings" was fixed as "Assistant to Deputy," which error has never been corrected, with the result that a position which has never been filled still exists officially, while at the same time employees bearing the title of "Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings" have been paid from month to month, even though no position with this title has ever been fixed in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter.

Inasmuch as there is at the present time only one person who performs the duties and bears the title of Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings, Mr. Devoe, whose salary it is now proposed to increase to \$3,000 per annum, we would recommend that the position of "Assistant to Deputy," with salary at the rate of \$2,550 per annum, created in error, be abolished, and that the new position of Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings be created for one incumbent, with salary of \$3,000 per annum, according to the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, that the position of Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, for 1 incumbent, be established in the Department of Education, and that the position of Assistant to Deputy, with salary at the rate of \$2,550 per annum, in the Building Bureau of said Department, be abolished."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1713.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 23, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a request made by the Commissioner of the Fire Department for the establishment of the grade of the position of Veterinarian for one additional incumbent, with salary at the rate of \$2,500 per annum, which was referred by your Board at its meeting held on February 25, 1910, to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, for consideration, we report as follows:

For a number of years the care of the horses used in the Fire Department was under the supervision of Battalion Chiefs, acting as Veterinarians, who received salaries of \$3,300 per annum each: one for the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, the other for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Owing to the contemplated retirement of one of the Battalion Chiefs acting as Veterinarian, the position of Veterinarian, with salary at the rate of \$2,500 per annum, for one incumbent, was established in June, 1909, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, for the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond. The position thus created has since been filled.

The Battalion Chief acting as Veterinarian in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens retired from the service of the Department in February of the present year. The Commissioner states that there is no one in the Department qualified to assume the duties of properly caring for the 650 horses in the service of the Department in the Boroughs named. He proposes to fill the existing vacancy by the appointment of a Veterinarian from the Civil Service eligible list, and requests that the grade of the position of Veterinarian, at \$2,500 per annum, be established, for one additional incumbent, which will result in a reduction of \$800 in the yearly salary cost of this service.

We submit the following statement showing the cost of Veterinarians' services in the Departments of Street Cleaning and Police, in which a large number of horses are used:

	Number of Horses.	Number of Veterinarians.	Salary.	Total Cost.
Street Cleaning--				
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	1,418	3	\$1,500 00	\$4,500 00
Brooklyn .....	825	3	1,500 00	4,500 00
	2,243	6		\$9,000 00
Police--				
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	363	2	{ \$2,000 00 } { 1,500 00 }	\$3,500 00
Richmond .....	31	2	1,500 00	3,000 00
Brooklyn .....	202			
Queens .....	126			
	722	4		\$6,500 00

—or a cost of \$4 per horse for Veterinarian's services in the Street Cleaning Department and \$9 in the Police Department. The total cost for the Fire Department, if the present request should be favorably acted upon, would be \$5,000 per annum for two Veterinarians, to have charge of about 1,500 horses, or an average of about \$3.25 per horse.

In view of the facts as stated herein, your Committee recommends that the request of the Fire Commissioner be approved, as per resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Veterinarian in the Fire Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, with salary at the rate of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per annum, for one incumbent."

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

No. 1714.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 25, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication under date of May 19, 1910, from the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries, requesting the establishment in that Department of the additional position and grade of Storekeeper, with compensation at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, your Committee, to whom this request was referred, present their report as follows:

The Commissioner states that the Department of Docks and Ferries has in its employ a Foreman of Dock Laborers paid at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, but that the principal duty of this employee is acting as Storekeeper in the Department Yard. He desires to change the title of this employee to conform to the character of his work.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Docks and Ferries of the additional position and grade of Storekeeper, with compensation at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum, for one incumbent."

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

No. 1715.

Department of Finance, City of New York, June 28, 1910.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a request from the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries for the establishment in the Department under his jurisdiction of certain additional positions and grades of positions, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, your Committee presents its report, as follows:

The Commissioner submits in his request a list of over one hundred positions or grades, in addition to those already established in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and states in reference thereto:

"The following grades have not thus far been authorized, but are now and have been paid to employees, with the one exception of the position of Boilermaker. \* \* \* This letter is submitted to cover existing conditions only. Later on, when I shall have had an opportunity to make a thorough examination, changes may be found to be desirable; and in that event further recommendations will then be submitted."

The schedule submitted by the Commissioner shows four distinct methods of computing the compensation of employees—at an annual rate, at a monthly rate, at a weekly rate and at an hourly rate—but your Committee has been advised that since the schedule under examination was submitted all employees formerly paid at an hourly rate and all but three of the employees formerly paid at a weekly rate have been placed upon a per diem basis equivalent to their previous compensation.

The requested positions and grades, with the present number of incumbents, as stated by the Commissioner's representative, and your Committee's recommendations relative thereto, are as follows:

#### I.—Positions and Grades at Annual Rates.

Architectural Draftsman .....	1	\$1,600	Marine Engineer .....	6	\$1,500
Captain of 100-ton Derrick .....	1	1,650	Mechanical Draftsman (sanitary) .....	1	1,600
Captain of Pile Drivers .....	1	1,650	Mechanical Engineer .....	1	2,700
Clerk .....	1	2,400	Mechanical Engineer .....	1	1,800
Clerk .....	1	600	Painter .....	1	1,350
Chainman .....	3	1,080	Pilot .....	4	1,920
Engineer (naptha launch) .....	1	1,500	Rodman .....	2	1,080
Engineer (tug) .....	3	1,800	Secretary to the Commissioner .....	1	2,000
Foreman Carpenter .....	3	1,800	Topographical Draftsman .....	2	1,800
Foreman Wireman .....	1	1,500	Topographical Draftsman .....	5	1,600
Foreman of Dock Laborers .....	2	1,800	Topographical Draftsman .....	1	1,350
Foreman of Dock Laborers .....	2	1,500	Topographical Draftsman .....	1	1,200
Foreman of Yard .....	1	1,800	Transitman .....	1	1,800
General Foreman .....	5	1,800	Transitman and Computer .....	4	1,800
General Foreman .....	1	1,500	Transitman and Computer .....	1	1,500
Locomotive Engineman .....	6	1,500			

While a strict compliance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, as interpreted by the Corporation Counsel, would not require the establishment of certain of the requested grades, as, for example, Architectural Draftsman, \$1,600, Mechanical Draftsman (sanitary), \$1,600, and Topographical Draftsman, \$1,600, the general grade of position of Draftsman at \$1,600 having already been established, yet as these differentiated titles have been in existence for many years in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and as many of them are also contained in the revised classification of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, it would appear proper to recommend their establishment. The position of Foreman of Yard at \$1,800 has already been established.

In the case of three of the requested annual positions, however, your Committee believes that the titles should be confined to the present incumbents, who have reached their present positions after long periods of service in the Department. These positions are as follows:

Captain 100-Ton Derrick, \$1,650—Present incumbent, Thomas D. Stuyvesant, entered service of the Department May 15, 1871.

Captain of Pile Drivers, \$1,650—Present incumbent, William Love, entered service of the Department June 17, 1872.

Painter, \$1,350—Present incumbent, William H. Cunliffe, entered service of the Department November 30, 1874.

#### II.—Positions and Grades at Monthly Rates.

Attendant .....	28	\$50	Licensed Fireman .....	90
Attendant .....	26	75	Marine Stoker .....	130
Cleaner .....	41	45	Oiler .....	47
Cleaner .....	2	75	Water Tender .....	43
Deckhand .....	123	60	Stationary Engineer .....	1
Dock Laborers .....	2	100		

The Attendants and Cleaners, it appears, are principally attached to the several municipal recreation piers, the lower rate of compensation in each case being paid to female employees. As the majority of these employees work only during a portion of the year, that is, while the recreation piers are open, your Committee recommends that all Cleaners and Attendants be placed upon a per diem basis, as follows:

	Present Rate Per Month.	Recommended Rate Per Diem.		Present Rate Per Month.	Recommended Rate Per Diem.
Attendant (female) .....	\$50 00	\$1 65	Cleaner (female) .....	\$45 00	\$1 50
Attendant (male) .....	75 00	2 50	Cleaner (male) .....	75 00	2 50

Deckhand, \$60; Licensed Fireman, \$90; Marine Stoker, \$90; Oiler, \$95, and Water Tender, \$95. The incumbents in these positions are all attached to the ferry service, and their fellow employees in positions already established are paid at a monthly rate. Pending the reorganization of the ferry service, it would appear proper to place all employees upon a uniform monthly basis, hence the requested positions are recommended for approval, except that of Licensed Fireman, which we are advised appears from the statement of the Commissioner's representative to be now unnecessary.

Dock Laborers, \$100. The incumbents in this position and grade are, it appears, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer and to the office of the Commissioner of Docks, their service being principally that of Messenger. As the position and grade of Messenger, at \$1,200 per annum, is already established in the Department, your Committee recommends that the title of these two employees be changed to Messenger, if consent to the change can be obtained from the Municipal Civil Service Commission.



Stationary Engineer, \$125. The single incumbent in this position, William J. Kessler, has been in the service of the Department since November 3, 1899, and has charge of the heating plant at departmental headquarters, Pier "A," North River. The position and grade of Stationary Engineer, at \$1,500 per annum, now exists in other City Departments, but, in the opinion of your Committee, the establishment of mechanical positions of this character, at other than a per diem rate of compensation, should not be encouraged. The establishment of the position and grade of Stationary Engineer, at \$1,500 per annum, for the present incumbent only, is therefore recommended for approval.

### III.—Positions and Grades at Weekly Rates.

Boatman .....	*..	\$18 00	Sounder .....	*..	\$18 00
Dock Laborer .....	*..	18 00	Stoker .....	1	15 00
Foreman Scowman .....	*..	24 00	Supervising Diver .....	1	35 00
Marine Sounder .....	*..	18 00	Watchman .....	1	17 30
Scowman .....	*..	18 00			

\*Number of incumbents included in list of per diem positions.

All employees formerly paid at weekly rates, excepting a Stoker, \$15, a Supervising Diver, \$35, and a Watchman, at \$17.30, have, as previously noted, been placed upon a per diem basis. The single incumbent in the position of Stoker, at \$15 per week, the Commissioner's representative states, is a superannuated employee attached as General Utility Man in the Department Yard, and will also be placed upon a per diem basis.

The only incumbent of the position of Supervising Diver, we are advised, is Peter Gilligan, who entered the service of the Department July 13, 1888, and who served as Diver, at \$1.25 per hour, for many years. He is now unable to do much work as Diver, but his services, it is stated, are valuable to the Department on account of his long experience in diving operations. He was appointed to his present position of Supervising Diver, at \$35 per week, on February 25, 1909, his compensation being equivalent to an annual salary of \$1,820.

Your Committee therefore recommends that the position of Supervising Diver, at \$1,800, be established for the present incumbent, Peter Gilligan, on 's.

The single incumbent in the position of Watchman at \$17.30 per week, we are advised, will be paid \$17.50 per week, a grade for which now exists.

### IV.—Positions and Grades at Daily (Formerly Hourly) Rates.

Blacksmith .....	7	\$4 50	Letterer .....	2	\$4 00
Blacksmith's Helper .....	9	3 00	Machinist .....	31	4 50
Boat Builder .....	2	4 00	Machinist's Helper .....	26	3 00
Boatman .....	5	3 00	Marine Sounder .....	4	3 00
Boiler Maker .....	14	3 50	Marine Stoker .....	7	3 50
Carpenter .....	15	4 80	Mason .....	1	4 50
Cement Worker .....	3	2 50	Mason's Helper .....	1	3 00
Coal Passer .....	1	3 00	Painter .....	19	4 00
Deckhand .....	16	3 00	Painter (Letterer) .....	2	4 00
Diver .....	10	10 00	Paver .....	10	5 00
Diver's Tender .....	8	3 50	Pile Driving Engineer .....	30	4 50
Dock Builder .....	252	3 50	Pipe Fitter .....	10	5 00
Dock Laborer .....	68	3 00	Pipe Fitter's Helper .....	5	3 00
Foreman Blacksmith .....	2	5 00	Plumber .....	1	4 00
Foreman Dock Builder .....	18	4 50	Plumber's Helper .....	2	3 00
Foreman of Dock Laborers .....	36	4 00	Rammer .....	5	4 00
Foreman of House Painters .....	1	5 00	Rigger .....	12	3 50
Foreman Machinist .....	1	4 80	Roofer .....	2	4 50
Foreman Paver .....	1	5 00	Saw Filer .....	6	4 00
Foreman Rigger .....	3	4 00	Scowman .....	3	3 00
Foreman Ship Carpenter .....	3	5 00	Ship Carpenter .....	53	4 00
Foreman Ship Caulker .....	1	4 50	Ship Caulker .....	13	4 00
Foreman Stone Cutter .....	1	5 00	Sounder .....	1	3 00
Foreman Scowman .....	3	4 00	Stationary Engineer .....	20	4 50
Housesmith .....	2	4 80	Stoker .....	15	3 50
Inspector of Pier Building .....	9	5 00	Stone Cutter .....	7	4 50
Inspector of Pier Construction .....	3	5 00	Tinsmith and Roofer .....	7	4 50
Lumber Inspector .....	2	5 00	Wireman .....	2	4 50
			Wood Sawyer .....	1	4 50

Note—Positions formerly paid at a weekly rate have been added to the preceding list, as these positions are now requested on a per diem basis.

There is no evidence before your Committee as to the "prevailing rate of wages" paid by private employers to the various classes of mechanics scheduled in the Commissioner's list of per diem employees, nor are the rates which appear in the Budget schedules for 1910 absolutely uniform for all Departments. As, however, the Commissioner states that the requested rates are those now being paid in the Department of Docks and Ferries and as the establishment of these requested positions has been made for the sole purpose of legalizing pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter the appointments made by the Commissioner's predecessors, your Committee recommends the approval of the Commissioner's request. The titles of Letterer, Sounder and Inspector of Pier Building, however, appear to be merely duplications of the titles of Painter (Letterer), Marine Sounder and Inspector of Pier Construction; hence are not herein recommended for establishment. If it should appear upon further investigation that the rates of compensation herein recommended for any class of mechanics is less than the prevailing rate paid by private employers, the matter may properly receive attention at that time.

Your Committee has not considered it necessary to limit the number of incumbents in any of the recommended positions or grades excepting where in its opinion the positions should cease to exist when vacated by the present incumbents.

In view of the preceding statements your Committee recommends the adoption of the resolution attached to this report.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, as amended, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of additional positions and grades of positions in the Department of Docks and Ferries, as follows:

Title of Position.	Compensation.	Title of Position	Compensation.
	Per Annum.		Per Annum.
Captain of 100-ton Derrick—For Thomas D. Stuyvesant only .....	\$1,650	Locomotive Engineman .....	1,500
Captain of Pile Drivers—For William Love only .....	1,650	Marine Engineer .....	1,500
Painter—For William H. Cunliffe only .....	1,350	Mechanical Draftsman (sanitary) .....	1,600
Stationary Engineer—For William J. Kessler only .....	1,500	Mechanical Engineer .....	2,700
Supervising Diver—For Peter Gilligan only .....	1,800	Pilot .....	1,920
Architectural Draftsman .....	1,600	Rodman .....	1,080
Clerk .....	2,400	Secretary to the Commissioner .....	2,000
Chainman .....	1,080	Topographical Draftsman .....	1,800
Engineer (naptha launch) .....	1,500	Topographical Draftsman .....	1,600
Engineer (tug) .....	1,800	Topographical Draftsman .....	1,350
Foreman Carpenter .....	1,800	Topographical Draftsman .....	1,200
Foreman Wireman .....	1,500	Transitman .....	1,800
Foreman of Dock Laborers .....	1,800	Transitman and Computer .....	1,800
Foreman of Dock Laborers .....	1,500		Per Month.
General Foreman .....	1,800	Deckhand (Ferry Service) .....	\$60
General Foreman .....	1,500	Marine Stoker (Ferry Service) ..	90
		Oiler (Ferry Service) .....	95
		Water Tender (Ferry Service) ..	95

Title of Position.	Compensation.	Title of Position.	Compensation.
	Per Diem.		Per Diem.
Attendant (female) .....	\$1 65	Inspector of Pier Construction ..	5 00
Attendant (male) .....	2 50	Lumber Inspector .....	5 00
Cleaner (female) .....	1 50	Machinist .....	4 50
Cleaner (male) .....	2 50	Machinist's Helper .....	3 00
Blacksmith .....	4 50	Marine Sounder .....	3 00
Blacksmith's Helper .....	3 00	Marine Stoker .....	3 50
Boat Builder .....	4 00	Mason .....	4 50
Boatman .....	3 00	Mason's Helper .....	3 00
Boilermaker .....	\$3 50	Painter .....	4 00
Carpenter .....	4 80	Painter (letterer) .....	4 00
Cement Worker .....	2 50	Paver .....	5 00
Coal Passer .....	3 00	Pile Driving Engineer .....	4 50
Deckhand .....	3 00	Pipe Fitter .....	5 00
Diver .....	10 00	Pipe Fitter's Helper .....	3 00
Diver's Tender .....	3 50	Plumber .....	4 00
Dock Builder .....	3 50	Plumber's Helper .....	3 00
Dock Laborer .....	3 00	Rammer .....	4 00
Foreman Blacksmith .....	5 00	Rigger .....	3 50
Foreman Dock Builder .....	4 50	Roofer .....	4 50
Foreman of Dock Laborers .....	4 00	Saw Filer .....	4 00
Foreman Painter .....	5 00	Scowman .....	3 00
Foreman Machinist .....	4 80	Ship Carpenter .....	4 00
Foreman Paver .....	5 00	Ship Caulker .....	4 00
Foreman Rigger .....	4 00	Stationary Engineer .....	4 50
Foreman Ship Carpenter .....	5 00	Stoker .....	3 50
Foreman Ship Caulker .....	4 50	Stone Cutter .....	4 50
Foreman Stone Cutter .....	5 00	Tinsmith and Roofer .....	4 50
Foreman Scowman .....	4 00	Wireman .....	4 50
Housesmith .....	4 80	Wood Sawyer .....	4 50

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

No. 1716.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 24, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a request under date of May 18, 1910, from the Commissioner of Bridges, for the establishment in the Department under his jurisdiction of the additional grade of the position of Telephone Operator, with compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum, your Committee, to whom such request was referred, present herewith their report, as follows:

As stated by the Commissioner, the only grade of the position of Telephone Operator now existing in the Department of Bridges was established in 1902, the compensation of such grade being then fixed at \$750. The continuous growth of the Department has naturally largely increased the duties of the position of Telephone Operator, and the Commissioner states that since 1902 the work of such Operator has practically doubled.

An inspection of the salary schedules for the several municipal departments, as set forth in the Budget for 1910, discloses numerous provisions for the compensation of Telephone Operators at salaries of \$900 and \$1,050.

It would therefore appear that the establishment of the additional grade requested by the Commissioner is warranted by the rates for such services now paid in other City departments, as well as the increased services required of the employee the Commissioner desires to promote to such higher grade when established.

In view of the preceding statements, we recommend the adoption of the resolution herewith attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910,

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment, in the Department of Bridges, of the additional grade of the position of Telephone Operator, with compensation at the rate of nine hundred dollars (\$900) per annum, for one incumbent."

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

No. 1717.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 24, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In relation to a communication from the County Clerk, New York County, dated May 26, 1910, requesting the establishment of the position of Confidential Stenographer in the office of the County Clerk, New York County, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum for one incumbent, referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen for report, we would submit the following report:

The County Clerk states that he receives from forty to fifty communications daily requiring answers. It has been the custom in the past, he says, to have clerks answer such communications in long hand. The County Clerk urges that there are two distinct objections to this system. It is the opinion of the official mentioned that all communications should be answered by himself or his deputies, as having clerks answering communications indiscriminately tends to keep the County Clerk from having the intimate knowledge of affairs that he should have. He says also that by having clerks and other subordinates attending to the official mail interferes with the regular work of the office. To obviate this the County Clerk for the past two months has paid an employee personally to tend to a small telephone switchboard and to act as stenographer. As a consequence, the County Clerk declares that the work of the office as to correspondence has been very much improved. The County Clerk of Kings County has a Stenographer receiving a compensation of \$1,200 per annum.

In view of the facts as herein stated, we would recommend the approval of the request of the County Clerk in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910,

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Confidential Stenographer in the office of the County Clerk, New York County, with salary at the rate of nine hundred dollars (\$900) per annum, for one incumbent."

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

No. 1718.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 24, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of your Board held March 18, 1910, a communication was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, requesting the establishment of a grade of the position of Examiner, at \$2,400 per annum, for one additional incumbent, there being at present two incumbents of that grade, which report was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen.



The grade of position of Examiner, at \$2,400 per annum, for the Municipal Civil Service Commission, was established April 30, 1902, under the provisions of the "Sweep Act." While the Corporation Counsel has held that in all instances where positions or grades of positions were established under provision of that act, and the number of incumbents not specifically stated, there is no legal limitation upon the number of persons who may be appointed to any such grade, it would seem advisable to establish the added grade requested by formal action under section 56 of the Charter. Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the resolution transmitted herewith.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Examiner in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission in addition to those already existing therein, for three incumbents with salary at the rate of two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2,400) per annum each."

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

No. 1719.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, May 19, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a request of the Board of Trustees of the Normal College, for the establishment of the grade of position of Secretary at \$3,000 per annum, which matter was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held May 6, 1910, we beg to report as follows:

Mr. Ernest C. Hunt, the Secretary of the Normal College, has been connected with the college for the past twenty-one years. Since 1899 he has occupied the position of Secretary at a compensation of \$2,000 per annum. Your Committee believes that because of the excellent service rendered by Mr. Hunt, and in view of the fact that he has received no increase in salary during the past eleven years, he is justly entitled to the compensation now requested, namely, \$3,000. We therefore recommend the approval of the resolution attached hereto.

Yours respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Secretary of the Normal College with salary at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum for one incumbent."

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

No. 1720.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 24, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In relation to a request of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the establishment of the grade of position of Typewriter Accountant at \$1,500 in his office for one incumbent, which was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, we would report as follows:

A year ago the Municipal Civil Service Commission established this position in the competitive civil service classification, in connection with the new method of accounting established in the City, and held examinations for qualification for such position.

The President of the Borough states that he is in need of the services of a man with such qualifications, and to provide for his employment requests the establishment of the grade under section 56 of the Greater New York Charter. We therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Typewriter Accountant at fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum for one incumbent in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn."

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

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1721.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a communication from the Chief of the Bureau of Weights and Measures, dated June 8, 1910, requesting the establishment of the following grades of positions: Stenographer, \$1,200 per annum; Clerk, \$900 per annum; Clerk, \$600 per annum; referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, we report as follows:

At present there is only one Clerk at \$600 per annum provided for the office, the clerical work being performed by Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures. To properly conduct the office it is necessary to have the additional force as requested. We would therefore recommend the approval of the request of the Chief of the Bureau in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Bureau of Weights and Measures, office of the Mayor:

"Stenographer, \$1,200 per annum, 1 incumbent; Clerk, \$900 per annum, 1 incumbent; Clerk, \$600 per annum, 2 incumbents."

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

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Hamilton, Heffernan, Hickey, Hoertz, Johnson, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Reardon, Sheridan, Shipley Smith, Snell, Sohmer, Stapleton, Volkman, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White; President Gresser, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works, and President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—50.

No. 1722.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 15, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 17, 1910, requesting the establishment of the grade of the position of Cashier in the office of the City Clerk, with compensation of \$3,000 per annum for one incumbent, referred for consideration to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, we would report as follows:

The employee for whom the grade of position is requested is Thomas B. Jones, who has been employed for the past 13 years as Cashier. He was appointed originally March 4, 1898, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum. Salary increases have been made as follows: July 14, 1903, to \$1,800; February 7, 1905, to \$2,100; January 1, 1907, to \$2,250.

It is urged that the increase in the business of the office justifies the proposed advance in salary of the Cashier. The growth of the cash business will be seen from the following statement of receipts: Receipts, 1898, \$20,000; receipts, 1899, \$30,000; receipts, 1900, \$40,000; receipts, 1909, 110,000.

It is estimated that the receipts for the year 1910 will be about \$130,000. The fees range in amount from 6 cents upwards, entailing considerable labor on the part of the Cashier. In addition to the work of the Manhattan office the Cashier receives and audits all the accounts of the branch offices in the other boroughs.

In view of the facts as herein stated, we would recommend the approval of the request of the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the establishment of the grade of the position of Cashier in the City Clerk's office, Borough of Manhattan, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per annum, for one incumbent."

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

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Heffernan, Herbst, Hickey, Johnson, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, Meagher, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Snell, Sohmer, Stapleton, Volkman, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 1723.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of the petition of the Committee of Deckhands presented to your Board at the meeting held June 10, 1910, requesting that the salary of the position of Deckhand existing in the Department of Correction be fixed at \$720 per annum instead of \$480 per annum, which was referred to the Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen for consideration, your Committee submits the following report:

An examination of this matter shows that the Deckhands employed on the Municipal ferryboats receive a compensation of \$720 per annum, while in the Dock Department the men who do deck work receive \$3 per diem.

The Deckhands employed on the boats of the Department of Correction running from Pier 26, North River, to the various islands, do much harder work than those employed on the Municipal ferryboats, for the reason that they handle a large quantity of freight that is shipped daily to the various institutions under the jurisdiction of that Department.

We are informed by the Commissioner's representative that the petition was presented with the Commissioner's consent, and further that he is of the opinion that the salary now paid for this class of service is insufficient. In view of these facts your Committee recommends that the request of the petitioners be granted and that the grade of Deckhand at \$720 per annum be established in the Department of Correction as per the resolution attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the establishment of the grade of position of Deckhand, with salary at the rate of \$720 per annum, in the Department of Correction, in addition to those already existing therein."

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

Alderman Kenneally moved the adoption of this resolution.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Gaynor, Heffernan, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Snell, Sohmer, Stapleton, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White; President Gresser, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneeny and the Vice-Chairman—56.

At this point the Vice-Chairman took the Chair.

No. 1724.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of your Board held on June 10, 1910, there was referred to a Select Committee a communication dated June 4, 1910, presented from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting the establishment of the position of Typewriting Copyist, with salary at the rate of \$600 per annum. In connection therewith we submit the following report:

An examination of the record of established positions discloses the fact that in the Department of the President of the Borough of The Bronx the minimum compensation for Typewriting Copyist is \$1,050. The request under consideration is made in order that a lower rate of compensation may be paid to new appointees.

We recommend that the request be approved in accordance with the resolution hereto attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of the position of Typewriting Copyist in the office



of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum."

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

No. 1725.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the positions in the office of the Board of City Record, as follows:

Editor, 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum; Stationer, 1 incumbent, \$2,500 per annum, Bookbinder, 1 incumbent, \$2,500 per annum; Inspector, 2 incumbents, \$1,500 per annum, —and the establishment of the grade of position of Book Typewriting Copyist in said office, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, for one (1) incumbent."

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

No. 1726.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a communication from the Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn, dated May 17, 1910, requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Clerk to the Coroner, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, for two incumbents, referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, we report thereon as follows:

The Coroners of the Borough of Brooklyn are the only Coroners not having employees entitled Clerks to Coroners, there being four of that title in Manhattan, with salary at the rate of \$2,000 per annum each; two in the Borough of The Bronx, at a compensation of \$1,600 per annum each; two in the Borough of Queens, at \$1,200 per annum each, and one in the Borough of Richmond, at \$1,500 per annum. The Coroners state that the additional Clerks are necessary to make out and serve subpoenas; to make investigations of accident and homicide cases, and to perform clerical work in the office.

In view of the facts as herein stated, we would recommend the approval of the request of the Coroners in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Clerk to Coroners in the office of the Board of Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn, with salary at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum, for two incumbents."

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

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1727.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 27, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On May 20, 1910, the President of the Borough of The Bronx addressed a communication to your Board requesting your approval of the establishment of the position of Foreman of Hostlers at \$1,800 per annum. This request having been referred for consideration to the undersigned as a Select Committee, we submit the following report:

In his communication the President states that the establishment of the position is requested in order to place the employee in charge of the newly constructed stable of the Sewer Bureau of his Department on an annual rate of pay, under a title which accords with the character of services performed by him. The President in a communication dated June 3, 1910, has further stated in explanation of his request that the person now filling the position is employed as a Foreman, at the rate of \$4 per diem. In testimony as to fitness for the position, the President states that the proposed incumbent has been accustomed to the training and care of horses all his life and was for several years the purchasing agent in the Fire Department of The City of New York, where his duties extended to the purchase of all forage, requiring a knowledge as to the different qualities of hay, oats, etc., and in the purchase of horses. In addition to this experience it was his duty to pass upon all stable supplies, repairs to vehicles, etc.

In view of the facts stated, your Committee recommends that the request be approved, in accordance with the resolution transmitted herewith.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Foreman of Hostlers in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, with a salary at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum, for one (1) incumbent."

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

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delancy, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Grimm, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hickey, Johnson, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Snell, Sohmer, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneeny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—51.

No. 1728.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication received from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Secretary to the Commissioner at \$3,000 per annum, and the grade of Supervisor of Recreation at \$3,000 per annum, which was referred to the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, for consideration, your Committee submits the following report:

The incumbent for whom the Commissioner desires the grade of Supervisor of Recreation at \$3,000 per annum, has been temporarily appointed by him to the position of Assistant Superintendent of Parks at \$2,500 per annum, and assigned to take charge of the Bureau of Recreation installed by the Commissioner, until such time as the requested grade is established.

A further examination of the payrolls to date discloses the fact that a saving has been made in a number of salaries provided in the Budget for 1910, and the filling of this grade when established will mean no additional cost to the City. In view of this fact, we recommend that the request be granted, and that the grade of Supervisor of Recreation be allowed.

In regard to the request for the establishment of the grade of Secretary to the Commissioner at three thousand dollars per annum, your Committee is of the opinion that this request should not be considered at this time, as the present incumbent has

been employed only for a short period, and the compensation now fixed for the grade would appear to be commensurate with the duties to be performed.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the establishment of the position of Supervisor of Recreation in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum for one incumbent."

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

No. 1729.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a communication from the District Attorney, Queens County, dated June 3, 1910, requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Stenographer, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, which was referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, for report, we report as follows:

There is at present one Stenographer employed in the District Attorney's office, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum. The District Attorney found it necessary to employ an additional Stenographer during the year 1909 at a cost of \$980, and the expense of an additional Stenographer for the present year has been \$560, or about \$80 per month. The District Attorney, in his statement to the Committee, said he doubted that he would be able to obtain a Stenographer with the requisite efficiency for \$1,200, and asked that the grade at \$1,500 be established for two incumbents in the office instead of one.

We would recommend the approval of the request of the District Attorney, in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Stenographer in the office of the District Attorney, Queens County (in addition to those already existing therein), with salary at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum, for two incumbents."

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

No. 1730.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 27, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On April 20, 1910, the Acting President of the Borough of The Bronx addressed a communication to your Board requesting the approval of the establishment of the position of Automobile Engineman at the rate of \$4 per diem. Having been referred by your Board to a Select Committee, we submit the following report:

Examination has disclosed the fact that the establishment of the position of Automobile Engineman at \$4 per day is desired so as to permit the employment of a driver for an automobile for use in connection with the Bureau of Buildings. Aside from the regular duties of an Automobile Engineman on week days, this employee, it is stated, will be subject to call in emergency cases at night, on Sundays and holidays, and will therefore be practically on duty at all times. It is not proposed, however, to pay for Sundays or holidays unless services are actually performed.

In a communication dated June 3, 1910, the Superintendent of Buildings stated that the Bureau has not an automobile for its own use at this time; that application has been made for one, which it is proposed to purchase from either a special revenue bond issue or from other funds provided for the purpose, and that the Bureau expects delivery on an automobile within a short time; that the request is made at this time so that the Department may be in a position to have the services of a person to operate the car as soon as it is received.

We recommend that the request be approved, but for the establishment of the position at \$1,200 per annum, and transmit a resolution to that effect for adoption.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Automobile Engineman in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, with salary at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, for one (1) incumbent."

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

No. 1731.

Department of Finance, City of New York, June 29, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of several requests of the Fire Commissioner for the establishment of the following new positions and grades of positions in his Department:

Superintendent of Repairs and	Electrical Engineer .....	5,000 00
Supplies .....	Foreman of Stables .....	2,500 00
Chief Medical Officer .....	Stenographer .....	2,250 00

—which matters were referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen, at various meetings of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, we beg to report as follows:

In view of the fact that it is proposed to install a new fire alarm telegraph system throughout the City, corporate stock for which purpose has been authorized, your Committee are of the opinion that the request for the services of an Electrical Engineer in the planning and superintending of the construction of the new system is a reasonable one, and therefore recommend that it be approved, as per resolution attached hereto. As to the other positions for which requests are made, it does not appear that the administration of the Department would be injuriously affected if they were not established at this time. We therefore recommend that the other requests be denied.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Electrical Engineer in the Fire Department, with salary at the rate of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per annum, for one incumbent."

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

No. 1732.

Department of Finance, City of New York, June 28, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a request from the Commissioner of the Fire Department for the establishment of the grade of the position of Secretary to the Commissioner, with salary at the rate of \$3,500 per annum, which was presented to



your Board at its meeting of May 20, 1910, and referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen for consideration, your Committee would report as follows:

The established grade of the position of Secretary to the Fire Department calls for a salary of \$2,500 per annum, the amount received by the present incumbent. Examination made as to the salaries paid for similar positions in other departments shows that the salary paid in the Departments of Street Cleaning, Health, Police, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Bridges varies between \$3,000 and \$4,000 per annum. The Fire Commissioner states that the present Secretary, by reason of the ability shown by him in the discharge of the duties of his position, has become a valuable employee and merits the requested salary increase.

In view of the short term of employment of the present incumbent, your Committee recommends a partial compliance with the request of the Commissioner by the establishment of the grade of the position of Secretary to the Fire Commissioner, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, for one incumbent, and that when established the present established grade of \$2,500 be abolished, as per resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
Select Committee.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Fire Department of the grade of the position of Secretary to the Commissioner, with salary at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum, for one incumbent, in place of the present established grade of \$2,500 per annum, which is hereby abolished."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1733.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of two (2) resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, as follows:

1. Amending resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, which authorized an issue of \$545,000 corporate stock to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge; namely, the construction of a terminal building and elevated structure connecting said building with upper deck tracks on west side of the bridge, in so far as it relates to the amount of corporate stock to be issued.

2. Authorizing an issue of \$200,000 corporate stock to provide means for equipping the Queensboro Bridge and Queensboro Plaza with conduit tracks, feeder cable and other equipment incidental thereto, to permit of the operation on said bridge and plaza of the cars of the Third Avenue Bridge Company.

I also transmit herewith copy of report of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee relative thereto, together with forms of resolution and ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen June 28, 1910, which resolution reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to the amount of five hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$545,000), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan Terminal of the Manhattan Bridge; namely, the construction of a terminal building and elevated structure connecting said building with upper deck tracks on west side of the bridge; and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$545,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

--be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to the amount of three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$345,000), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan Terminal of the Manhattan Bridge; namely, the construction of a terminal building and elevated structure connecting said building with upper deck tracks on west side of the bridge; and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$345,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1734.

Department of Finance, City of New York, June 29, 1910.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a communication under date of June 21, 1910, from the Commissioner of Bridges, requesting certain modifications in the Corporate Stock Budget, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and also a further authorization of corporate stock to the amount of \$200,000 to provide for required equipment of the Queensboro Bridge and Queens Borough Plaza, to permit the operation of the cars of the Third Avenue Bridge Company thereon; we present our report as follows:

The requested modification of the Corporate Stock Budget is:

Department of Bridges, Schedule "B," new authorizations of corporate stock, change item now reading: Manhattan Bridge, Manhattan Terminal, for construction of terminal building, complete, \$475,000, to read Manhattan Bridge, Manhattan Terminal, for construction of terminal building, \$275,000.

We are advised that the Chief Engineer of the Department of Bridges has stated that this proposed modification is not predicated upon any change in the estimated cost of construction of the terminal building, but is requested solely for the reason that a further authorization of corporate stock is required in connection with the Queensboro Bridge improvement, and that the allowance made for the construction of the terminal building in question was the only allowance made for the Department of Bridges which could be temporarily decreased without deferring the construction of improvements which are required to be done prior to July 1, 1911.

It is to be noted that in the proposed modification not only is the amount allowed reduced from \$475,000 to \$275,000, but the word "complete," which now appears in the schedule line, is omitted, thus permitting construction to the amount of \$275,000 to be contracted for, but leaving the amount required to complete the terminal building to be appropriated subsequent to July 1, 1911. As, however, the schedule referred to has no significance beyond a tabulation of the various amounts authorized by formal resolutions, and as showing the purpose of these authorizations, any change in Schedule "B" as requested by the Commissioner, would fail to effect the desired purpose. It will be necessary, therefore, to amend the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, to which the schedule item in question refers.

This schedule item now reads:

Manhattan Bridge, Manhattan Terminal—For Construction of—	
Terminal building complete.....	\$475,000 00
Elevated structure connecting terminal building and upper deck tracks, west side .....	70,000 00
	<u>\$545,000 00</u>

The resolution appropriating \$545,000 reads, in part: "to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of a terminal building and elevated structure connecting said building with upper deck tracks on west side of the bridge."

It therefore appears that the only amendment required, should the Commissioner's request be approved, is a reduction of the amount appropriated from \$545,000 to \$345,000.

In relation to the request for an additional appropriation, in connection with the Queensboro Bridge, it is to be noted that, by the action of the Board of Estimate June 3, 1910, approved by the Board of Aldermen June 21, 1910, funds which would otherwise have been available for the purpose of the proposed improvement, were depleted by the sum of \$610,000 through the amendment of a resolution (adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 20, 1907, and approved by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1908) authorizing corporate stock to the amount of \$1,200,000 for the construction of the bridge in question, which resolution was amended to read \$590,000.

As stated by the Commissioner, this reduction was due to the uncertainty as to the action of the Public Service Commission relative to transit facilities on the Queensboro Bridge. This Commission, however, on June 14, 1910, issued a certificate of public necessity and convenience, thus permitting the Third Avenue Bridge Company to exercise its franchise, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 24, 1910, granted to that company an extension of time of six (6) months in which to commence construction, and six (6) months in which to complete the same.

We are advised that the Chief Engineer of the Department of Bridges has stated that the amount requested as being required for the equipment of the bridge proper and the Queens approach to the same, \$200,000, was based upon plans and specifications which are now practically completed, and which call for contract work at an estimated cost of approximately \$175,000, leaving \$25,000 for unforeseen and contingent expenses, which sum of \$200,000 would appear to be no more than will probably be needed to complete the proposed work.

In view of the preceding statements, we recommend the adoption of the resolutions attached to this report.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan;  
Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) for equipping the Queensboro Bridge and Queens Borough Plaza with conduit tracks, feeder cable and other equipment incidental thereto, to permit of the operation on said bridge and plaza of the cars of the Third Avenue Bridge Company.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide means for equipping the Queensboro Bridge and Queens Borough Plaza with conduit tracks, feeder cable, and other equipment incidental thereto, to permit of the operation on said bridge and plaza of the cars of the Third Avenue Bridge Company; and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to purpose aforesaid."

No. 1735.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, recommending that the Board of Aldermen request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to issue \$4,250 special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter), the proceeds whereof to be expended by the Supervisor, Board of City Record, for the payment of salaries of the increased force of employees in the office of said Board of City Record for the remainder of the year 1910.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen that a request be made upon this Board for an issue of special revenue bonds of The City of New York, pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Charter, in the sum of four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,250), the proceeds whereof to be expended by the Supervisor of the Board of City Record for the payment of salaries of the increased force of employees in the office of said Board of City Record for the remainder of the year 1910.

No. 1736.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 1, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, as follows:

1. Rescinding resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 30, 1908, which authorized an issue of \$924 corporate stock to provide means for expenses connected with the acquisition of property located on Dumont ave., between Bradford st. and Miller ave., Borough of Brooklyn, as a site for a hospital, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities (in addition to the \$37,000 corporate stock authorized on July 7, 1905, for this purpose).

2. Rescinding resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, which authorized an issue of \$4,000 corporate stock to provide means for the equipment, including furniture, etc., of the Educational Alliance Building, No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 30, 1908, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding nine hundred and twenty-four dollars (\$924) to provide means for the expenses connected with the acquisition of property located on Dumont ave., between Bradford st. and Miller ave., Borough of Brooklyn, as a site for a hospital, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities (in addition to the \$37,000 corporate stock authorized on July 7, 1905, for this purpose); and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding nine hundred and twenty-four dollars (\$924), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid," --be and the same is hereby rescinded.

No. 1737.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding four thousand dollars (\$4,000) to provide means for the equipment, including furniture, etc., of the Educational Alliance Building, No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an



amount not exceeding four thousand dollars (\$4,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."  
—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

No. 1738.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary,  
No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of twenty-one (21) resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, authorizing an issue of corporate stock amounting in the aggregate to \$1,188,500, to provide means to pay the cost of various dock and water improvements, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, together with forms of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

I also enclose copy of report of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee relative thereto.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, New York, June 30, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Corporate Stock Budget transmits herewith for your consideration twenty-one resolutions authorizing the issue of corporate stock in amount totaling \$1,188,500, for the use of the Department of Docks and Ferries, in improving the water-front and extending the dock system of the City.

The departmental requisition submitted by the Commissioner of Docks included proposed items of expenditure for the acquisition of water-front property and the construction of piers, bulkheads, etc., aggregating approximately twenty millions of dollars. Each of the projected improvements received the consideration of your Committee and while it was agreed that practically all of them were desirable and many of them necessary to the completion of dock development plans already undertaken by the City, the Committee is of the opinion that in view of the City debt situation, the appropriation of any large sum for dock purposes should be deferred until after the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court has acted upon the petition of the City, to be presented probably in September next, for the exemption of a portion of the debt for dock properties from the City's constitutional limitation of indebtedness.

Meanwhile, your Committee suggested to, and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in a resolution adopted June 29, 1910, recommended, as provided in section 180 of the City Charter, the authorization of appropriations for certain proposed improvements which it would seem to be expedient to provide for at this time. The Committee had in mind the proposition for the appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the preliminary development of the Jamaica Bay water-front, and in its report to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under date of June 28, 1910, called attention to the fact that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was committed to this appropriation by the provisions of a resolution adopted by it February 25, 1910, recommending to the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries that he prepare and present to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund plans for the proposed preliminary development of the Jamaica Bay water-front. An item of \$50,000 is herein included for the initial engineering and other expenses incident to the Jamaica Bay Improvement.

The Comptroller having issued, from January 1 to June 25 of this year, \$5,097,000 of corporate stock for dock purposes, it will be necessary to obtain the approval and authority of the Board of Aldermen for these appropriations, aggregating, as herein previously stated, \$1,188,500.

Following is a schedule showing the description and estimated cost of the several proposed improvements to be provided for in the resolutions submitted herewith:

1. For repairing and improving the platform at the foot of Oliver st., East River, Manhattan.....	\$35,250 00
2. For the construction of a pier at Whale Creek, Borough of Brooklyn.....	53,000 00
3. For mud dredging in all Boroughs.....	36,000 00
4. For the construction of a freight shed on the pier at the foot of 131st st., North River.....	41,300 00
5. For the construction of an extension to the pier at the foot of 134th st., North River.....	48,200 00
6. For the construction of a shed on pier at the foot of 33d st., South Brooklyn.....	240,000 00
7. For the construction of a new pier at the foot of Gold st., Brooklyn.....	16,000 00
8. For the removal of ferry racks, constructing new racks, repairing crib work, etc., foot of Broadway, Brooklyn.....	53,000 00
9. For the removal of waiting room, toilet, repairing southerly waiting room, installation of a new electric lighting system, etc., Broadway Ferry, Brooklyn.....	10,500 00
10. For the construction of offices at the Municipal Ferry Terminal, foot Whitehall st., Manhattan.....	18,000 00
11. For the hire of horses and carts.....	1,750 00
12. For the purchase of general supplies.....	25,000 00
13. For the purchase of rope.....	10,000 00
14. For the purchase of coal.....	18,000 00
15. To provide for the services of tugs, etc., for towing, contract to be on the basis of a stated price per hour.....	5,000 00
16. For the acquisition of water-front property at the foot of Broadway, Brooklyn, for use for ferry terminal.....	400,000 00
17. For paving that part of the approach to the St. George Ferry Terminal which is under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.....	7,500 00
18. For the construction of a pier at Tiffany st., Borough of The Bronx.....	30,000 00
19. For the construction of a pier at Fordham Landing, Borough of The Bronx.....	30,000 00
20. For alterations to ferryboats and terminals, 39th st. ferry, to enable the use of the entire lower decks of the boats for vehicular traffic.....	60,000 00
21. For initial engineering and other expenses incident to the Jamaica Bay Improvement.....	50,000 00

Total.....\$1,188,500 00

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;  
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;  
GEORGE MCANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan;  
Committee on Corporate Stock Budget, 1910.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of thirty-five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$35,250) for repairing and improving the platform at the foot of Oliver st., East River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:  
Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$35,250) for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of repairing and improving the platform at the foot of Oliver st., East River, Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$35,250), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of fifty-three thousand dollars (\$53,000) for the construction of a pier at Whale Creek, Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding fifty-three thousand dollars (\$53,000) for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of a pier at Whale Creek, Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding fifty-three thousand dollars (\$53,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000) for mud dredging in all boroughs under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000) for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of mud dredging in all Boroughs, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of forty-one thousand three hundred dollars (\$41,300) for the construction of a freight shed on the pier at the foot of 131st st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding forty-one thousand three hundred dollars (\$41,300) for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of a freight shed on the pier at the foot of 131st st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding forty-one thousand three hundred dollars (\$41,300), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of forty-eight thousand two hundred dollars (\$48,200) for the construction of an extension to the pier at the foot of 134th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding forty-eight thousand two hundred dollars (\$48,200) for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of an extension to the pier at the foot of 134th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding forty-eight thousand two hundred dollars (\$48,200), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of two hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$240,000) for the construction of a shed on the pier at the foot of 33d st., Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$240,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of a shed on the pier at the foot of 33d st., Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$240,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000) for the construction of a new pier at the foot of Gold st., Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of a new pier at the foot of Gold st., Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue



It be obtained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the construction of a pier at 115th Street, between the East River and the Hudson River, at the corner of 115th Street and the East River, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid.



AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) for the construction of a pier at Fordham Landing, Borough of The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the construction of a pier at Fordham Landing, Borough of The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) for alterations to existing ferryboats and terminals (39th st. ferry, to enable the use of the entire lower decks of the boats for vehicular traffic) under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of alterations to existing ferryboats and terminals (39th st. ferry, to enable the use of the entire lower decks of the boats for vehicular traffic) under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), to pay for initial engineering and other expenses incident to the Jamaica Bay Improvement, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for initial engineering and other expenses incident to the Jamaica Bay Improvement, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purpose aforesaid."

No. 1739.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, amending resolution adopted July 7, 1905, by striking therefrom the words "on Dumont ave., between Bradford st. and Miller ave.," and inserting in place thereof the words "on the southerly side of Livonia ave., between Pennsylvania and New Jersey aves."

I also transmit herewith copy of report of the Comptroller relative thereto, together with form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
June 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On July 7, 1905, your Board adopted a resolution authorizing the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not to exceed \$37,000 to provide means for the expenses connected with the acquisition of property located on Dumont ave., between Bradford st. and Miller ave., Borough of Brooklyn, as a site for a hospital under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, which authorization was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1905.

On July 14, 1905, your Board adopted a further resolution approving the action of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities in the selection of a site for the purpose of erecting thereon buildings for hospital purposes under the jurisdiction of his Department, said site being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Bradford st. with the southerly side of Dumont ave.; thence easterly along the southerly side of Dumont ave. two hundred (200) feet to the westerly side of Miller ave.; thence southerly along the westerly side of Miller ave. two hundred and eighty (280) feet; thence westerly and parallel with Dumont ave. two hundred (200) feet to the easterly side of Bradford st.; thence northerly along the easterly side of Bradford st. two hundred and eighty (280) feet to the point or place of beginning; —and authorizing the Comptroller to enter into a contract for the acquisition of the above-named property at private sale, at a price not to exceed \$36,100, said contract to be submitted to the Corporation Counsel for his approval as to form.

On December 22, 1905, Claus Doscher entered into an agreement with The City of New York, pursuant to the authority contained in the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 14, 1905, whereby the said Doscher, in consideration of the sum of \$36,100, agreed to sell and convey all that plot or parcel of land heretofore described in the resolution of July 14, 1905, and deliver therefor a deed containing a general warranty, and assuring The City of New York the fee simple of said premises free from all incumbrances on or before February 20, 1906.

A warrant was drawn for the sum of \$36,100 on March 14, 1906, by the Department of Finance to the order of Claus Doscher, was duly signed, and is still on file in this Department awaiting the delivery of the deed to the property by Claus Doscher. Mr. Doscher in 1908 refused to deliver title to the property when requested to do so, and the Corporation Counsel was requested to commence an action for specific performance of contract. Action was commenced and Mr. Doscher executed a stipulation agreeing to deliver title to The City of New York for the sum of \$36,100, upon his being reimbursed for the amount of taxes on the property which he had paid to The City of New York for the years 1905, 1906 and 1907.

On October 30, 1908, a resolution was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which resolution was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on November 17, 1908, authorizing the Comptroller to pay the claim of Claus Doscher in the sum of \$924, or so much thereof as might be necessary, upon the production of either the original bills or a certificate from the Deputy Collector of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, showing payment by said Doscher, his heirs or assigns, of the taxes for the

years 1905, 1906 and 1907, on property located on Dumont ave. between Bradford st. and Miller ave., Borough of Brooklyn.

Doscher subsequently stated that he did not intend to abide by the stipulation because the City had not in proper time executed the same and returned it.

An investigation discloses the fact that the stipulation was transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and by the Secretary of the said Board delivered to the Mayor's office for the Mayor's signature. The matter does not appear to have been closed up, and the stipulation was not returned by the Mayor to the Comptroller until November 17, 1909.

On March 3, 1910, the Comptroller received a communication from Mr. Doscher, through his attorney, Henry F. Cochran, in which he served notice that all stipulations entered into with respect to the purchase of the property included in the contract of December 22, 1905, were canceled by and on behalf of said Doscher, for the failure of The City of New York to comply with the terms and agreements upon which said stipulations were entered into.

I would therefore respectfully recommend to your Board, in view of the fact that the City will be unable to acquire the site for which authority was originally made, and inasmuch as the necessity for a hospital still exists according to the statement made by the Commissioner of Public Charities, that the resolution adopted by your Board on July 7, 1905, be amended so as to eliminate the site originally selected and to include the following described property:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Livonia ave. and the easterly side of Pennsylvania ave.; running thence easterly along Livonia ave. two hundred (200) feet; running thence southerly along the westerly side of New Jersey ave. two hundred and eighty (280) feet; running thence westerly parallel with Livonia ave. two hundred (200) feet to Pennsylvania ave.; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Pennsylvania ave. two hundred and eighty (280) feet, to the point or place of beginning.

I would further recommend to your Board, in view of the fact that there will be no requirement for the \$924 authorized on October 30, 1908, that the resolution be rescinded.

I transmit herewith resolutions.

Respectfully,  
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 7, 1905, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1905:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000), to provide means for the expenses connected with the acquisition of property located on Dumont ave., between Bradford st. and Miller ave., Borough of Brooklyn, as a site for a hospital under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words on Dumont ave., between Bradford st. and Miller ave., and inserting in place thereof the words on the southerly side of Livonia ave., between Pennsylvania and New Jersey aves."

No. 1740.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, amending the resolution adopted by the Board on June 25, 1909, which authorized the issue of \$27,000 corporate stock for construction of various dumping boards for the Department of Street Cleaning, by striking therefrom the words "at foot of Clinton ave." and inserting in place thereof the words "on Pier No. 1, Wallabout Basin."

I also transmit copy of report of the Comptroller relative thereto, together with form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
June 29, 1910.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a request from the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, under date of June 22, 1910, for a certain amendment of the corporate stock budget for the year 1910, I would report as follows:

It is proposed to amend the paragraph reading as follows:

"C—DS—2B. Construction of Dumping Boards in the Borough of Brooklyn—To provide for the cost of construction of dumping board at foot of Clinton ave., Borough of Brooklyn, six thousand five hundred dollars, \$6,500." —by making the location "on Pier No. 1, Wallabout Basin."

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment last year authorized a fund for the construction of a dump at the foot of Clinton ave. The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning now states that he has been advised by the Corporation Counsel that, owing to restrictions in the deed by the United States to the former City of Brooklyn, the use of the Clinton ave. dump would be illegal. For that reason the Dock Department has consented to the proposed new location on Pier No. 1, Wallabout Basin.

I would recommend that the request be approved by your Board, subject to concurrence therewith by the Board of Aldermen, through the adoption of the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,  
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 25, 1909, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 11, 1909, which reads as follows:

"Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning in a communication dated May 14, 1909, has made requisition for an issue of bonds to the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), for new stock or plant for said Department, as provided by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter; therefore be it

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) to provide means for the following purposes:

"For the construction of a dumping board at the foot of 158th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, \$4,000.

"For the construction of a dumping board at the foot of 134th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, \$4,000.

"For the construction of a dumping board at the foot of 97th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, \$12,000."

—be and the same is hereby amended by including therein the item: for the construction of a dumping board at the foot of Clinton ave., Borough of Brooklyn, \$7,000, and by striking out the words and figures, wherever they appear, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) and inserting in place thereof the words and figures twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000).

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words 'at foot of Clinton ave.' and inserting in place thereof the words 'on Pier No. 1, Wallabout Basin.'"



No. 1741.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of three (3) resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, as follows:

1. Amending resolution adopted March 27, 1908, in relation to an issue of \$2,580,000 corporate stock to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn by reducing said amount to \$1,802,495.33.

2. Amending resolution adopted July 2, 1909, in relation to an issue of \$20,000 corporate stock to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn by reducing said amount to \$5,000.

3. Authorizing an issue of \$1,510,000 corporate stock to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of The City of New York.

I also inclose copy of the Comptroller's report relative thereto, together with form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

I also transmit certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, amending resolution adopted July 2, 1909, which authorized an issue of \$623,356.70 corporate stock to provide means for an additional supply of water for the Borough of Brooklyn by reducing said amount to \$498,356.70.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 27, 1908, and approved by the Board of Aldermen June 23, 1908:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of two million five hundred and eighty thousand dollars (\$2,580,000) to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter (in addition to the amount heretofore authorized for this purpose), as follows:

"Land for additional pipe conduits and works to develop the underground supply.....	\$1,000,000 00
"Infiltration galleries or other system of collecting water from Spring Creek to Bellmore (estimated cost for one year's work).....	300,000 00
"New high pressure pumping station for the Massapequa Gallery.....	450,000 00
"Extension of distribution for small mains.....	250,000 00
"New trunk mains for 7th, 23d, 25th and 26th Wards.....	500,000 00
"Tower service pumping engine, Mount Prospect Pumping Station....	20,000 00
"Coal weighing scales.....	30,000 00
"Additional hydrants.....	30,000 00

"—and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding two million five hundred and eighty thousand dollars (\$2,580,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

"—be amended to read as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of one million eight hundred and two thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and thirty-three cents (\$1,802,495.33), to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter (in addition to the amount heretofore authorized for this purpose), as follows:

"Land for additional pipe conduits and works to develop the underground supply.....	\$1,000,000 00
"Infiltration galleries or other system of collecting water from Spring Creek to Bellmore (estimated cost for one year's work).....	300,000 00
"New high pressure pumping station for the Massapequa Gallery.....	25,000 00
"Extension of distribution for small mains.....	250,000 00
"New trunk mains for 7th, 23d, 25th and 26th Wards.....	150,000 00
"Tower service pumping engine, Mount Prospect Pumping Station....	17,495 33
"Coal weighing scales.....	30,000 00
"Additional hydrants.....	30,000 00

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"—and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one million eight hundred and two thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and thirty-three cents (\$1,802,495.33), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1742.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 2, 1909, and approved by the Board of Aldermen July 3, 1909:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, by installing five (5) additional water meters, two (2) at the Ridgewood Pumping Station and three (3) at the Millburn Station, and, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

"—be amended to read as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000), to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, by installing five (5) additional water meters, two (2) at the Ridgewood Pumping Station and three (3) at the Millburn Station, and, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1743.

June 30, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Under date of April 4, 1910, Hon. Henry S. Thompson, Commissioner, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, transmitted a schedule showing the issues of corporate stock that are required during this year to properly develop and extend the water supply in the five boroughs.

From an investigation that I have caused to be made by the Chief Engineer of this Department, I would report in detail as follows:

1. Construction and Equipment of Machine Shop at 24th St. Pipe Yard, Manhattan, \$100,000.

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held May 27, 1910, \$100,000 was authorized for this purpose.

2. Meters and Other Equipment and Setting of Same, Boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx, Queens and Richmond, \$500,000.

As noted in the communication, this equipment, with incidental supplies, is to be used in metering all public services and the extension is contemplated to cover busi-

ness places and to large typical districts in the detection and prevention of wastes. It seems likely that once this money is provided for the materials and labor incidental to the work that the former item will be self-carrying so far as affecting private property installations.

In order that this work may be initiated and carried on during the summer, I would recommend that \$100,000 be provided this time for the above work.

3. Laying and Replacing Distribution Mains, Manhattan, \$200,000.

In the Borough of Manhattan it will be necessary when the proposed Catskill system becomes available to make many changes.

In the event of the adoption or approval of the Pressure Tunnel System, uptake chambers will be placed at suitable locations, connections with which must be made by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the responsibility of the Board of Water Supply ending with the construction of the tunnel and chambers.

To make suitable and advantageous or adequate connections with these chambers it will be necessary to make numerous changes in the present system of piping. Before this can be done a careful study, which necessarily will include extensive explorations and field work, will have to be made.

The actual work of removing or replacing the distribution mains will not be done for at least a year or more. A small portion of the amount asked for, however, I think, should be provided for preparatory work, studies, etc., at the present time. For this, the sum of \$10,000 has been suggested, and I think that this amount may be properly allowed.

4. Laying High Pressure Mains, Manhattan, \$800,000.

This appropriation is to cover the extension of the High Pressure Fire Service System into the district bounded by 14th st. on the north, 3d ave. and the Bowery on the west, Houston st. on the south and the East River on the east.

The high pressure fire system has already been installed, or is now under contract and being installed, in all of the territory between 23d and Chambers sts., excepting that portion lying east of Lexington, 3d ave. and the Bowery, and between 23d and Houston sts., and a part of this it is now wished to cover, i. e., the part bounded and described above.

The high pressure fire system has proved highly successful and should be extended, particularly to thickly populated districts, as rapidly as is consistent with the City's financial ability to do so.

The territory embraced within District No. 2 is completely built up, consisting mainly of tenements in which a dense population is housed. The loss of life and fire losses will, without doubt, be greatly decreased by the installation of the system.

The amount asked for is \$800,000, and the amount required will probably approximate not far from this.

The work being necessary, I am of the opinion that provision for its installation should be allowed.

5. Laying Distribution Mains, Borough of Brooklyn, \$150,000.

The above amount is intended to provide the means of extending the distribution system in those portions of Brooklyn now being developed. During the past three or four years the growth of the distribution system in Brooklyn has been at about the rate of 100,000 feet of eight-inch mains per annum, and it would appear reasonable to provide for the same amount during the present year.

At present a contract is being prepared to furnish and lay mains, thereby extending the system in Borough Park, New Utrecht and West Coney Island in the equivalent of about 60,000 feet of eight-inch pipe, the estimated cost of which is \$75,000. It is also proposed to follow this contract with another in the near future for about the same amount; these two contracts will provide for necessary extensions until the spring of 1911.

I believe the necessity for this appropriation to be urgent; moreover, the construction of these lines will assure to the City an increase in revenue derived from this source.

6. Laying Trunk Mains in Manhattan, under East River and in Queens and Brooklyn, \$450,000.

The work proposed will consist of laying a 36-inch main from the 98th St. Station, in Manhattan, near Columbus ave., to the existing 36-inch main crossing Central Park at 85th st. A 36-inch extension will be run from the easterly end of the 36-inch main on Park ave., near 82d st., thence to 79th st., extending under the East River and across Blackwell's Island to Long Island City. At the actual river crossings this will reduce to 30 inches. A 30-inch branch is to run through Long Island City and under Newtown Creek to Brooklyn and a 30-inch branch is to extend easterly in Long Island City to connect with the existing distribution system.

This projected work is much needed in securing for Queens and Brooklyn an additional supply of water when Manhattan shall find itself with a surplus beyond its needs and will be capable of utilization after the Catskill supply shall become available in supplementary relief of these sections outside the territory to be directly tapped by the mains of this system which will enter from the south.

I agree as to the judiciousness of the investment here proposed, and would recommend favorable consideration of this item.

In conclusion, I would recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to Section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, authorize the Comptroller to issue corporate stock to provide means for the following purposes at the following estimated costs:

1. Meters and other equipment and setting of same, Boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx, Queens and Richmond.....	\$100,000 00
2. Laying and Replacing Distribution Mains, Manhattan.....	10,000 00
3. Laying High Pressure Mains, Manhattan.....	800,000 00
4. Laying Distribution Mains, Borough of Brooklyn.....	150,000 00
5. Laying Trunk Mains, in Manhattan, under the East River and in Queens and Brooklyn.....	450,000 00

Total ..... \$1,510,000 00

I would also recommend, as suggested by the Commissioner, cancellation of corporate stock that has already been issued for the following amounts:

Tower Service Engine, Mount Prospect Station.....	\$2,504 67
Water Mains, Trotting Course Lane, etc.....	20,000 00
Establishment of Pumping Plants, Massapequa Station.....	425,000 00
Trunk Mains for 7th, 23d, 25th and 26th Wards, Brooklyn.....	350,000 00
Meters at Ridgewood and other stations.....	15,000 00
Establishment of Driven Well Stations at Parkville and Flatlands, Brooklyn.....	125,000 00

Total ..... \$937,504 67

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, in the sum of one million five hundred and ten thousand dollars (\$1,510,000), to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of The City of New York, as set forth in the following resolution:

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one million five hundred and ten thousand dollars (\$1,510,000), for the improvement of the water supply system of The City of New York (as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter), viz.:

"For meters and other equipment and setting of same, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond.....	\$100,000 00
"For laying and replacing distribution mains, Borough of Manhattan..	10,000 00
"For laying high pressure mains, Borough of Manhattan.....	800,000 00
"For laying distribution mains, Borough of Brooklyn.....	150,000 00
"For laying trunk mains in Manhattan, under the East River, and in Brooklyn and Queens.....	450,000 00

"\$1,510,000 00



"--and, when authority shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to an amount not exceeding one million five hundred and ten thousand dollars (\$1,510,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1744.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910:

"Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 2, 1909, and approved by the Board of Aldermen July 3, 1909:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six hundred and twenty-three thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy cents (\$623,356.70), for the purpose of providing means for an additional supply of water for the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, apportioned as follows:

"Replacing with new and adequate mains the old ones of small section in Evergreen, Lee, Marcy, Sumner, Bedford and Throop aves., and in Forest and Roebing sts.....	\$108,498 60
"Replacing mains in Bushwick, Hopkinson, Howard, Reid, Lewis, Lexington, Reid, Stuyvesant, Sixth and Cropsey aves., Beaver, Macon and Union sts., and in the Park plaza and Eastern parkway.....	155,000 00
"Hauling and setting fire hydrants.....	44,858 10
"Fencing, monumenting and improving City's lands occupied by reservoirs, conduits, pumping stations.....	40,000 00
"Two driven well stations, Parkville and Flatlands, in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with their equipment.....	275,000 00

"Total..... \$623,356 70

"--and, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to an amount not exceeding six hundred and twenty-three thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy cents (\$623,356.70), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

"--be amended to read as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of four hundred and ninety-eight thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy cents (\$498,356.70), for the purpose of providing means for an additional supply of water for the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, apportioned as follows:

"Replacing with new and adequate mains the old ones of small section in Evergreen, Lee, Marcy, Sumner, Bedford and Throop aves., and in Forest and Roebing sts.....	\$108,498 60
"Replacing mains in Bushwick, Hopkinson, Howard, Reid, Lewis, Lexington, Reid, Stuyvesant, Sixth and Cropsey aves., Beaver, Macon and Union sts., and in the Park plaza and Eastern parkway.....	155,000 00
"Hauling and setting fire hydrants.....	44,858 10
"Fencing, monumenting and improving City's lands occupied by reservoirs, conduits, pumping stations.....	40,000 00
"Two driven well stations, Parkville and Flatlands, in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with their equipment.....	150,000 00

"Total..... \$498,356 70

"--and, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and ninety-eight thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy cents (\$498,356.70), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1745.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, July 5, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, recommending that the Board of Aldermen take favorable action upon the request, if made to said Board, by the Register of Kings County for an issue of \$4,600 special revenue bonds, pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Charter, the proceeds whereof to be expended by the Register of Kings County for the payment of salaries of employees in the Land Title Registration Bureau of said office for the year 1910.

Yours very truly,

WM. M. LAWRENCE, Assistant Secretary.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Register, County of New York:

No. 1746.

Register's Office, Hall of Records, County of New York, July 5, 1910.  
Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—I hereby request that you make application to the Board of Aldermen for the issuance of \$50,000 of revenue bonds to be expended under the provisions of chapter 682 of the Laws of 1910, providing for the reindexing of conveyances, unsatisfied mortgages, etc., recorded in the office of the Register of the County of New York prior to 1891, under the block index system of section, blocks and block numbers as laid out on the "Land Map of The City of New York."

This reindexing is necessary to meet the demands of the lawyers and public of this county whom it will necessarily benefit, and it is urgent that no time be lost in starting it. I hope that this application will have the unanimous consent of the Board of Aldermen at its meeting to-day, for otherwise this application must go over until the fall and at least three months will be lost thereby.

The system of indices in this office now are complex and far from modern and the work to be done under this act will go far towards increasing the revenues of this office through the added facilities which the work will provide.

Respectfully,

MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, Register.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Register of the County of New York for the purpose of reindexing conveyances, unsatisfied mortgages, etc., recorded prior to 1891, under the block system.

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Johnson, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Sommer, Stapleton, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White, President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—63.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

No. 1659.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page 1690), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending chapter 8 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Weights and Measures," respectfully

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That conditions having been greatly changed in the investigation and correction of painful abuses in traffic in the necessities as well as luxuries of life, this carefully drawn ordinance is admirably adapted to carry on the work of needed reform, and the Committee therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend chapter 8 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "Weights and Measures."

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

Section 1. Sections 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 388, 389, 394 and 395 of chapter 8 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "Weights and Measures," are hereby repealed and the following enumerated sections inserted in lieu thereof, together with the following subdivisions, to wit: Sections 384a, 384b, 388a, 388b and 395a:

Sec. 380. There shall be a Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures in The City of New York, in charge of a Commissioner of Weights and Measures, to be appointed by the Mayor and removable by him at his pleasure, who shall be paid an annual salary of \$5,000. The Deputy Inspectors of Weights and Measures shall hereafter be known as Inspectors of Weights and Measures, and shall be removable by the Mayor at his pleasure.

Sec. 381. The present Deputy Inspectors of Weights and Measures shall continue to hold office as Inspectors of Weights and Measures. Any vacancy which shall hereafter occur shall be filled by appointment by the Mayor, and the Mayor may from time to time appoint such additional Inspectors as he shall deem necessary.

Sec. 382. Said Commissioner and each of the said Inspectors of Weights and Measures shall, before entering upon the duties of his office, execute to The City of New York a bond, with one or more sureties to be approved by the Mayor, in the penal sum of \$2,000, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of his office.

Sec. 383. All persons using weights and measures, scale beams, patent balances, steelyards, or any other instrument used in weighing or measuring any article intending to be purchased or sold, shall cause the same to be tested, sealed and marked by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures, unless the same has been already so tested, sealed and marked by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures.

Sec. 384. No person shall use any weight, measure, scale beam, patent balance, steelyard, or any other instrument in weighing or measuring any commodity or article of merchandise intended for purchase or sale, unless the same shall have been tested, sealed and marked by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures of the said City, under a penalty of fifty dollars for each offense.

Sec. 384a. No person shall sell, offer for sale, or give away within The City of New York, any weight, measure, scale beam, patent balance, steelyard or other instrument to be used in weighing or measuring, unless the same shall have been tested, sealed and marked by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures of The City of New York, under a penalty of one hundred dollars for each such offense.

Sec. 384b. No person shall alter or change, in any manner, any weight, measure, scale beam, patent balance, steelyard, or other instrument to be used in weighing or measuring any commodity or article of merchandise, after the same has been tested, sealed and marked by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures of said City, so that the same shall weigh or measure inaccurately, under a penalty of one hundred dollars for each such offense.

Sec. 388. No person shall sell or offer for sale any commodity or article of merchandise in any market or in the public streets or in any other place in The City of New York, at or for a greater weight or measure than the true measure or weight thereof; and all ice, coal, coke, meats, poultry, butter and butter in prints, provisions, and all other commodities and articles of merchandise (except vegetables sold by the head or bunch) sold in the streets or elsewhere in The City of New York, shall be weighed or measured by scales, measures or balances, or in measures duly tested, sealed and marked by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures of the said City; provided, that poultry may be offered for sale and sold in other manner than by weight, but in all cases where the person intending to purchase shall so desire and request poultry shall be weighed as hereinbefore provided. No person shall violate any of the provisions of this section under a penalty of one hundred dollars for each offense.

Sec. 388a. A person who injures another or defrauds another by using a false weight, measure, or other apparatus, used in weighing or measuring of any commodity or article of merchandise, or who delivers less than the quantity he represents, shall forfeit and pay not less than one hundred dollars for each such offense.

Sec. 388b. No person shall sell or offer for sale ice in any manner other than by weight, and the same shall be weighed immediately before delivery, under a penalty of fifty dollars for each offense.

Sec. 389. Any weight which upon being tested is found to be short a quarter of an ounce or more; or any scale of two hundred and forty pounds capacity or less, which upon being tested is found to be short in weight by a quarter of a pound or more; or any scale of a capacity of between two hundred and forty pounds and four hundred pounds, which upon being tested is found to be short two pounds or more; or any scale of a capacity greater than four hundred pounds, upon being tested, is found to be short five pounds or more; or any scale which is in an unfit condition to be used by being worn out, badly rusted, or by any other cause; or any measure or utensil being used in the sale or purchase of any commodity or article of merchandise, which does not conform to the standards provided by statute, may be summarily confiscated and destroyed by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or an Inspector of Weights and Measures of the said City.

Sec. 394. No person shall in any way or manner obstruct, hinder or molest the Commissioner of Weights and Measures or any Inspector of Weights and Measures in the performance of his duties as herein imposed upon him, under a penalty upon every such person of one hundred dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 395. All weights, measures, scale beams, patent balances, steelyards, and other instruments used for weighing or measuring, may be inspected and sealed at the stores and places where the same may be used; and in case they or any of them shall be found not to conform to the standard of this State, an Inspector of Weights and Measures shall condemn the same and shall seal thereto a notice that such scale or measure does not conform to the standard of this State, and the owner thereof shall within five days, at his own expense, cause the same to be so altered and repaired as to conform it to the said standard of the State, and shall thereupon serve notice upon the Bureau of Weights and Measures in writing that such scale or measure has been so altered and repaired, but shall not break or remove the said seal or notice. No person other than a Deputy Inspector of Weights and Measures shall remove or cause to be removed the said notice. No person shall violate any of the provisions of this section under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each such offense.

Sec. 395a. No person shall manufacture, construct, sell, offer for sale, or give away, any dry measure or liquid measure, nor any barrel, pail, basket, vessel, container, intended to be used in the purchase or sale of any commodity or article of merchandise which shall not be so constructed as to conform with the standards provided by statute. Nor shall any person use any barrel, cask, pail, basket, vessel or container in the purchase or sale of any commodity or article of merchandise which does not conform to the standards provided by law, under a penalty of one hundred dollars for each offense.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

MAX S. LEVINE, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN McCANN, JOHN J. MEAGHER, JAS. E. CAMPBELL, SAMUEL MARX, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Alderman Johnson moved that this report and ordinance be laid over for one week. The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Herbst, Johnson, Markert, Nicoll, Schloss, Volkmann; President Cromwell—21.

Negative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Fink, Finnigan, Heffernan, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Marx, Meagher, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Smith, Sohmer, Stapleton, White; President



Gresser, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—35.

Alderman Dowling then moved that the report be accepted and the ordinance adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Funk, Finley, Finnigan, Heffernan, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Marx, Meagher, Morrison, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Solmer, Stapleton, Wendel, White; President Cromwell, President Gresser, by Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—41.

Excused—Alderman Nicoll—1.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

Nos. 995, 1099, 1173, 1628, 1629, 1634, 1635.

The Committee on Finance, to which were referred, from May 17 to June 28, 1910 (Minutes, pages 503, 625, 855, 1451, 1452, 1465, 1466), the annexed papers in relation to certain financial matters, respectfully

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That, inasmuch as these papers require no further consideration, it recommends that the said papers be placed on file.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), for the purpose of taking the necessary care of the sewer at the junction of 15th ave. and Gravesend Bay, Bath Beach, Borough of Brooklyn, in order to abate the nuisance caused by the present condition of said sewer and prevent further pollution of the shores of said Gravesend Bay; and be it further

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn is hereby authorized to arrange for the performance of the work hereunder after public letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the purpose of defraying the cost of cleaning and repairing and transportation of the plans prepared by the New York City Improvement Commission, which are to be exhibited at the Town Planning Conference to be held in London during the month of July, 1910.

New York, May 26, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM P. KENNEALLY, City Hall, New York City:

My Dear Mr. Kenneally—There is to be held in London, England, from July 11 to 16, an exhibition of drawings, plans, models, etc., bearing upon the subject of town planning. The Royal Institute of British Architects has asked the co-operation of the American Institute of Architects in obtaining an adequate representation from the different municipalities in this country. It is expected that the City Improvement Commission's plans of Washington, Chicago, Cleveland, St. Louis, San Francisco, Minneapolis and New Haven will be sent to London for this exhibition, and it is specially desired that the plans submitted with the report of the City Improvement Commission in New York a few years ago also be forwarded. These plans are in the custody of Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate. I have found on investigation that it will cost about \$500—not more—to put the plans in proper shape and to ship them to London and back. There is no way that the City can provide these funds except by the issue of special revenue bonds. As chairman of the Legislative Committee of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, I am therefore addressing you to ask the introduction and passage of a resolution authorizing an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$500 to meet this expense.

We feel that The City of New York should be adequately represented at an exhibition of this character, and the expense involved in sending the very interesting drawings prepared by the City Improvement Commission is so small that I trust the matter may have your interest and support.

Very truly yours,

ELECTUS D. LITCHFIELD, Chairman of the Committee on Legislation of the New York Chapter of the A. I. A.

Twenty-eighth Ward Taxpayers' Protective Association, Headquarters, No. 350 Hamburg Ave., Brooklyn, June 2, 1910.

Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan:

Gentlemen—It has come to our attention that Public School 162 of our Borough has been equipped with furniture suitable for cripples, enabling them to get an education. It has occurred to us and many other citizens of our neighborhood, if you will obtain from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment enough funds—say about \$3,000—to buy conveyances to take crippled children to and from above school. We have been informed that this is done in Manhattan Borough.

Hoping you will look into this matter favorably and that we may hear from you at an early date. Thanking you in advance, we are,

Yours truly,

J. A. ESTRUP, Secretary.

Address, No. 1212 Greene ave.

The Brooklyn League, Temple Bar, No. 44 Court Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., June 17, 1910.

Hon. PATRICK J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, New York, N. Y.:

My Dear Sir—I am directed to forward to you for the information of the Board of Aldermen the enclosed resolution which was offered by me at a mass meeting held in Part 2 of the Supreme Court, County Court House of Kings County, on Thursday evening, June 16, 1910. The Rev. Howard Melish presided at this meeting and put the resolution, which, after being seconded by Franklin W. Hooper, Alfred J. Boulton and others, was unanimously carried.

Very truly yours,

JOHN F. GEIS.

Whereas, The New York City Commission on Congestion has been appointed by his Honor the Mayor, pursuant to a resolution passed by the Board of Aldermen; and Whereas, The Commission has asked for an appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) to provide for the necessary expenses of the Commission, not including any salaries or compensation for the members thereof; it is hereby

Resolved, by those present at the mass meeting held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 16th day of June, 1910, That the Board of Aldermen and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to provide for the expenses of the Commission as aforesaid.

Brooklyn, June 19, 1910.

To the Members of the Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sirs—As a property owner of this city, I protest against the attitude assumed by the self-constituted body of men, representing themselves as acting for the property owners of this city, at a recent meeting of your Board, in opposing the appropriation of the \$15,000 asked by the Commission appointed, I believe, by the Mayor of our city to inquire into the cause of the congestion of our people, and especially our working people, into such small space. The head of Tenement House Department reports that as much as 17 families live on one floor in many sections of New York. This is a condition of affairs simply disgraceful, and in the interest of decency and humanity, I hope that your Board will disregard the opposition of this self-constituted body of property owners and grant the small amount asked by the Commission on Congestion.

Very respectfully,

JEREMIAH HEALY, No. 131 Covert St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, June 21, 1910.

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

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held June 17, 1910, a report was presented from the Comptroller referring to the resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board to give especial consideration to public improvements in the section of the City known as the "Dyckman section," relative to

better school accommodations, fire service and proper sewer connection, and to authorize an issue of corporate stock to provide for said purposes, stating, in view of the facts disclosed, that there are other localities in the City where a more urgent demand exists at the present time for fire protection, etc., and suggesting that a copy of the report be transmitted to the Board of Aldermen for its information. I transmit herewith copy of said report.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

June 11, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On March 1, 1910, the Board of Aldermen adopted a resolution requesting your Board to give especial consideration to public improvements in "the section of the City known as Dyckman section." The resolution stated that the said section was "without adequate school accommodation, fire service and proper sewer connection," and finally requested your Board to authorize "the issuance of such amounts of corporate stock as may be necessary to provide for said school and fire buildings, sewerage connection, and such other improvements as may be found necessary." On the question of "sewerage connections" contained in the said resolution, I would report as follows:

The "Dyckman section" referred to in the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen is that portion of the Borough of Manhattan extending north from Dyckman st. to the Harlem River. The Bureau of Sewers in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan states that the work of building sewers in the "Dyckman section" was begun in 1900 and practically completed in 1908, with the exception of a few blocks or sections of blocks, in which sewers were not laid because of the wishes of property holders, or because of these streets not being legally opened, or other causes. It was stated further that the Bureau of Sewers stands ready to build the remaining sections of sewers just as soon as the blocks or sections of blocks are legally opened and the property owners request the sewers. The Bureau of Sewers, however, reports that it looks upon the "Dyckman section" as practically provided with a complete sewerage system, because of the few short stretches of sewers that remain to be built, which would have been built before this time if the way had been cleared for the work.

Finally, the Bureau of Sewers makes known that to gain "sewerage connections" with any of the sewers in the "Dyckman section" it is only necessary to obtain from the Bureau of Sewers the usual plumber's permit to make such connections.

So far as the resolutions refer to the school situation, I report that the only public school building in the "Dyckman section" is Public School 52, located at Broadway, Academy st. and Vermilyea ave. This is a brick-stone building erected in 1857, with additions thereto in 1905. It contains nine classrooms having an aggregate number of 330 sittings. The official statistics for the month of March, 1910, show an average register of 240 pupils, so that, as will appear, the school accommodations are ample for the population at the present time. As to the immediate future needs of the locality, the Board of Education has not requested funds for any additional accommodations therein in its corporate stock estimate for the current year.

In the matter of the alleged inadequate fire service in the "Dyckman section," I report that the Commissioner of the Fire Department in his corporate stock estimate for 1910 included a request for \$110,000 for the purchase of a site and erection of a building for the installation of an engine and truck company in the section named, this being his only request for the locality. The Corporate Stock Budget as adopted by your Board on June 3, 1910, contained an appropriation of \$40,000 for the purchase of the site requested, the construction of the building being deferred on the statement of the Fire Commissioner that there were other localities in the City where the construction of fire houses was more urgently demanded at the present time than in the "Dyckman section."

I would suggest that a copy of this report be transmitted to the Board of Aldermen for its information.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway, June 27, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held June 24, 1910, a report was presented from the Comptroller referring to the resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting this Board to grant an appropriation of \$495,000 for the erection of a high school in the Bay Ridge section of Brooklyn, stating that an appropriation for said purpose was included in the Corporate Stock Budget, which was ordered on file and copy thereof sent to the Board of Aldermen.

I transmit herewith copy of the Comptroller's report for the information of said Board.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

June 16, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In the matter of a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted April 12, 1910, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to grant an appropriation of \$495,000 for the erection of a high school in the Bay Ridge section, Borough of Brooklyn, which was referred to me at a meeting of this Board held April 22, 1910, my report is as follows:

The Board of Education requested the sum of \$495,000 for a site and a building for the proposed Bay Ridge High School, \$100,000 of this amount being the estimated cost of the site and the remainder the estimated cost of the building, exclusive of equipment. Subsequently I secured an option on the site selected, 4th ave., 67th and Senator sts., in the sum of \$68,000, whereupon I recommended that \$70,000 be appropriated for the site instead of \$100,000 as requested, thereby making a total of \$465,000 for site and building, which sum is included in the Corporate Stock Budget for 1910.

I would suggest that a copy of this report be transmitted to the Board of Aldermen for its information.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

FRANK L. DOWLING, WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance.

Which report was accepted.

No. 1609.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 21, 1910 (Minutes, page 1444), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$100,000 special revenue bonds for the Eighth Ward Market, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. It understands that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in appropriating \$40,000 corporate stock for this market and believes that this is a sufficient amount for the current year, but as this work is so necessary, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with the request that an additional corporate stock issue be made for this purpose.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the purpose of carrying on the major part of the work on the Eighth Ward Market, situated in The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, which, when completed, will bring a large revenue to the City by means of rentals, besides materially helping to build up the many vacant lots in that section of our Borough, thereby creating more taxable property and increasing valuations.

The appropriation of forty thousand dollars by the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the Honorable Borough President of the Borough of Brooklyn for work on said above described market is, in our judgment, inadequate, unfair and unreasonable, and not in justice to the citizens and taxpayers of South Brooklyn, who have patiently waited these many years without complaint for the completion of this needed improvement.



FRANK L. DOWLING, WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance.

Which report was accepted.

No. 1641.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page 1471), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for \$27,500 special revenue bonds for purchase of horses, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That Commissioner Edwards and his deputies appeared before the Committee and stated in support of this request that at present the horses of the Department had to work seven days a week, which wore them out very fast. With the addition asked for some of the force could lay off once a week; that this new plant would do away with the hiring of many teams in the winter season at high prices; that necessary sweeping and sprinkling machines could be put in commission. The horses are to be purchased at public bidding, and it is estimated will cost about \$325 each. Each horse must weigh 1,500 pounds and must be five years of age, and submit to a trial by the Department at regular work for a period of fifteen days. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one hundred and twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$127,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Street Cleaning for the purpose of purchasing horses, to be divided as follows: Borough of Manhattan, \$42,500; Borough of Brooklyn, \$51,000; Borough of The Bronx, \$34,000.

FRANK L. DOWLING, WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, New York, June 22, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—Owing to the severe work which the Department of Street Cleaning horses are called upon to do, and having in mind the doing away with the hiring of trucks for the removal of ashes as far as possible in the three Boroughs, where exorbitant prices have been paid for such services of hired trucks, and also having in mind that the Department horses are the hardest worked in the city, barring none, it is to the best interests of the Department of Street Cleaning that there be not only enough horses to successfully carry on the work of the Department, but that there be a surplus in each stable, so that the horses may gain a day's rest during each week.

During the present year the Department of Street Cleaning in The Bronx has taken over a new stable and is doing the work previously done by a contractor. This calls for thirty horses, in addition to the regular force. The Bronx is steadily increasing and more horses are needed to cope with the situation.

Conditions in Brooklyn are practically the same. Last winter it was necessary, in order to make a proper collection of ashes, to hire one hundred trucks for a period of two months.

The same conditions prevail in Manhattan. The output in the Washington Heights district has increased very materially. In fact, the amount of money paid out for hired trucks in the three Boroughs during last winter was in the neighborhood of \$40,000. The Department is equipped with enough carts, harness and extra Drivers to do this work, provided there are enough horses.

For the best interests of the Department and as a matter of economy, I request that your Board authorize the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of one hundred and twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$127,500), for the purchase of horses, to be divided among the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, \$42,500; Borough of Brooklyn, \$51,000; Borough of The Bronx, \$34,000; total, \$127,500.

Respectfully,

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Johnson, Kennally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Snell, Sohmer, Stapleton, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White; President Cromwell, President Gresser, w Joseph Sullivan, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—60.

At this point Alderman Smith took the chair.

No. 1644.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred, on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page ), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$52,663.43 special revenue bonds for deficiency in rental account for 1910, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary. This is to cover increases in rent and new leases duly authorized by the Sinking Fund Commission. The Committee is informed that the Budget allowance was insufficient, and there is some shortage from that source. It recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$52,663.43, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rents upon property leased by The City of New York, for the use of the various Departments of the City and county governments.

FRANK L. DOWLING, WM. J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Heffernan, Hickey, Hoertz, Johnson, Kennally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Snell, Sohmer, Stapleton, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Weston, White; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—60.

At this point the Vice-Chairman resumed the chair.

No. 1160—(G. O. No. 55).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred, on June 7, 1910 (Minutes, page 846), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$7,200 special revenue bonds to pay twelve additional Inspectors of Weights and Measures, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That there has been a great deal of public discussion lately in relation to this Bureau, and it is a well-known fact that the present force is insufficient to cope with the work. This Bureau performs a most important public service and the Committee believes it should have support. It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of seven thousand two hundred dollars (\$7,200), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures for the purpose of paying the salaries for twelve additional Inspectors of Weights and Measures until December 31, 1910, at the rate of \$1,200 each per annum.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, CHARLES P. COLE, WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, Dujat, Fink, Finnigan, Heffernan, Hickey, Johnson, Kennally, Levine, McAleer, Marx, Meagher, Morrison, Mulhearn, Potter, Reardon, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Wendel, White, President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—35.

Negative—Alderman Eichhorn—1.

On motion of Alderman Dowling the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was placed on the list of General Orders.

No. 1618—(G. O. No. 56).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred, on June 21, 1910 (Minutes, page 1446), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$2,500 special revenue bonds for Chief of Bureau of Weights and Measures, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That this is in connection with Introductory No. 1160, and is for the purpose of equipping the twelve Inspectors for whose payment provision is therein made. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Chief of the Bureau of Weights and Measures for the purpose of defraying the expenses and equipping the twelve Inspectors recently appointed.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, CHARLES P. COLE, WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 1086—(G. O. No. 57).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 31, 1910 (Minutes, page 621), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$15,000 special revenue bonds for Special Commission on Congestion, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That the Committee has held a public hearing in this matter and is in receipt of many letters for and against the appropriation. It seems to the Committee that inasmuch as this Commission was appointed by the Mayor in compliance with an ordinance of this Board, and as it is dominated by members of this Board who are members of the Commission, that it should be supplied with funds to do the work. Attached are letters from the President of the Allied Real Estate Interests and from the Chairman of the Commission stating that the amount proposed will be sufficient. The Committee recommends that the resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commission on Congestion of Population for the purpose of paying salaries of clerical force and office expenses.

FRANK L. DOWLING, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, WM. J. HEFFERNAN, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.

The New York City Commission on Congestion of Population, Room 269, No. 280 Broadway, New York, June 15, 1910.

Hon. Frank L. Dowling, Chairman, etc., Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, City:

My Dear Alderman—I am in receipt of the letter from the clerk of your Committee, dated the 14th inst., addressed to me as Chairman of the Commission on Congestion of Population, requesting the Commission to state whether the proposed issue of \$15,000 special revenue bonds for the use of the Commission, if issued, will be all that will be required for the purposes of the Commission, I desire to say, in behalf of the Commission, that no further appropriation will be asked for.

Truly yours,

JACOB A. CANTOR, Chairman.

Allied Real Estate Interests of the State of New York (Incorporated), New York, June 11, 1910.

Hon. Frank L. Dowling, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I am writing in regard to the request of the New York City Commission on Congestion of Population for an appropriation of \$15,000. Unavoidable absence from town made it impossible for me to attend the hearing before your Committee on yesterday so that I do not know the points made by those opposing favorable action by the Board of Aldermen on this matter. In the absence of specific knowledge on this point, I can only say in general:

That the Board of Aldermen in its wisdom saw fit to ask the Mayor to appoint such a Commission, and the Mayor, pursuant to this request, has done so.

That this Commission has a membership of nineteen, ten of whom are members of the Board of Aldermen.

Under the circumstances this Commission must investigate and report, and to investigate and report must have funds. The expenditure of those funds will be under the control of the aldermanic members of the Commission, since they are in the majority. I cannot see any propriety in the request that no appropriation be made. That some appropriation is necessary would seem to be obvious, and the only question at issue, it seems to me, is for the Board of Aldermen to decide how much of an appropriation should be made.

I beg respectfully to call to your attention that this is no junketing trip; that the members of this Commission if they do their work faithfully, as I believe all of them will, will have to give up a great deal of their time and energy to this work during the next eight months. The appropriation asked for is not in compensation for the work or efforts of the members of the Commission, but to permit the Commission to do its work as the Board of Aldermen meant it should when it passed the ordinance calling for the creation of the Commission.

Very truly yours,

ALLAN ROBINSON, President.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cunningham, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Esterbrook, Fink, Hamilton, Heffernan, Johnson, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Schloss, Shipley, Sohmer, Wendel, White, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—27.

Negative—Aldermen Barton, Cole, Cornell, Dotzler, Finley, Herbst, Kennally, Levine, McAleer, Marx, Stapleton and Volkman—12.

On motion of Alderman Dowling, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was placed on the list of General Orders.



## Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 1574—(G. O. No. 58).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 21, 1910 (Minutes, page 1223), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing position of Confidential Inspector, Department of Street Cleaning, at \$1,650 per annum, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That Commissioner Edwards states that he has occasion for the services of such an employee in matters requiring special investigation, and that the salary fixed seems reasonable. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held June 17, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Confidential Inspector in the Department of Street Cleaning, with salary at the rate of \$1,650 per annum, for one incumbent."

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN J. WHITE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, WILLIAM DRESCHER, FREDERICK SNELL, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Heffernan moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, a majority of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Cornell, Dowling, Heffernan, Nicoll, Reardon, White, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—9.

Negative—Alderman Finley—1.

On motion of Alderman Dowling, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was placed on the list of General Orders.

At this point Alderman Heffernan took the chair.

No. 1631.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page 1453), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing pay for fourth grade Firemen at \$1,000 per annum, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That this increase from \$800 to \$1,000 in the pay of approximately 200 men has been agitated for some time, and all officials having to do with the matter are unanimously in favor of it. The Committee believes the increase a matter of justice to these men and recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held June 24, 1910:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of fourth grade Fireman in the Fire Department, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per annum."

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN J. WHITE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, WILLIAM DRESCHER, FREDERICK SNELL, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Johnson, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheridan, Shipley, Stapleton, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—47.

At this point the Vice-Chairman resumed the chair.

No. 1632—(G. O. No. 59).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page 1455), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing position of Deputy Assistant District Attorney, Kings County, at \$2,000 per annum, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That this is not an increase in salary nor is it practically a new position. It merely fixes the title of an employee who has been doing this work at the same salary. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held June 24, 1910:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Deputy Assistant District Attorney, for one incumbent, at a salary of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum, in the office of the District Attorney of Kings County."

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN J. WHITE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, WILLIAM DRESCHER, FREDERICK SNELL, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 1633—(G. O. No. 60).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page 1455), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing various grades in the Department of Public Charities, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed changes to be such as will be advantageous to the service of the Department. The majority of the increases are for small amounts in the compensation of poorly paid workers, and where there are new positions they are justified by the growth of the Department.

The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held June 24, 1910:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Public Charities of the following positions and grades of positions, in addition to those already existing therein:

	Incum- bents.	Per Annum.		Incum- bents.	Per Annum.
Machinist, not to exceed \$4.50 per diem	1	.....	Attendant	.....	480 00
Foreman of Stables	1	\$720 00	Automobile Engineman (additional)	1	1,200 00
Fumigator	1	600 00	Baker, Foreman	1	1,040 00
Instructor	2	600 00	Baker, per diem	.....	3 00
Instructor	1	720 00	Barber	.....	360 00
Medical Superintendent	2	3,000 00	Barber	.....	420 00
Messenger	1	300 00	Butcher	.....	480 00
Apothecary	1	1,200 00	Butcher	.....	540 00
Attendant	.....	360 00	Butcher	.....	600 00
Attendant	.....	420 00	Bookkeeper	1	2,250 00

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Clerk	.....	1,350 00	Hospital Helper, Mechanic	.....	720 00
Deputy Superintendent of Training Schools	.....	900 00	Laundresses	.....	360 00
Deputy Superintendent of Hospitals	.....	1,200 00	Laundresses	.....	420 00
Deputy Medical Superintendent of Hospitals	.....	1,000 00	Laundrymen	.....	360 00
Deputy Medical Superintendent of Hospitals	.....	1,500 00	Laundrymen	.....	420 00
Deputy Superintendent, Bureau of Dependent Adults	.....	1,500 00	Laundrymen	.....	540 00
Draftsman	1	\$1,500 00	Morgue Keeper	1	600 00
Driver	.....	360 00	Morgue Keeper	1	1,200 00
Driver	.....	420 00	Secretary to the Commissioner	1	2,500 00
Driver	.....	480 00	Resident Physician	.....	2,000 00
Driver	1	1,050 00	Supervising Nurse	1	1,050 00
Farmer	1	600 00	Stenographer and Typewriter	1	900 00
Foreman of Laborers	.....	600 00	Stenographer and Typewriter	1	1,050 00
Foreman of Laborers	.....	720 00	Seamstresses	.....	300 00
Hospital Helper, Mechanic	.....	480 00	Tailors	.....	360 00
Hospital Helper, Mechanic	.....	540 00	Tailor	1	600 00
Hospital Helper, Mechanic	.....	600 00	Tailor	1	720 00
			Trained Nurse	.....	480 00
			Waitresses	.....	216 00
			Watchmen	.....	600 00

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, JOHN J. WHITE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, WILLIAM DRESCHER, FREDERICK SNELL, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 534—(G. O. No. 61).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 15, 1910 (Minutes, page 1119), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing grade of Secretary to the Superintendent of Buildings in the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, as shown by the report of the Select Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the present incumbent's salary is below that of persons employed in similar capacities in the other boroughs. He has served five years without an increase. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held March 11, 1910:

"Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Secretary to the Superintendent of Buildings, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum."

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, WM. C. TOWEN, SAMUEL MARX, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, RALPH FOLKS, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 535—(G. O. No. 62).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 15, 1910 (Minutes, page 1119), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing the position of Executive Clerk under the President of the Borough of Richmond respectfully

## REPORTS:

That it appears that the proposed incumbent has, under various designations, for ten years rendered faithful and useful services in a confidential capacity under the President, who avers that he places great reliance on him. The Committee therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held March 11, 1910:

"Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Executive Clerk, in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, for one incumbent."

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, WM. C. TOWEN, SAMUEL MARX, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, RALPH FOLKS, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 1127—(G. O. No. 63).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 7, 1910 (Minutes, page 797), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the grade of Superintendent of Buildings under the President of the Borough of Richmond at \$3,000 per annum, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, as reported by the Select Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the compensation of the present incumbent, a man of large experience and eminent ability, has been below that of the occupants of similar positions in other Boroughs, while the growth of Richmond entails greatly increased work and responsibility, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held June 3, 1910:

"Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grade of position in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, in addition to those already existing therein, viz.: Superintendent of Buildings, 1 incumbent, \$3,000 per annum."

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

WILLIAM J. HEFFERNAN, WM. C. TOWEN, SAMUEL MARX, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, RALPH FOLKS, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

## Reports of Committee on Public Letting—

No. 1015—(G. O. No. 64).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 24, 1910 (Minutes, page 523), the annexed request from the President, Borough of Richmond, for authority to purchase coal in open market, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. This is supplemental to a similar permission given earlier in the year. The details are set forth in the letter of request.

It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted. The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, May 18, 1910.

Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Gentlemen—Pursuant to a request which I made to you on February 4, you passed a resolution authorizing the purchase of coal for use in the various Bureaus of my office without public letting to the amount of \$3,000. This request was granted upon my explanation that we had no facilities for the general storage of a quantity of coal and that a great deal of our coal is used at various points, making it more economical to purchase, when required, from points near the work being done at the time



with consequent short hauls, rather than the making of a general contract, on account of which deliveries would be called for wherever and whenever required. Our experience has proven that bids submitted for such contracts always carry high prices.

The statement was made in the letter above referred to, that for the use of the Borough Hall or other public buildings, our coal would be purchased by contract. The \$3,000 asked for was principally to cover coal used for other incidental purposes, such as steam roller use and the heating of portable field offices, etc.

In pursuance of the intention expressed in that letter, bids were advertised for with a view to securing coal for the heating of the public buildings, but owing to new specifications which had been prepared no coal dealers put in bids. Being in immediate need of coal for the boilers of the Borough Hall, about 200 tons were purchased on order at once. This in addition to the necessary small amounts of coal that have been purchased from time to time for the use of steam rollers, etc., has caused the \$3,000 authorized to be exhausted. It, therefore, becomes necessary for me to request that a resolution be passed authorizing the purchase of an additional \$2,000 worth of coal without public letting, making in all coal to the amount of \$5,000 authorized for my office for the year 1910.

As soon as storage capacity is available, another attempt will be made to secure bids upon contract.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President, Borough of Richmond.

FRANCIS P. BENT, MAX S. LEVINE, JAMES J. SMITH, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, EDWARD BRADY, THOMAS F. BARTON, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 1133—(G. O. No. 65).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred, on June 7, 1910 (Minutes, page 800), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, for authority to purchase an automobile without public letting, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. This subject has been threshed out before, as to the advisability or possibility of securing automobiles with public letting. The Committee believes better results may be obtained without public letting, and therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, June 7, 1910.

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

Gentlemen—The Park Department of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond has no automobile.

I have held the office of Park Commissioner in these Boroughs now for almost five months, and my experience has shown me most clearly that in order to do efficient work as Park Commissioner I must be supplied with an automobile.

At present the Park Commissioner is obliged to make his trips to departments and over the parks of the City in a single seated carriage. Time and time again we have been subjected to the ridiculous necessity of going forth on important park errands, myself in the first single seated carriage, the Chief Engineer following in another single seated carriage, and after him the Landscape Architect in another single seated carriage.

I might dwell on the vast loss of time, due not only to such a condition of affairs, but to the fact that I, myself, in attempting to cope with the vast activities of this office, must attempt to cover long distances and reach numerous points behind a slow-going team of horses.

In brief, I consider the automobile which I now ask your honorable body to permit me to purchase without public letting an absolute necessity. I therefore beg leave to submit to your Board the following resolution for your consideration:

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Park Commissioner of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and he is hereby authorized to purchase, without public letting, one automobile for his use, the total expense not to exceed the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500).

Respectfully,

CHAS. B. STOVER, Commissioner.

FRANCIS P. BENT, JOHN F. WALSH, MAX S. LEVINE, JAMES J. SMITH, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, EDWARD BRADY, THOMAS F. BARTON, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 1583—(G. O. No. 66).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on June 21, 1910 (Minutes, page 1433), the annexed request from the President, Borough of The Bronx, to purchase automobiles without public letting, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. The practice of buying these machines in the open market is conceded to be much the better course as to results obtained, and the Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

New York, June 21, 1910.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I hereby respectfully request authority from the Board of Aldermen to purchase \$9,000 worth of automobiles for use in the Borough of The Bronx, without public letting. Revenue bonds for this sum and purpose were granted by your honorable Board on June 21, 1910.

Yours respectfully,

CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx.

FRANCIS P. BENT, JOHN F. WALSH, MAX S. LEVINE, JAMES J. SMITH, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, EDWARD BRADY, THOMAS F. BARTON, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

No. 1645—(G. O. No. 67).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on June 28, 1910 (Minutes, page 1476), a request from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for authority to enter into a supplementary contract for completion of sewers in E. 98th st., in that Borough, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the report of the Engineers, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary, inasmuch as it will be more economical for the present contractors, who are familiar with the work, to finish it and also to avoid the delay entailed by advertising. The improvement is one that is urgently needed and no avoidable delay should be tolerated. The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a supplementary contract with the present contractors for construction of the E. 98th st. sewer in the aforesaid contract for the substitution of a superior class of cement which is found to be necessary, owing to developments which have manifested themselves during the work, and the use of which will prove economical by avoidance of possibly frequent repairs if the present quality of cement be adhered to. The expense of the substitution not to exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) and to include the furnishing, freight, cartage, distribution and all incidentals complete in place in the finished work.

FRANCIS P. BENT, MAX S. LEVINE, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, JOHN MCCANN, JAMES J. SMITH, THOMAS F. BARTON, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently this report was laid over.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, July 5, 1910.

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

By sections 362, 363, 364 and 365 of the Code of City Ordinances, stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruits and blacking of boots may be licensed by au-

thority of the Mayor, such licenses to be issued by the Mayor's Bureau of Licenses; but a prerequisite prescribed by the said ordinances to the granting of such a license is that the alderman of the district in which the stand is to be located shall give his assent thereto in writing. Without such consent it would seem that the Mayor cannot grant the license.

Shortly after I became Mayor a woman who had a licensed newsstand came to me and complained and made oath that she could not get the license renewed except by the payment of \$250 to the political district captain of the district in which the stand was. I investigated the matter and found her statement to be true. As I refused to grant the license to another person who was brought forward for it, she is in possession of the stand yet and is likely to remain there. Shortly after many complaints began to come to me of the same extortion by district political leaders, both Democratic and Republican. Later on began to come complaints that the said district leaders would not permit the applicant to get a license until he first joined the political club of the district, Republican or Democratic, according to which party the alderman of the district belonged. I investigated this matter and found it to be apparently true. I annex hereto a report to the Comptroller made by one of his inspectors showing the practice to prevail, and also a letter of the head of the Bureau of Licenses thereon, and request that both of them be read with this message. I want to be understood as not even intimating that the members of your honorable body are implicated in this general extortion. It would seem that some of you are being imposed on. The fact remains, however, that these district leaders extort money for these licenses before they will consent to them, and in some way they then get the alderman of the district to consent to the issuance of the license, and then they get the Chief of the Mayor's Bureau of Licenses to issue the license. The fact is that the members of your Board and the Mayor's Bureau of Licenses, which really means the Mayor himself, are being delivered, as the phrase is, in the granting of these licenses for sums ranging from \$5 to \$500 in each case. I am sending this message to your honorable body to put your honorable members on their guard against consenting to any more of these licenses except in cases where it is entirely certain that no such extortion is being practiced by district leaders or other persons. Persons applying for these licenses cannot get them until they join a political club and pay that club a specified amount of money, or until they pay some political captain a prescribed sum of money. It is too infamous a thing to be permitted to continue, and I ask the privilege of uniting with the honorable members of your Board in putting an end to it. It seems to me that the system of licensing is wrong and should be amended.

Respectfully,

W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 24, 1910.  
Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

Sir—Certain residents of the Eleventh Aldermanic District of New York have complained of the action of Louis Wendel, Jr., Alderman of the said District. They allege that it is impossible to obtain permits for stands within stoop lines unless the applicant joins the Thomas J. McManus Association of the Eleventh Assembly District.

Section 361 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York provides that no persons shall have or use any bootblack stand outside of any building in the City of New York, and there shall be no booth or stand erected or maintained within the stoop line of any building in the City of New York, unless said person first procures a license.

Section 362 provides that all licenses for such stands shall be granted by the authority of the Mayor and issued by the Bureau of Licenses for a term of one year.

Section 363 provides that stands within stoop lines may be permitted and licensed with the consent of the owner of the premises and the consent of the alderman of the district in which said stand is to be located.

Thus it appears that all bootblacks, newsdealers and others who desire to conduct their business from stands outside of any building in the City of New York must first obtain a license. Before this license is issued it is necessary for them to receive the consent of the alderman of the district in which they intend to do business.

The boundary lines of the Eleventh Aldermanic District are the same as those of the Eleventh Assembly District, the leader being Thomas J. McManus. The political organization of this district is known as the Thomas J. McManus Association. Its clubhouse is on 9th ave., near 50th st.

Upon interviewing the standkeepers, I was informed that in order to obtain an application blank for a license for a stand within stoop line it was necessary for them to visit this political club, as there was no other way for them to obtain these application blanks. They also stated that all applicants for licenses were instructed to join the Thomas J. McManus Association, otherwise the Alderman would not approve the application.

William Giorgio, who keeps a bootblack stand at the southwest corner of 51st st. and 9th ave., and who was formerly head of the Bootblacks' Union in this City, states that he has received many complaints from bootblacks and other standkeepers in the Eleventh Aldermanic District, to the effect that a license for a stand within stoop line would be refused applicants unless they joined the Thomas J. McManus Club.

The license fees for stands within stoop lines are as follows: For the sale of newspapers, periodicals, or both, \$5; for the sale of fruits, or soda water, or both, \$10; for the sale of all the foregoing items, \$15; for the blacking of boots, not more than three chairs, each chair, \$5.

The dues of the Thomas J. McManus Club are \$11 a year, so that persons who are compelled to join it, in order to obtain a license, are doubly taxed, first, by this political organization and then by the City of New York. In some instances, such as in the case of newsdealers, the illegal tax imposed by the Thomas J. McManus Club is 220 per cent. in excess of the legal tax paid to the City of New York.

The following persons have made affidavits concerning this matter:

Renato Cinque, of No. 786 9th ave., stated under oath that he keeps a fruit stand at No. 776 9th ave. and that he sent his workman, Leo Fiorentino, to the clubhouse of the Thomas J. McManus Association for a license for a stand within stoop line and that his workman was informed that if a license was wanted, he would have to join the Thomas J. McManus Association and pay \$11 a year. Mr. Cinque further states that shortly thereafter he visited the clubhouse of Thomas J. McManus and was instructed by some person in charge to visit Mr. Kelly, of No. 306 W. 54th st., and that Mr. Kelly would tell him what to do. Mr. Cinque further states that on May 18 and 19, City Marshal Kelly visited him, and, after discussing the matter of a license, Mr. Kelly said to the deponent's partner in his (deponent's) presence: "You will have to join the McManus Club and pay \$11 a year if you want a license. They all have to join the club." Mr. Cinque's affidavit is attached hereto.

Michael Lanzo, of No. 664 9th ave., who is engaged in business as a bootblack at 47th st. and 8th ave., made a statement under oath which is attached hereto, to the substance of which are as follows: That he has been in business for two years past at the corner of 47th st. and 8th ave.; that he had no trouble in obtaining a license until this year; that about the first of May, he visited the clubhouse of the Thomas J. McManus Association on 9th ave., near 50th st., in order to see the Alderman and obtain from him an application blank for a license for a stand within stoop line. He further states that the Alderman, Louis Wendel, Jr., referred him to a man who sat at the secretary's desk and whose name is unknown to the deponent. This man asked the deponent: "What do you wish?" He was informed that he wished an application blank for a license. Deponent was then asked if he belonged to the club. He informed this individual that he did not belong to the club and was in turn informed: "If you join the club you will not have any trouble for a license." The deponent asked what it would cost to join the club and he was told that it would cost \$11 a year. Deponent objected to paying this and said: "I am only a poor man and cannot afford \$11 a year." Then this individual said to him: "Do you think we are not going to see any of your money?" Deponent called repeatedly at the clubhouse of the McManus Association and finally he was told by Mr. Malloy, the secretary, that he would have to join the club and was told to come on the following night. Deponent said to Mr. Malloy: "Are you sure it will be all right to-morrow night?" Mr. Malloy answered: "Yes, if you have \$11 with you." Deponent then went on the following night and paid the \$11 to Mr. Malloy. Mr. Malloy then went to the rear of the room and spoke to the Alderman. Deponent was introduced to the Alderman in the following manner: "Alderman, this is a new member of the club, Mr. Lanzo. Help him in anything he needs." The Alderman then said: "All right, what do you wish?" The deponent said: "I want a permit for a license." The Alderman then replied: "All right, wait until I open my desk." The Alderman, who was Louis Wendel, Jr., then signed the application for a license. Mr. Lanzo further testified



that he believed that it would have been impossible for him to obtain a license unless he joined the McManus Club and that he joined the said club against his will.

John Tomasso, of No. 736 10th ave., in an affidavit which is attached hereto, stated in substance as follows: That he applied on June 1, 1910, to Louis Wendel, Jr., the Alderman in the District in which he resides, for an application for a license for a stand within stoop line; that Mr. Wendel told him to see the captain of his election district, and that some one in the McManus Association suggested to him that he see John Bernhard, of No. 447 W. 50th st. Mr. Bernhard advised the deponent to join the Thomas J. McManus Club and that he went with Bernhard to the said club and interviewed Aldermen Wendel, who refused to sign an application blank for him on the ground that he had no key to his desk.

Antonio Pelluso, of No. 312 W. 49th st., stated in the presence of witnesses that on April 27, 1910, he visited the McManus clubhouse and interviewed Alderman Wendel and asked the Alderman for an application for a stand within stoop line. Mr. Pelluso further stated that the Alderman instructed him to see Mr. Kelly (presumably Mr. Kelly is Marshal Kelly above referred to). Mr. Kelly told the deponent that he would have to join the McManus Club and pay \$11 a year if he wanted a license. The deponent fearing that it would be impossible for him to obtain a license unless he joined the McManus Club, and knowing that without a license it would be impossible for him to earn a living, joined the McManus Club against his will and then obtained a license. Mr. Pelluso's affidavit is also attached hereto.

Respectfully,

F. J. PRIAL, Chief Examiner.

Mayor's Office, Bureau of Licenses, City Hall, New York, July 1, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor:

Sir—I have carefully read over Mr. Prial's report to Mr. Prendergast. I have no doubt that what he says is absolutely so. The trouble in the entire matter seems to be in the law governing the issuance of these licenses.

Section 363 of the ordinance reads as follows: "Stands within stoop lines may be permitted and licensed, with the consent of the owner of the premises and the consent of the Alderman of the district in which said stand is to be located." \* \* \*

Section 369 reads: "In the event of a refusal by any Alderman of the consent required by the foregoing sections, the applicant for license or transfer may present his application to the Board of Local Improvements of the district in which the proposed stand is to be located, and by a vote of the majority of the members elected, the consent of the said board may be substituted for that of the Alderman. In case an Alderman fails to give his consent as aforesaid within ten days after he has received the application for license or transfer, such failure shall be deemed to be a refusal within the meaning of this section."

The result of this involved procedure for the procuring of a license for a boot-black stand or a stand for the sale of fruit and soda water is as follows:

Many Aldermen sign applications in blank and leave these signed applications in their political clubs. These are distributed by the leaders to their district captains on request when the district captains certify that a man is acceptable. In this way a number of intermediaries get into contact with the issuance of a license and the result is easily concluded.

It is a common practice for an Alderman not to issue an application to a person who is not a member of the political club to which the Alderman belongs. The result is that almost all of these standkeepers join the club and pay the regular initiation fee and dues.

When there is an election for Alderman and a change is made from one party to another, it becomes necessary then for the man who wants to retain his stand to join the opposing political club, no matter what his political belief may be.

If the Alderman refuses to consent to the issuance of a license the applicant must, under the ordinance, resort to an appeal to the Local Board of Public Improvements. This is composed of the Aldermen of the two districts adjoining that of the Alderman who refuses to consent and of the President of the Borough in which the district is situated. If these Aldermen are of the same political party as the Alderman who refuses to consent, then, of course, the appeal is idle. Such a procedure is too involved for the issuance of a license to a bootblack.

I have heard many rumors similar to the statements made in the annexed report, and always asked for the facts to be presented, but these standkeepers are afraid that if they tell the truth they might be persecuted. These stands are very valuable, some of them being worth \$1,500 or \$1,700.

On account of the law which makes these consents necessary one can easily realize what corruption might be bred under this system. People who sell fruit and soda water syrups have a very valuable trade with these men and often can force a man to trade with them through the Alderman or political district club.

I have often asked the Aldermen to take up the matter of repealing the sections of the law which make it necessary for them to consent to the issuance of a license of this character. The consent of the owner of the premises in front of which they stand seems to me to be all that is necessary. It might be wise to have the consent of the Commissioner of Public Works given before a license is issued, in order that these stands might not be put on crowded corners so that traffic be congested. However, I am in favor of doing away with the present involved procedure. If this is done there can be little or no corruption in the issuance of a license. It will not be necessary then for public officials to decide who shall do a private business in front of private property. The person who gets a license will have it as long as the owner of the premises consents, and not until the next political election.

Furthermore, I have asked the Aldermen several times to provide for some identification on the license, so that an Inspector could readily determine whether a man operating under it owned it or not. At present there is no such identification, and persons who buy these stands often buy the citizenship papers of the former owners, together with the license, and, on account of the fact that they are foreigners to a great degree, it is difficult to determine whether or not the man operating the stand is the rightful owner. Many arrests have been made in cases like this, but the identification on a license would make it almost impossible for one person to sell a license to another, and for that other person to conduct the business under the license which he purchased.

Respectfully,

FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, Chief of Bureau.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules. Subsequently Alderman Wendel rose to a question of personal privilege, and made a sweeping denial of the imputations made in the report of the Special Examiner of the Finance Department.

#### GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman W. Drescher called up General Orders 49, 50, 51, 52, 53 and 54, being reports and ordinances as follows:

No. 1360.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 14, 1910 (Minutes, page 1021), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of \$420,000 corporate stock for improvements at Manhattan terminal, Manhattan Bridge, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. This is to provide for permanent roadway along a steel structure to Canal st. and the Bowery and for necessary work on the bridge plaza.

The Committee recommends that the said ordinance be adopted. AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of four hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$420,000), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of retaining walls, stairways and sidewalks between Bayard st., Bowery, Canal st. and roadway; and the completion of the arch and colonnade.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of four hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$420,000), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of retaining walls, stairways and sidewalks between Bayard st., Bowery, Canal st. and roadway; and the completion of the arch and colonnade;

and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$420,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hoertz, Johnson, Levine, McCann, Markert, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheridan, Stapleton, Volkmann, Weston, White—41.

No. 1361.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 14, 1910 (Minutes, page 1022), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of \$264,200 corporate stock for improvements at Manhattan terminal of Manhattan Bridge, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. This is to provide for proper railroad connections at Canal st. and the Bowery, and take care of railroad traffic in connection with the construction of the subway connection.

The Committee recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of two hundred and sixty-four thousand two hundred dollars (\$264,200), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, construction of retaining wall, New Bayard st.; retaining walls, sidewalks, curbs, railings and stairways between abutment, roadway, Canal st. and Forsyth st.; changing grade of Canal st. and adjacent streets; roadway paving, curbs, catch basins, manholes and conduits, and foundations for colonnade.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of two hundred and sixty-four thousand two hundred dollars (\$264,200), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, construction of retaining wall, New Bayard st.; retaining walls, sidewalks, curbs, railings and stairways between abutment, roadway, Canal st. and Forsyth st.; changing grade of Canal st. and adjacent streets; roadway paving, curbs, catch basins, manholes and conduits, and foundations for colonnade; and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and sixty-four thousand two hundred dollars (\$264,200), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hoertz, Johnson, Levine, McCann, Markert, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheridan, Stapleton, Volkmann, Weston, White—41.

No. 1362.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 14, 1910 (Minutes, page 1022), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of \$380,800 corporate stock for improvements at Manhattan terminal of Manhattan Bridge, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. This is for further work in connection with items Nos. 1360 and 1361.

The Committee recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of three hundred and eighty thousand eight hundred dollars (\$380,800), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of bridge subways and track work therein; elevated connections for surface car tracks between surface and truss, and necessary track work from abutment to Canal st., on east side of the bridge.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of three hundred and eighty thousand eight hundred dollars (\$380,800), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of bridge subways and track work therein; elevated connections for surface car tracks between surface and truss, and necessary track work from abutment to Canal st., on east side of the bridge; and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding three hundred and eighty thousand eight hundred dollars (\$380,800), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hoertz, Johnson, Levine, McCann, Markert, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheridan, Stapleton, Volkmann, Weston, White—41.

No. 1364.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 14, 1910 (Minutes, page 1024), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of \$20,000 corporate stock for architects' fees in connection with Manhattan Bridge terminal, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary. This is in connection with the work on both the Brooklyn and Manhattan terminals. The Committee recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), to provide means for the payments of architects' services in connection with the completion of the terminals of the Manhattan Bridge.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and



authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), to provide means for the payments of architects' services in connection with the completion of the terminals of the Manhattan Bridge, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hoertz, Johnson, Levine, McCann, Markert, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheidan, Stapleton, Volkmann, Weston, White—41.

No. 1369.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 14, 1910 (Minutes, page 1026), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of \$545,000 corporate stock for improvements at Manhattan terminal of Manhattan Bridge, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. This is to construct proper facilities for taking care of Brooklyn trolley cars. The Committee recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of five hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$545,000), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of a terminal building and elevated structure connecting said building with upper deck tracks on west side of the bridge.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of five hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$545,000), to provide means for required improvements in connection with the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan Bridge, namely, the construction of a terminal building and elevated structure connecting said building with upper deck tracks on west side of the bridge, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$545,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hoertz, Johnson, Levine, McCann, Markert, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheidan, Stapleton, Volkmann, Weston, White—41.

No. 1424.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 14, 1910 (Minutes, page 1075), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of \$5,000 corporate stock for site for Fire Department at Stuyvesant ave. and Macon st., Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. A building is to be erected on this site next year. It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of a site in the vicinity of Stuyvesant ave. and Macon st., Brooklyn, for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of a site in the vicinity of Stuyvesant ave. and Macon st., Brooklyn, for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purpose aforesaid."

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, TRISTAM B. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Finnigan, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Heffernan, Herbst, Hoertz, Johnson, Levine, McCann, Markert, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Sheidan, Stapleton, Volkmann, Weston, White—41.

#### MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1748.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Robert M. Miller, No. 319 W. 94th st., Manhattan.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Thomas E. Leeman, No. 1 Madison ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Baldwin—

Chas. W. Forster, No. 781 8th ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Brady—

Andrew Goetz, No. 155 Forest ave., Ridgewood, Queens; William Burkle, No. 4 Hooker st., Glendale, Queens; Adolph A. Mathews, No. 170 Forest ave., Ridgewood, Queens; George H. Beck, No. 716 Woodbine st., Ridgewood, Queens.

By Alderman Callaghan—

Chas. M. Hart, No. 439 Second st., Brooklyn; Joseph C. McCauley, No. 488 14th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cornell—

George W. Hechler, Dongan Hills, S. L., Richmond.

By Alderman Desmond—

Samuel Goldberg, No. 1770 Madison ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

William H. Allen, No. 348a Vernon ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dowling—

August Charles Hassloch, No. 357 W. 30th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Edwin Bayha, No. 219 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Herman L. Breslaw, No. 306 Powell st., Brooklyn; Henry Silverman, No. 449 Saratoga ave., Brooklyn; Morris Weinstein, No. 121 Williams ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Finnigan—

Edward F. Maher, No. 31 Broome st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Gaynor—

William H. Allen, No. 348a Vernon ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Herbst—

Abram L. Eisner, No. 1072 Hall place, The Bronx; John S. Willey, No. 948 E. 179th st., The Bronx; Martin Gollubier, No. 792 Jennings st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Hoertz—

August Schneider, No. 24 Jefferson st., Brooklyn; Henry Scheibel, No. 29 Melrose st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Levine—

Simon Paulner, No. 346 Broadway, Manhattan; George W. Bermas, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers st., Manhattan; Hyman Rosenblum, No. 60 Allen st., Manhattan; Isidor Chas. Greenblatt, No. 960 Gates ave., Brooklyn; A. S. Werblin, No. 1427 Madison ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Marx—

John H. Costuma, No. 138 W. 113th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Meagher—

Charles A. Schullman, 9th st., near 5th ave., Brooklyn; Selina J. Pouch, No. 44 Court st., Brooklyn; James Knox, No. 119 55th st., Brooklyn; A. Oscar Bernstein, No. 44 Court st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morrison—

Helene D. Johnson, No. 541 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn; C. B. Plante, No. 761 Lincoln place, Brooklyn; Samuel S. Tolack, No. 1295 Bedford ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman McCann—

James W. H. Witherspoon, No. 232 W. 61st st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Nugent—

George F. Lacey, No. 418 E. 57th st., Manhattan; M. E. Joffe, No. 919 2d ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Potter—

John S. Fogarty, No. 590 Coney Island ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Reardon—

Leonce Levy, No. 21 E. 119th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Schloss—

Orazio Pascale, No. 116 W. 103d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

Joseph Levy, No. 397 S. 2d st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Stapleton—

J. Fredk. Bammann, No. 262 W. 19th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman White—

Carney M. Marro, No. 192 Bowery, Manhattan; Louis Stephen Wund, No. 345 Washington ave., Rockaway Beach, Queens.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Johnson, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Weston, White, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 1749.

By Alderman Willard—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Valentine to place and keep a booth within the stoop line in front of the northeast corner of W. 140th st. and 8th ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such case made and provided, not be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1750.

By Alderman White—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration a resolution now in his hands, Int. No. 1625, suspending the fireworks ordinance in favor of the Timothy D. Sullivan Association.

Which was adopted.

The paper was then received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 1625.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to enable the Timothy D. Sullivan Association of the Third Assembly District, in the Borough of Manhattan, to explode fireworks on Monday, August 29, 1910, under the supervision of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner, such suspension to continue only for the day and date mentioned.

On motion of Alderman White, the vote by which the above resolution was adopted was reconsidered.

The paper was then placed on file.

No. 1751.

By Alderman White—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to enable the Timothy D. Sullivan Association of the Third Assembly District, in the Borough of Manhattan, to explode fireworks on Monday, August 29, 1910, under the supervision of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner, such suspension to continue only for the day and date mentioned, and such suspension to take effect only upon the filing of a bond, in form and amount to be approved by the Corporation Counsel, indemnifying The City of New York against any loss or damage sustained by such suspension.

Which was adopted.

No. 1752.

By Alderman Wendel—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration a resolution now in his hands, Int. No. 1588, suspending the fireworks ordinance in favor of the Thomas J. McManus Association.

Which was adopted.

The paper was then received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 1588.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to enable the Thomas J. McManus Association to explode fireworks in the territory bounded by 40th st., 7th ave., 57th st. and the North River, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, August 22, 1910, under the supervision of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner, such suspension to continue only for the day and date mentioned.

On motion of Alderman Wendel, the vote by which the above resolution was adopted was reconsidered.

The paper was then placed on file.

No. 1753.

By Alderman Wendel—

Resolved, That the ordinance in relation to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to enable the Thomas J. McManus Association to explode fireworks in the territory bounded by 40th st., Broadway, 57th st. and the North River, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, August 22, 1910, under the supervision of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner, such suspension to continue only for the day and date mentioned, and such suspension to take effect only upon the filing of a bond, in form and amount to be approved by the Corpora-



tion Counsel, indemnifying The City of New York against any loss or damage sustained by reason of such suspension.

Which was adopted.

No. 1754.

By the same—

Whereas, For many years there has been maintained by The City of New York a free public bath at the foot of 51st st. and North River, the benefits of which have been appreciated by the masses residing in that section of the City; and

Whereas, Said bath has not been reopened for the present season, thereby preventing and denying the public in said section of the City the use thereof; and

Whereas, Said bath is located in one of the largest tenement house sections in the City where such accommodations are absolutely necessary for the welfare of the people and have always been so considered until the present administration came into power.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he hereby is requested to reopen the bath at the foot of 51st st. and the North River as speedily as possible, and thereby enable the people of that vicinity to derive the benefits of the same during the present warm season.

Which was adopted.

No. 1755.

By Alderman Shipley—

Resolved, That the Sinking Fund Commission be and it is hereby requested to set aside a room for meeting purposes in the public buildings of Queens Borough for the use of the several Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic and the several Camps of the United Spanish War Veterans of the Borough of Queens, under the conditions as provided for in chapter 62, Laws of 1888, of the State of New York.

Which was adopted.

No. 1756.

By Alderman Mulhearn—

Resolved, That, owing to the increased cost of feed and stable rent, the heads of the several Departments of the Government of The City of New York be and hereby are requested to fix the rate for single rigs furnished to said Departments at a minimum of four dollars per day.

Which was adopted.

No. 1757.

By the same—

Whereas, The Fire Commissioner has prolonged the life of Van Nest Hose Co. No. 2, of The Bronx, for a period of three months, owing to the poor roads to be traversed and the ability of said company to cover said roads in good time, thereby aiding largely the regular apparatus of the Department in fighting fires; and

Whereas, The extension of time granted will soon have elapsed, the condition of the roads has not been much improved, if at all, and the reasons for the continued existence of Van Nest Hose Co. are strong to-day as when its first extension of life was granted; therefore

Resolved, That the Fire Commissioner be and he is hereby requested to grant to said Van Nest Hose Co. No. 2 a further extension of its present being until such time as the condition of the roads in the section affected warrant that the regular apparatus of the Department will not be impeded in its work.

Which was adopted.

No. 1758.

By Alderman Meagher—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a watering trough be erected and maintained at the southwest corner of 40th st. and New Utrecht ave., Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1759.

By Alderman McAleer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adam Schulz's Son to parade three men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Brooklyn under the supervision of the Police Department. Such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 1760.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the John Greiling Association to suspend a banner in front of No. 499 Grand st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

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

No. 1761.

By Alderman Levine—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles L. Schiro to place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of No. 85 Orchard st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such case made and provided, not be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough. Such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1762.

By Alderman Johnson—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lampposts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted on the sidewalk near the curb in front of the building of the International Young Men's Christian Association, No. 124 E. 28th st., in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 1763.

By Alderman Herbst—

Whereas, The corporation which formerly had a franchise for a street car line on Intervale ave., north of Westchester ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, has removed its tracks; and

Whereas, The street is in a deplorable condition owing to the inefficient manner in which the pavement was relaid after removing said tracks; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Public Service Commission of the First District be and is hereby requested to direct the corporation who tore up Intervale ave., from Westchester ave. north, that said corporation shall proceed immediately to properly fix said street, so as to leave the same in a condition that it was previous to the removal of the tracks, and to remove the refuse, sand and stone which was left in said street and is now a detriment to the residents along this thoroughfare, as well as those who have occasion to go through this street.

Which was adopted.

No. 1764.

By the same—

Whereas, Various resolutions have been introduced requesting the Board of Education to take action regarding the school conditions in The Bronx; and

Whereas, No decided action has been taken upon any of these resolutions; and

Whereas, It is stated that the Board of Education owns several sites for the erection of school buildings in the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, No application has been made to the Board of Aldermen for corporate stock to improve the various sites in the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, Severe criticism has been directed at the members of the Board of Aldermen in view of the fact that the Board of Education claims lack of funds to erect the necessary buildings; and

Whereas, The Borough of The Bronx is without doubt the Borough in most need of schools for elementary education; and

Whereas, Various requests for corporate stock have been made for the erection of high schools, without first considering the needs of The Bronx for public schools; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Education of The City of New York is hereby requested to inform this Board as to what substantial reasons there may be for their neglect or their unwillingness to remedy the school conditions in The Bronx; it is further

Resolved, That the Board of Education be and is hereby requested to forward to this Board a list of sites owned by the Board of Education which are at the present time unimproved.

Which was adopted.

No. 1765.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Hamburger, of No. 489 Tremont ave. to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of The Bronx, under the supervision of the Police Department, such permit to continue only for a period of thirty days from receipt thereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 1766.

By Alderman Hammon—

Whereas, For many years The City of New York has maintained a system of free floating baths which have proven a boon to the many who have had occasion to use them; and

Whereas, Along the water-front of the North River there have been several, to wit: At the Battery and at the foot of W. 51st, W. 82d and W. 98th sts., the interval of space between the two first being altogether out of relation between the intervals of the others; and

Whereas, It is reasonable to assume that no bath of the kind here referred to was established in the lower section because of the lack of open docks or appropriate space at which to locate one of said baths; and

Whereas, Inasmuch as there is now an open dock at the foot of Bloomfield st., North River, which point would prove a most desirable location for one of said baths and of great advantage to the population of this most congested section of the city; therefore

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby respectfully requested to locate and maintain a free floating bath at the foot of Bloomfield st., in the Borough of Manhattan, and, if possible, so that the same may be ready for service and the advantages thereof enjoyed this season.

Which was adopted.

No. 1767.

By Alderman Finley—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity is hereby requested to place suitable lights at proper intervals in the section known as Claremont Heights, from 161st to 176th st. and from Clay ave. to the Grand Concourse, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1768.

By Alderman Fagan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael McDonnell to erect a booth within the stoop line at the southeast corner of 143d st. and Willis ave., Borough of The Bronx, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinances in such cases made and provided, not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1769.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet on Tuesday, July 19, 1910, at 12.30 o'clock p. m.

Which was adopted.

No. 1770.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Whereas, The pushcart peddlers of the Brownsville section for the past fifteen years have been selling their wares in Belmont ave., between Rockaway ave. and Junius st., Borough of Brooklyn, a distance of five short blocks; and

Whereas, This short space has been by custom regarded as the market place for the poor of this locality; and

Whereas, There is no objection on the part of the property owners and citizens of this locality, who, on the contrary, have given permission to the peddlers to sell their wares; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby grants permission to said pushcart peddlers to earn their living in the same manner as recited in the above preamble.

Which was adopted.

No. 1771.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That Albert D. Horton, of No. 361 W. 20th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1772.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Resolved, That Alfred A. Scheuer, of No. 329 E. Houston st., in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1773.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance in relation to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to enable the Frank J. Dotzler Association of the Sixth Assembly District, in the Borough of Manhattan, to explode fireworks on Tuesday, August 30, 1910, under the supervision of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner, such suspension to continue only for the day and date mentioned, and such supervision to take effect only upon the filing of a bond in form and amount to be approved by the Corporation Counsel, indemnifying The City of New York against any loss or damage sustained by such suspension.

Which was adopted.

No. 1774.

By Alderman Campbell—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the McGarvey Employees' Association to parade through the following streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Brooklyn, on Saturday, July 9, 1910, under the supervision of the Police Department: St. Marks ave., to Bedford ave., to Quincy st., to Broadway, to Halsey st., to Central ave., to the place of beginning.

Which was adopted.

No. 1775.

By Alderman Boschen—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Automobile Trade Association to conduct speed trials for automobiles on St. Nicholas ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, between the intersection of said avenue and Dyckman st. and the intersection of said St. Nicholas ave. and W. 193d st., on the 23d day of July, 1910, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 6 o'clock p. m., under the direct supervision of the Police Department. That during said hours on the said day a speed of greater than fifteen miles per hour may be attained, to which end any and all ordinances or regulations regulating the speed of vehicles are hereby suspended, such suspension to be, however, only for the day and place on which the permission herein mentioned and conveyed is to be exercised. The foregoing resolution is to become operative only on filing such indemnity bond as may be required by the Mayor to save the City harmless from accident caused by competing cars.

Which was adopted.

No. 1776.

By Alderman Bolles—

Resolved, That permission be and the same hereby is given to Henry Ebbinghausen to place and keep a booth within the stoop line in front of premises on the west side of 8th ave., 100 feet north of W. 142d st., Borough of Manhattan, said premises having a frontage on said avenue of 50 feet; provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinances in such cases made and provided, not to be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.



Alderman White moved that the Board do now adjourn. The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, July 19, 1910, at 12.30 o'clock p. m.

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

### Police Department.

July 1, 1910.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner William F. Baker:

On reading and filing certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen at a meeting held April 26, 1910, and approved by his Honor the Mayor May 3, 1910, approving of and concurring in the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted April 1, 1910, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Sergeant of Police with salary at the rate of \$1,750 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910.

Ordered, That entry be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of the fixing by the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the salary of the position of Sergeant of Police at the rate of \$1,750 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list from which to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint three Assistant Engineers with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and that the following names be included: Patrick Kean, Joseph Maginnis, James F. Hart.

On reading and filing eligible lists from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated June 30, 1910, and July 1, 1910.

Ordered, That the following named persons whose names appear on such eligible lists be and are hereby appointed as Patrolmen on probation in the Police Department of The City of New York: David B. Cagney, Michael Batto, Thomas Ryan, Mathias Canfield, William E. McDermott, Jr., James H. O'Keefe, Myer Pollack, Frederick L. Siems, Edward P. Byrne, Walter J. Brown, Albert F. Glinsmann.

It appearing that in the investigation as to the conduct and capacity of George Derleth, a Patrolman on probation, an error was made.

Ordered, That the proceedings of August 28, 1909, declaring that the conduct and capacity of the said George Derleth "while on probation are unsatisfactory to the Police Commissioner and for that reason that he be and is hereby dismissed from such employment" be and is hereby rescinded, and in consideration that the said George Derleth has filed a petition in which he waives and renounces any and all back pay or salary which may be due and owing to him from The City of New York from the 28th day of August, 1909.

Ordered, That the following Probationary Patrolman, having qualified, is hereby appointed a Patrolman in the Police Department of The City of New York, to take effect as of August 28, 1909: George Derleth.

It appearing that in the investigation as to the conduct and capacity of Carl O. Ahlgren, a Patrolman on probation, an error was made.

Ordered, That the proceedings of August 28, 1909, declaring that the conduct and capacity of the said Carl O. Ahlgren "while on probation are unsatisfactory to the Police Commissioner and for that reason that he be and is hereby dismissed from such employment" be and is hereby rescinded, and in consideration that the said Carl O. Ahlgren has filed a petition in which he waives and renounces any and all back pay or salary which may be due and owing to him from The City of New York from the 28th day of August, 1909.

Ordered, That the following Probationary Patrolman, having qualified, be and is hereby appointed Patrolman in the Police Department of The City of New York, to take effect as of August 28, 1909: Carl O. Ahlgren.

It appearing that in the investigation as to the conduct and capacity of George E. Ostarbosky, a Patrolman on probation, an error was made.

Ordered, That the proceedings of July 29, 1909, declaring that the conduct and capacity of the said George E. Ostarbosky "while on probation are unsatisfactory to the Police Commissioner and for that reason that he be and is hereby dismissed from such employment" be and is hereby rescinded, and in consideration that the said George E. Ostarbosky has filed a petition in which he waives and renounces any and all back pay or salary which may be due and owing to him from The City of New York from the 29th day of July, 1909.

Ordered, That the following Probationary Patrolman, having qualified, be and

is hereby appointed Patrolman in the Police Department of The City of New York, to take effect as of July 29, 1909: George E. Ostarbosky.

It appearing that in the investigation as to the conduct and capacity of Elmer A. Crossley, a Patrolman on probation, an error was made.

Ordered, That the proceedings of July 14, 1909, declaring that the conduct and capacity of the said Elmer A. Crossley "while on probation are unsatisfactory to the Police Commissioner, and for that reason that he be and is hereby dismissed from such employment" be and is hereby rescinded, and in consideration that the said Elmer A. Crossley has filed a petition in which he waives and renounces any and all back pay or salary which may be due and owing to him from The City of New York from the 14th day of July, 1909.

Ordered, That the following Probationary Patrolman, having qualified, be and is hereby appointed Patrolman in the Police Department of The City of New York, to take effect as of July 14, 1909: Elmer A. Crossley.

It appearing that in the investigation as to the conduct and capacity of Antonio Pascale, a Patrolman on probation, an error was made.

Ordered, That the proceedings of July 29, 1909, declaring that the conduct and capacity of the said Antonio Pascale "while on probation are unsatisfactory to the Police Commissioner, and for that reason that he be and is hereby dismissed from such employment" be and is hereby rescinded, and in consideration that the said Antonio Pascale has filed a petition in which he waives and renounces any and all back pay or salary which may be due and owing to him from The City of New York from the 29th day of July, 1909.

Ordered, That the following Probationary Patrolman, having qualified, is hereby appointed Patrolman in the Police Department of The City of New York, to take effect as of July 29, 1909: Antonio Pascale.

Special Order No. 177, issued this day, is hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 176, relative to parade, was this day promulgated by the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 177.

1—The following Patrolmen at the School for Recruits are assigned to precincts indicated for patrol duty, to take effect 8 p. m., July 2, 1910: Bailey, Joseph H., 35th precinct; Brennan, William F., 18th precinct; Bryan, James J., 6th precinct; Cordes, Arthur C., 9th precinct; Connor, Thomas A., 2d precinct; Crowley, John, 40th precinct; Cunningham, William A., 10th precinct; Cusick, Peter, 10th precinct; Duffy, Edward A., 14th precinct; Eisman, Henry E., 6th precinct; Fremd, Henry P., 6th precinct; Gatewood, William T., 28th precinct; Golde, Otto M., 35th precinct; Grady, James J., 12th precinct; Hauptmann, William J., 13th precinct; Hayden, John J. F., 35th precinct; Keith, Hartford D., 26th precinct; Law, Thomas J. J., 35th precinct; Melzak, Morris M., 6th precinct; Murphy, Henry J., 35th precinct; McGrath, Frederick W., 28th precinct; McKeon, Matthew T., 40th precinct; O'Brien, James J., 40th precinct; Pugh, Joseph A., 1st precinct; Regan, Edward F., 25th precinct; Sackel, John J., 1st precinct; Schilling, Charles H., 9th precinct; Small, Edward, 13th precinct; Tormey, John J., 18th precinct; Kamine, Frank C., 10th precinct.

2—The following members of the Force assigned to duty in the Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, are hereby designated as Detectives of the first grade, to take effect 8 a. m., July 1, 1910: Patrolmen Daniel J. Clare, James G. Reynolds.

3—The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect 8 a. m., July 1, 1910: Lieutenants August Braun, from Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to 28th precinct; Patrick J. Darcy, from Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to 6th precinct; Peter J. Reidy, from Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, to 43d precinct; James M. Devoy, from Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, to 170th precinct. Patrolmen William T. Reynolds, 40th precinct, transferred to Detective Bureau, Manhattan, and assigned to clerical duty; Edwin F. England, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, transferred to Traffic Precinct B and assigned to mounted duty; James L. McNulty, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, transferred to Traffic Precinct C and assigned to mounted duty. From Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to precincts indicated: Walter Corbit, 28th precinct; William J. Stanford, 28th precinct; George

M. Ross, 32d precinct; James J. Cooke, 171st precinct; Irving Raifsky, 28th precinct; John A. Hurton, 35th precinct; Joseph J. Donohue, 26th precinct; Carl F. Rubing, 35th precinct; John H. Oliver, 35th precinct; George E. Decker, 145th precinct; Frank B. Burdick, 28th precinct; James J. Skehan, 61st precinct; John T. Donohue, 32d precinct; Randall J. McCarthy, 68th precinct; Joseph J. Ryan, 35th precinct; Joseph P. O'Sullivan, 61st precinct; Frederick P. Williams, 276th precinct; James E. Murtha, 68th precinct; Daniel J. Quinlan, 80th precinct. From precincts indicated to Detective Bureau, Manhattan: James J. Burke, 63d precinct; Edward J. Dungate, 166th precinct; Patrick H. Donnelly, 170th precinct; Joseph E. Donnelon, 164th precinct; Lawrence J. Beine, 28th precinct; Henry C. Fink, 15th precinct; Edward J. Hughes, 2d precinct; Henry C. Jessup, 14th precinct; Edward Lankeman, 14th precinct; Michael J. Londrigan, 14th precinct; Edward J. Lawler, 172d precinct; John J. Mooney, 32d precinct; James V. McCarthy, 35th precinct; Charles McIntosh, 26th precinct; Irving A. O'Hara, 154th precinct; George J. Silva, 69th precinct. To take effect 8 p. m., July 2, 1910: Patrolmen Joseph P. Gable, from 17th precinct to 63d precinct; Eugene T. Woodward, from 63d precinct to 40th precinct.

4—The designation of the following members of the Force as Detectives of the first grade is hereby revoked and they are transferred as indicated, to take effect 8 a. m., July 1, 1910: From Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to precincts indicated: Sergeant James A. Donoghue, 22d precinct. Patrolmen Stinson Melvor, 61st precinct; George W. Beck, 14th precinct; Edward W. Cooke, 26th precinct; Charles L. Kerr, 28th precinct.

5—The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered: Lieutenant Frederick Wills, 160th precinct, assigned to command precinct during absence of Captain Robert E. Dooly on vacation, from 12.01 a. m., July 19, 1910. Patrolman John V. Lynch, 147th precinct, assigned as Acting Doorman in precinct during absence of Doorman John J. Fitzgerald on vacation, from 12 noon, July 2, 1910.

6—The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered: Patrolmen Peter J. Masterson, 168th precinct, to C. O. Squad, duty in Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, for 30 days, from 8 p. m., July 3, 1910; John Watson, 31st precinct, to B. B. H. Squad, duty in Borough Inspector's office, in plain clothes, for 10 days, from 8 a. m., July 2, 1910; Felix J. McCarthy, 5th precinct, to B. B. H. Squad, duty in Borough Inspectors office, in plain clothes, for 10 days, from 8 p. m., July 3, 1910; Frank G. Lewis, 40th precinct, to Telegraph Bureau, Manhattan, for 30 days, from 8 p. m., July 1, 1910; Thomas Gleason, 65th precinct, to Public Office Squad, duty in Water Register's office, The Bronx, for 30 days, from 8 a. m., July 2, 1910; Henry P. Oswald, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to District Attorney's office, New York County, for 14 days, from 8 a. m., July 1, 1910; Joseph M. Gallagher, 156th precinct, to 8th Inspection District, for clerical duty, for 10 days, from 8 p. m., June 30, 1910.

7—The following temporary assignments are hereby discontinued: Cleaners Alexander W. Ellis, 8th Inspection District, and Charles Davenport, 10th Inspection District, to 15th Inspection District, from 8 a. m., July 2, 1910.

8—The following members of the Force are excused for 18 hours, as indicated: Captains William J. Lahay, 22d precinct, from 8 a. m., July 7, 1910, with permission to leave city; John L. Zimmerman, 32d precinct, from 6 a. m., July 6, 1910, with permission to leave city; James H. Post, 61st precinct, from 10 a. m., July 6, 1910, with permission to leave city; Denis J. Brennan, 65th precinct, from 8 a. m., July 5, 1910; Frank J. Morris, 66th precinct, from 6 p. m., July 14, 1910, with permission to leave city; Thomas H. Murphy, 144th precinct, from 2 p. m., July 1, 1910; Francis A. Creamer, 167th precinct, from 9 a. m., July 5, 1910; Henry Halpin, 281st precinct, from 3 p. m., July 5, 1910; Patrick J. Tracy, Bridge Precinct C, from 8 a. m., July 5, 1910, with permission to leave city. Acting Captain James J. Savage, 147th precinct, from 7 a. m., July 5, 1910, with permission to leave city.

9—The following leaves of absence are hereby granted with full pay: Captains Thomas H. Murphy, 144th precinct, for 17 days, from 8 a. m., August 3, 1910, with permission to leave city, balance of vacation; Lincoln Gray, 162d precinct, for 10½ days, from 12.01 a. m., July 6, 1910, with permission to leave city, to be deducted from vacation. The following leaves of absence are hereby granted without pay: Patrolmen Bernard Starkey, 164th precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, July 3, 1910; John P. Shea, 171st

precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, July 1, 1910; Cornelius Cronin, 159th precinct, for one-half day, from 12.01 a. m., June 30, 1910; Daniel Mangan, Traffic Precinct A, for 20 days, from 12.01 a. m., July 11, 1910, with permission to leave city.

10—The following advancements to grades are hereby ordered: Patrolmen—To \$1,400 grade, June 23, 1910, Patrick Kehoe, 10th precinct; Peter Begina, 17th precinct; George C. Weigold, 18th precinct; Thomas E. McMahon, 26th precinct; Brooks Gulager, 26th precinct; James F. Kerrigan, 163d precinct; Harry H. Haubenreich, 164th precinct; Louis J. Price, 165th precinct; Charles W. Miers, 166th precinct; Michael J. McGrath, C. O. To \$1,350 grade, June 11, 1910, George A. Miller, 10th precinct; John Carey, 16th precinct; Joseph J. Muck, 31st precinct; James Sweeney, 36th precinct; Jeremiah Mcaney, 39th precinct; William L. Young, 156th precinct; Denis Harron, 157th precinct; Herman Hollman, 164th precinct; Emil Ehlinger, 164th precinct; William R. White, P. O. Squad. To \$1,250 grade, June 25, 1910, John C. McGuire, 1st precinct; Martin A. Conlon, 5th precinct; Edward M. Willi, 5th precinct; Edward P. Smith, 5th precinct; James O'Connor, 7th precinct; Joseph P. Krueers, 8th precinct; Harry J. Boylan, 8th precinct; John W. Kissinger, 14th precinct; Christopher Schriefer, 15th precinct; Joseph A. Scott, 17th precinct; James C. Haggerty, 17th precinct; John F. Barry, 22d precinct; Frederick Schaub, 25th precinct; Joseph F. Leonard, 25th precinct; Louis F. Costuma, 28th precinct; William J. Shields, 35th precinct; David Katz, 39th precinct; George W. Youle, 61st precinct; John Anglin, 31st precinct; Walter T. Manley, 144th precinct; John T. Higgins, 147th precinct; Thomas A. Dwyer, 151st precinct; William S. Huber, 156th precinct; John L. Michael, 163d precinct; Arthur J. Farley, 282d precinct; William L. Blair, Traffic Precinct A; Percival W. Hall, Traffic Precinct B; William O. Jones, Traffic Precinct C; James T. Hanan, Traffic Precinct D; Nathaniel J. Drum, Traffic Precinct D; John B. Leahy, Bridge Precinct A; Thomas P. McGovern, D. B., Brooklyn; Edward J. Dillon, C. O. The grade checks for the above named Patrolmen will be ready July 15, 1910. Commanding officers will see that the Patrolmen named call at the office of the City Paymaster within one month from that date. To \$900 grade, June 15, 1910, Mathew Maxwell, 5th precinct; Joseph W. Vail, 5th precinct; William J. Tobin, 6th precinct; Joseph F. Williams, 6th precinct; Emil Jahelka, 6th precinct; Michael J. Murphy, 6th precinct; Joseph J. Cunningham, 6th precinct; George J. Deppert, 6th precinct; John J. Barry, 6th precinct; Daniel J. Sheehan, 7th precinct; William R. Funke, 7th precinct; Andrew Frohlin, 8th precinct; Thomas J. Walsh, 9th precinct; Robert Smolick, 9th precinct; Edward P. Donovan, 9th precinct; Charles E. Queitzsch, 10th precinct; Dennis H. Mitchell, 14th precinct; James J. Callahan, 14th precinct; John W. Breidenbach, 14th precinct; Jacob Levy, 15th precinct; William T. Hemmerick, 15th precinct; Daniel H. Neylon, 15th precinct; George J. Schlusing, 15th precinct; Patrick McHugh, 15th precinct; John W. Butler, 15th precinct; Charles A. Sauer, 17th precinct; Patrick J. Dugan, 18th precinct; Eugene E. Cleveland, 18th precinct; Daniel J. Phelan, 18th precinct; John A. Morrell, 19th precinct; Thomas A. Lavin, 19th precinct; Michael J. Jordan, 19th precinct; Joseph A. McTiernan, 21st precinct; Thomas Mohan, 25th precinct; Anthony Giunta, 25th precinct; Daniel F. Sullivan, 25th precinct; Samuel Segal, 26th precinct; William Miller, 26th precinct; Francis J. Kear, 28th precinct; Thomas O'Connor, 28th precinct; Joseph P. Ward, 29th precinct; Louis Major, 29th precinct; Anthony F. Labau, 29th precinct; Frank E. Green, 29th precinct; Florence O'Sullivan, 31st precinct; Thomas P. Fitzgerald, 32d precinct; Michael J. Cuzzo, 33d precinct; James R. Kelleher, 36th precinct; John C. Hart, 36th precinct; James A. Glynn, 36th precinct; Rudolph A. Miksovsky, 39th precinct; Abraham A. Brody, 40th precinct; Charles A. V. A. Bauer, 40th precinct; John W. Plate, 43d precinct; James J. Moynihan, 43d precinct; Dennis J. Meade, 43d precinct; Simon P. Gillis, 43d precinct; John J. Moriarty, 143d precinct; John J. Keyes, 145th precinct; James F. Kelly, 147th precinct; Charles S. Goubeaud, 145th precinct; John J. McWilliams, 146th precinct; George A. Ferguson, 146th precinct; Richard A. Donnelan, 147th precinct; James Donegan, 149th precinct; Charles P. Bridge, 145th precinct; Michael F. Reardon, 150th precinct; George W. Lennon, 150th precinct; Henry G. Correll, 151st precinct; William Thompson, 150th precinct; James J. Hendry, 157th precinct; Olaf H. Newman, 157th precinct; John J. Lang, 159th precinct; Joseph P. Farrington, 157th precinct; Val-



entire Alster, 159th precinct; Charles M. East, 159th precinct; George A. McConville, 160th precinct; Edward Heckelmann, 161st precinct; Frank A. Carrano, 162d precinct; John G. Lopper, 162d precinct; John H. Meigel, 162d precinct; Philip H. L. Meyer, 163d precinct; Christian Kessler, 163d precinct; Frederick C. Koch, 153d precinct; Charles Wise, 164th precinct; Walter Saunders, 165th precinct; Joseph S. Derby, 165th precinct; Joseph W. Monahan, 165th precinct; Harry F. Sharp, 166th precinct; William H. McSweeney, Harbor precinct; Joseph McFarland, 168th precinct.

11—Relieved from suspension and restored to duty: Patrolman John G. Davis 36th precinct, is hereby relieved from suspension and restored to duty, to take effect 5.25 p. m., June 30, 1910.

12—The following Special Patrolman is hereby appointed, to take effect June 30, 1910: Frank O. Appleton, for Pinkerton National Detective Agency, No. 57 Broadway, Manhattan.

13—The resignation of the following Special Patrolman is hereby accepted, and he is reappointed, to take effect June 30, 1910: Terence P. Leonard, for Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, No. 168 Montague st., Brooklyn.

14—The resignation of the following Special Patrolman is hereby accepted, to take effect June 30, 1910: Michael Sullivan, employed by Manhattan Beach Hotel, Manhattan Beach.

WM. F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

### Borough of The Bronx.

#### MINUTES OF THE LOCAL BOARD OF CHESTER, 23d DISTRICT.

Pursuant to call by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the members of the Local Board of Chester, 23d District, met in the office of the said Borough President on May 18, 1910, at 8 p. m. Present—Hon. Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of The Bronx, Chairman; Alderman Sheridan and Alderman Mulhearn. Minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as typewritten.

#### Hearings.

96. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in E. 177th st., between Pugsley ave. and Theriot ave.; in Leland ave., between E. 177th st. and Westchester ave.; in Theriot ave. and Westchester ave.; in Westchester ave., between Pugsley ave. and Theriot ave.; in the plaza at the intersection of E. 177th st. and Westchester ave.

Petition signed by Valentine Gies, Henry Ahles, Thomas McKenna and 13 others. Estimated cost, \$119,700; assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is \$488,500. Proceedings pending for acquiring title to Theriot ave. and Leland ave., but Commissioners not appointed. Outlet built.

Based upon the foregoing approximate estimate of cost and judgment from the methods employed by the Board of Assessors in apportioning the cost in somewhat similar matters, it is probable that the assessment for this work upon the property directly benefited thereby will not exceed \$150 per each 25-foot lot. This is based upon the assumption that the Board of Assessors will assess the property indirectly benefited at \$40 per each 25-foot lot.

Mr. Gies appeared in favor. No one appeared in opposition. On motion, seconded, it was

Resolved, That proceedings be and the same hereby are initiated for constructing sewers and appurtenances in E. 177th st., between Pugsley ave. and Theriot ave.; in Leland ave., between E. 177th st. and Westchester ave.; in Westchester ave., between Pugsley ave. and Theriot ave.; in the plaza at the intersection of E. 177th st. and Westchester ave.

Unanimously adopted.

97. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in White Plains road, between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.; in Wood ave., between White Plains road and Beach ave.; in Leland ave., between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.; in Beach ave., between McGraw ave. and Archer st.; in Theriot ave., between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.; in E. 177th st., between Theriot ave. and Rosedale ave.; in Taylor ave., between E. 177th st. and Wood ave. Petition signed by Henry Kohlmann, S. W. Greenbaum and 20 others. Estimated cost, \$91,000; assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is \$2,020,000. Title vested to Tremont ave. Commissioners appointed for acquiring title to, but no Commissioners appointed for White Plains road, Beach ave., Taylor ave., Theriot ave. and Leland ave.

Based upon the foregoing approximate estimate of cost and judgment from the methods employed by the Board of Assessors in apportioning the cost in somewhat similar matters it is probable that the assessment for this work upon the

property directly benefited thereby will not exceed \$150 per each 25-foot lot. This is based upon the assumption that the Board of Assessors will assess the property indirectly benefited at \$25 per each 25-foot lot. No one appeared in opposition. On motion, seconded, it was

Resolved, That proceedings be and the same hereby are initiated for constructing sewers and appurtenances in White Plains road, between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.; in Wood ave., between White Plains road and Beach ave.; in Leland ave., between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.; in Beach ave., between McGraw ave. and Archer st.; in Theriot ave., between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.; in E. 177th st., between Theriot ave. and Rosedale ave.; in Taylor ave., between E. 177th st. and Wood ave.

Unanimously adopted.

91. Regulating, grading, etc., E. 222d st., from Bronxwood ave. to Adea ave., etc. Petition signed by John W. Russell, Patrick J. Brady, Irving Realty Company and three others. Total estimated cost, \$165,400; assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is \$782,000. Title vested February 9, 1907. Grades legally established by final maps, July 6, 1904, and amendatory maps. The centre line length of the proposed improvement is about 8,150 linear feet. On this basis, the average cost per linear foot of frontage will be \$10.15. Opposition by J. Brownshield. On motion, seconded, it was

Resolved, That proceedings be and the same hereby are initiated for regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space of four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches, erecting fences where necessary, building walls, placing pipe, placing inlets and all work incidental thereto in E. 222d st., from Bronxwood ave. to Adea ave.

Unanimously adopted.

#### Laid Over Matters.

86. Acquiring title to Lurting ave., from West Farms road (Walker ave.) to the line of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad. Petition signed by Emma F. Parker, Sarah Nerenberg and two others. Protest signed by Thos. B. Shea, H. Abram and others. See minutes, pages 91 and 92. Mr. Butterfield appeared on behalf of some owners in favor of the improvement. The representative of the Methodist Church appeared and asked that the street lines be moved 40 feet to the north. Three lots belonging to the church would be taken in the present proceeding. They own 215 and 248 feet abutting on the proposed street. Mr. Niessenberger appeared and stated that the property was now ready to be developed with a nice driveway. He thought that the improvement was absolutely necessary at this time, and that if it was deemed unnecessary it should be taken off the City map. Mrs. Parker appeared and stated that she did not build her house on its present site to have it taken by the City, but built it there thinking it would not be taken on account of street opening. Mr. Tallaman appeared in opposition to the petition owing to the number and amount of assessments owners will have to meet, and because there is a street 225 or 250 feet each side of this street, and he thought that was all that was necessary for the next 25 years. Mr. Brown appeared in opposition to the petition. On motion, the matter was laid over for an indefinite period.

Vote—Alderman Sheridan, Alderman Mulhearn in the affirmative. Negative—Acting President of the Borough of The Bronx.

87. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Baker ave., from Garfield st. to Van Nest ave. at Matthews ave. Opposition. See pages 92 and 93 of minutes. Laid over until June 8, 1910. Mr. Hartman appeared in opposition to the proposition submitted by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, as contained in letter of Mr. Charles M. Sheafe, Jr., attorney (No. 27873).

81. Laying out on the map of The City of New York a reduction of width of Holland ave., from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Morris Park ave., from 60 feet to 50 feet. See minutes, page 93. Mr. Hahn appeared in favor. Mr. Fox also appeared in favor of the petition. On motion of Alderman Mulhearn, seconded by Alderman Sheridan, the Board recommended the petition to the favorable consideration of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Vote—Alderman Mulhearn, Alderman Sheridan in the affirmative. Negative—Acting President of the Borough of The Bronx.

296 of 1906. Bronxwood ave., regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Bronxwood ave., from Gun Hill road to Burke

ave. Spencer estate representative appeared and asked that the improvement be not approved at this time, as they believed it rather premature as title to the street was not vested in the City as yet. Dr. L. W. How appeared in opposition on behalf of himself and three other owners whom he said he knew were in opposition. He also appeared as President of the Bronxwood Park Improvement League, to oppose the improvement at this time, as he and his neighbors believed that to grade this avenue at this time would be premature. He said that the owners in that section have eight assessments to meet now and this would make it nine. Mr. O. H. Hoe appeared in opposition to the petition. Mrs. Graham appeared in favor. On motion of Alderman Mulhearn the matter was laid over indefinitely.

On motion, seconded, the Board adjourned until June 8, 1910.

GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.

#### MINUTES OF THE LOCAL BOARD OF VAN CORTLANDT, 25TH DISTRICT.

Pursuant to call by President Miller, the members of the Local Board of Van Cortlandt, 25th District, met in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, in the Municipal Building, 177th st. and 3d ave., on Wednesday, May 18, 1910, at 8.30 p. m. Present—Alderman Hamilton, Alderman Godwin and the Commissioner of Public Works, acting as President of the Borough of The Bronx, Chairman. Absent—Alderman Finley. Minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as typewritten.

#### Hearings.

92. Constructing a receiving basin northwest corner of W. 181st st. and Aqueduct Avenue East. Petition signed by D. L. Block Company and six other owners. Estimated cost, \$300; assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is \$100,000. Assessment for this work upon the property directly benefited thereby will not exceed \$10 per each 25-foot lot. No one appeared in opposition. On motion, seconded, it was

Resolved, That proceedings be and the same hereby are initiated for constructing a receiving basin and appurtenances at the northwest corner of W. 181st st. and Aqueduct Avenue East.

Unanimously adopted.

65. Regulating, grading, etc., Corlear ave., from 230th st. to 236th st. Opposition at former meeting, see page 85 of minutes. On motion, seconded, this petition was laid over until June 8, 1910, in order to allow owners to petition for the grading of said avenue further north.

66. Changing the grade of Corlear ave., between W. 230th and W. 232d sts. Minutes of previous meeting, page 84. On motion, seconded, it was Resolved, That the petition be denied. Affirmative—Alderman Hamilton and the Commissioner of Public Works voting in the affirmative. Negative—Alderman Godwin. Adopted.

71. Regulating, grading, etc., W. 176th st., from Aqueduct ave. to Popham ave. May 6, 1910. To Hon. Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx: Sir—On April 12, 1910, the Local Board of the Van Cortlandt District adopted a resolution initiating proceedings for regulating and grading W. 176th st., between Aqueduct ave. and Popham ave., and at the same time rescinded a resolution which was adopted on January 24, 1907, providing for regulating and grading this street between Aqueduct ave. and Sedgwick ave.

The authorization of the preliminary work for carrying out the latter improvement was authorized by the Board on September 24, 1909. Before a report is

submitted upon the new resolution I beg to ask if you will let me know whether there have been any charges made against the Street Improvement Fund on account of the improvement already authorized. In case such charges have been made I would also ask if it would not be practicable to amend the original resolution instead of taking it off the books entirely as this treatment would make it possible to include all such charges in the assessment.

Respectfully,

ARTHUR S. TUTTLE, Engineer in Charge.

On motion, seconded, the following was therefore unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for amending, in accordance with the report of the Engineer in Charge of the Division of Public Improvements, dated May 6, 1910, the resolution of the Local Board of Van Cortlandt, adopted January 24, 1907, providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of W. 176th st., between Sedgwick ave. and Aqueduct ave., so as to read as follows:

"For regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches, erecting fences where necessary in W. 176th st., from Aqueduct ave. to Popham ave., and all work incidental thereto"; and be it further

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Local Board of Van Cortlandt, 25th District, on April 12, 1910, which initiated proceedings for regulating and grading, etc., W. 176th st., between Aqueduct ave. and Popham ave., be and the same is hereby rescinded.

On motion, the Board adjourned until June 8, 1910.

GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary

### Department of Parks.

For the Week Ending July 4, 1910.

June 23, 1910—Contractor Peter J. Constant, No. 422 Gates ave., Brooklyn, polished plate glass for American Museum of Natural History, Borough of Manhattan, \$1,681.91; surety, The Empire State Surety Company.

June 24, 1910—Contractor, Howard H. Peterson, No. 1328 Broadway, repairs to Washington Arch in Washington square, Borough of Manhattan, \$1,498; surety, American Bonding Company of Baltimore.

June 24, 1910—Contractor, Clinton Point Stone Company, No. 115 Broadway, crushed trap rock and screenings for parkways in Brooklyn, \$10,354.05; surety, The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York.

June 24, 1910—Contractor, Clinton Point Stone Company, No. 115 Broadway, blue limestone screenings for parks and parkways, Borough of Brooklyn, \$5,128.20; surety, International Fidelity Insurance Company.

June 28, 1910—Contractor, Henry Steers (Inc.), No. 17 Battery place, road gravel for parks, Borough of The Bronx, \$1,095; surety, U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

June 23, 1910—Contractor, Austin Manufacturing Company, No. 315 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill., 3 gasoline motor road rollers, Borough of Manhattan, \$8,150; surety, The Title Guaranty and Surety Company.

June 28, 1910—Contractor, Burns Brothers, No. 50 Church st., coal for parks in Borough of Manhattan, \$7,007.37; surety, The Fidelity and Casualty Company.

June 29, 1910—Contractor, William Howe Company, No. 71 W. 132d st., repairs to pavilion, Thomas Jefferson Park, Borough of Manhattan, \$3,970; surety, National Surety Company.

CLINTON H. SMITH,

Secretary, Park Board.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

New York, July 1, 1910.

The Board of Education has entered into contracts with the following-named contractors during the week commencing June 27, 1910:

Contractor and Address.	Sureties and Address.
Jas. I. Newman, No. 243 Euclid ave., Brooklyn	Empire State Surety Co., No. 84 William st.
Joseph Ryan, No. 1280 Fulton st., Brooklyn	Aetna Indemnity Co., No. 68 William st.
Otto Metz, No. 119 Palmetto st., Brooklyn	National Surety Co., No. 115 Broadway.
Jos. Balaban, No. 2065 Ryer ave.	National Surety Co., No. 115 Broadway.
Kerr & Krenkel, No. 205 W. 30th st.	Massachusetts Bonding Co., No. 27 Pine st.
T. Fred Jackson (Inc.), No. 94 John st.	Massachusetts Bonding Co., No. 27 Pine st.
A. Sillerberg & B. Barman, No. 353 Madison st.	Massachusetts Bonding Co., No. 27 Pine st.
W. H. Quinn, No. 103 Chambers st.	National Surety Co., No. 115 Broadway.

FRED H. JOHNSON, Assistant Secretary, Board of Education.



### Borough of Richmond. LOCAL BOARD, STATEN ISLAND DISTRICT.

Meeting June 28, 1910, 10.30 a. m. President: Aldermen Fink, Cornell, Cole, President Cromwell. The minutes of the meeting of May 24 were approved. Deferred matters were first taken up.

Petition 1034 (Resolutions 65, 66)—To regulate and grade DeKay st., First Ward, between Bard ave. and Davis ave., and to pave the roadway thereof with asphaltic macadam, and to set curb and lay vitrified brick gutters three feet wide; also to construct sewer. Two resolutions, adopted April 12, having been held by President Cromwell with the assent of the Board because of protests against the proposed improvements filed by several owners of assessable property, and a counter protest having been filed by petitioners, a rehearing was held, and the Board affirmed its previous action.

Petitions 1025A, 1029—To pave or repair sidewalks in Ambloy road, between Church st. and Richmond Valley road, and between Princes Bay ave. and the Mount Loretto branch of the Staten Island Railway. Fourth hearing. Laid over.

Petition 1009—To construct sidewalks and to curb and gutter on the westerly side of Centre st., between Kiker st. and Townsend ave., 2d and 4th Wards. Fifth hearing. Laid over.

Petition 1033 (Resolution 100)—To construct sidewalks and sewer in 11th st., 1st Ward. Fifth hearing. The following resolution was adopted by full vote: To construct a temporary sanitary sewer, with the necessary appurtenances, in 11th st.,

from York ave. to a point about 280 feet westerly therefrom, in the 1st Ward of the Borough of Richmond.

Petitions advertised for hearing on May 31, when a quorum was not present, were next taken up.

Petition 1015 (Resolution 101)—A supplementary petition for sewer relief in a small section of Vanderbilt ave., 2d and 4th Wards, having been filed, and the opposition which had been aroused by the more extensive scheme being withdrawn, the following resolution was adopted by full vote: To construct sewers, with the necessary appurtenances, as follows: A combined sewer in Centre st., from Norwood ave. to Vanderbilt ave., and a temporary combined sewer in Vanderbilt ave., from Centre st. to a point about 175 feet west of Pleasant place; all within Sewerage District No. 4B, in the 2d and 4th Wards, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

Petition 1044—To extend Sherman ave., 3d Ward. Second hearing. Laid over for further conference with petitioners and property owners.

Petition 1005—To construct sewers in Bay View ave. and Abbott st., 4th Ward. Fifth hearing. After exhaustive debate, Alderman Cornell moved that the petition be laid over "indefinitely." President Cromwell protested against this attempt to shut out the petitioners from the improved sewer facilities which they sought, and voted "no" on call of roll. Laid over "indefinitely."

New petitions first advertised for hearing on this date were then taken up.

Petition 1047 (Resolution 102)—To open a sewer easement in part of Ander-

son st., 4th Ward, in place of opening the street at the official width. The following resolution was adopted by full vote: To open an easement for a sewer in Anderson st., between Clifton ave. and St. Marys ave., in the 4th Ward of the Borough of Richmond.

Petition 1048—To construct a sewer in Trossach road and Pearl st., 2d Ward. Laid over.

Petition 1049 (Resolutions 103, 104)—The following two resolutions were adopted by full vote: To open Palmer ave., between Madison ave. and Richmond ave., in the 3d Ward of the Borough of Richmond, as laid out on the map or plan of The City of New York. For regulating and grading Palmer ave., between Madison ave. and Richmond ave., in the 3d Ward; paving the roadway with asphaltic macadam pavement; lay brick gutters 3 feet wide on a concrete foundation; setting blue stone curb in concrete and laying cement sidewalk 4 feet wide, where not already done.

Petition 1050—To pave Murray st., 2d Ward. Laid over.

Petition 1051 (Resolutions 105-125)—Resolutions were adopted by full vote to pave or repair sidewalks in the following streets in the 1st Ward: Nicholas st., from Richmond terrace to St. Marks place; South st., from Broadway to Burger ave.; State st., from West Union st. to the end of street; West Union st., from Broadway to Richmond st.; Market st., from Broadway to Richmond st.; Britton st., from Broadway to end of street; Trinity place, from Taylor st. to Barker st.; Woodruff lane, from Water st. to Barker st.; Elizabeth st., from Castleton ave. to

Forest ave.; Bodine st., from Richmond terrace to Castleton ave.; Broadway, from Richmond terrace to Forest ave.; Dongan st., from Richmond terrace to Cary ave.; Richmond st., from West Union st. to Castleton ave.; Caroline st., from Castleton ave. to Cary ave.; Taylor st., from Richmond terrace to Cary ave.; Barker st., from Woodruff lane to Castleton ave.; Clinton ave., from Richmond terrace to Prospect st.; Tysen st., from Richmond terrace to 4th st.; 2d st., from Franklin ave. to Tysen st.; 4th st., from Franklin ave. to Tysen st.; Franklin ave., from Richmond terrace to Prospect st.; Lafayette ave., from Richmond terrace to Prospect st.; Fort place, from Tompkins ave. to Sherman ave.

Petition 1051A (Resolutions 126-132)—Resolutions were adopted by full vote to pave or repair sidewalks in the following streets in the 4th Ward: Tillow ave., from New York ave. to Tompkins ave.; Pennsylvania ave., from railroad crossing S. I. R. R. to Tompkins ave.; Chestnut ave., from railroad crossing S. I. R. R. to Charles st.; Rosebank place, from Pennsylvania ave. to Clifton ave.; Anderson st., from Pennsylvania ave. to Clifton ave.; Maple ave., from railroad tracks S. I. R. R. to Tompkins ave.; St. Marys ave., from New York ave. to Charles st.

Petition 1052—To open Pelton ave., between Henderson ave. and Castleton ave., 1st Ward. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Petition 1053—To straighten and widen St. Pauls ave., 2d Ward. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

On motion, the Board adjourned.  
MAYBURY FLEMING, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of Transactions of the Department of Finance for the Week Ending April 30, 1910.

Deposited in the City Treasury.	
To the credit of the City Treasury.....	\$13,602,148 71
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds.....	252,739 84
Total.....	\$13,914,888 55
Warrants Registered for Payment.	
Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants.....	\$7,449,914 19

Summary Statement of the Bonded Indebtedness of The City of New York on April 30, 1910, as Recorded in the Books of the Department of Finance.

	Amounts Outstanding December 31, 1909.	Issued.	Redeemed.	Amounts Held as Investments by the Sinking Funds.	Amounts Outstanding April 30, 1910.
<b>I.—FUNDED DEBT.</b>					
<b>A.—Funded Debt of The City of New York, as now Constituted, Issued Subsequent to January 1, 1898.</b>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 206 of the Greater New York Charter.....	\$482,530,877 13	\$39,491,927 07		\$74,698,439 58	\$522,022,804 20
(2) Payable from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 10, article 8, of the Constitution of the State of New York, and section 208 of the Greater New York Charter.....	84,504,943 00	12,330,000 00		15,303,843 00	96,834,943 00
(3) Payable from Taxation, under the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 103 of the Laws of 1903.....	85,500,000 00			85,500,000 00	85,500,000 00
(4) Payable from Assessments.....	28,374,632 65			6,919,012 65	28,374,632 65
(5) Payable from Taxation.....	5,208,150 00	4,134,125 00	\$2,983,150 00		6,359,125 00
<b>B.—Funded Debt of The City of New York, as Constituted Prior to January 1, 1898, Issued Prior to Said Date.</b>					
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, City of New York.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 213 of the Greater New York Charter.....	2,802,000 00				2,802,000 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 229 of the Greater New York Charter.....	91,822,026 81			33,778,810 83	91,822,026 81
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 79 of the Laws of 1889, and section 214 of the Greater New York Charter.....	9,823,100 00			4,736,100 00	9,823,100 00
(4) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 2), under the provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884, and of section 10, article 8, of the Constitution of the State of New York.	12,900,000 00			6,468,000 00	12,900,000 00
(5) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 213 of the Greater New York Charter.....	1,348,450 00			409,850 00	1,348,450 00
(6) Payable from Taxation.....	860,134 40		6,043 20		854,091 20
(7) Payable from Assessments.....	160,536 21			160,536 21	160,536 21
County of New York.					
(8) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 213 of the Greater New York Charter.....	8,669,000 00				8,669,000 00
<b>C.—Funded Debts of Corporations in the Borough of Brooklyn, Including Kings County, Issued Prior to January 1, 1898 (excepting \$300,000 of Bonds of Town of Gravesend, Issued in 1898 Under an Order of Court).</b>					
City of Brooklyn, Including Annexed Towns.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 488 of the Laws of 1890 and amendments thereof, and section 207 of the Greater New York Charter.....	8,697,000 00				8,697,000 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 572 of the Laws of 1880, and chapter 443 of the Laws of 1881, and section 207 of the Greater New York Charter.....	850,000 00			150,000 00	850,000 00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 648 of the Laws of 1895, and section 207 of the Greater New York Charter.....	6,983,567 41			1,208,500 00	6,983,567 41
(4) Payable from the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 396 of the Laws of 1859, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and section 208 of the Greater New York Charter.....	9,387,749 76		1,818,000 00	941,394 76	7,569,749 76
(5) Payable from Taxation.....	20,299,000 00		100,000 00	3,360,000 00	20,199,000 00
(6) Payable from Assessments.....	4,946,000 00		10,000 00	504,000 00	4,936,000 00
County of Kings.					
(7) Payable from Taxation.....	7,586,000 00				7,586,000 00
<b>D.—Funded Debts of Corporations in the Borough of Queens, Including the Port of New York, Issued Prior to January 1, 1898.</b>					
Corporations Other Than Queens County.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of chapter 782 of the Laws of 1895, and section 207 of the Greater New York Charter.....	77,000 00				77,000 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds, under the provisions of chapter 122 of the Laws of 1894, and section 207 of the Greater New York Charter.....	35,000 00				35,000 00

Special Revenue Bond Fund Accounts, "B" Warrants.....	76,766 75
Corporate Stock Fund Accounts, "C" Warrants.....	1,542,548 65
Special and Trust Fund Accounts, "D" Warrants.....	1,665,084 19
Total.....	\$10,734,313 78

Stock and Bonds Issued.	
Three per cent. stock.....	\$79,727 07
Three and one-half per cent. bonds.....	10,000,000 00
Four and one-eighth per cent. bonds.....	200,000 00
Four and one-quarter per cent. bonds.....	1,700,000 00
Total.....	\$11,979,727 07



	Amounts Outstanding December 31, 1909.	Issued.	Redeemed.	Amounts Held as Investments by the Sinking Funds.	Amounts Outstanding April 30, 1910.
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds, under the provisions of section 10, article 8, of the Constitution of the State of New York, and section 208 of the Greater New York Charter.....	19,000 00	.....	.....	19,000 00	19,000 00
(4) Payable from Water Revenue.....	408,000 00	.....	500 00	.....	407,500 00
(5) Payable from Taxation.....	5,390,300 00	.....	150,500 00	.....	5,239,800 00
(6) Payable from Assessments.....	675,164 59	.....	.....	2,500 00	675,164 59
County of Queens.					
Amount to Be Borne by The City of New York.					
(7) Payable from Taxation.....	3,535,489 16	.....	7,895 24	.....	3,527,593 92
I.—Funded Debts of Corporations in the Borough of Richmond, Including Richmond County, Issued Prior to January 1, 1898.					
Corporations Other Than Richmond County.					
(1) Payable from Taxation.....	942,317 76	.....	3,475 00	.....	938,842 76
County of Richmond.					
(2) Payable from Taxation.....	1,273,000 00	.....	.....	.....	1,273,000 00
Total Funded Debt.....	\$885,638,438 88	\$55,956,052 07	\$5,079,563 44	\$234,159,987 03	\$936,514,927 51
II.—TEMPORARY DEBT.					
Revenue Bonds.					
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1902.....	750,000 00	.....	.....	.....	750,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1903.....	1,450,000 00	.....	.....	.....	1,450,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1904.....	1,865,000 00	.....	.....	.....	1,865,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1905.....	2,700,000 00	.....	.....	.....	2,700,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1906.....	4,308,000 00	.....	552,000 00	.....	3,756,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1907.....	6,822,000 00	.....	22,000 00	.....	6,800,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1908.....	13,441,000 00	.....	506,000 00	.....	12,935,000 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1909.....	29,031,290 00	.....	7,520,390 00	.....	21,510,900 00
Issued in Anticipation of Taxes of 1910.....	.....	57,152,240 00	13,950,000 00	.....	43,202,240 00
Total Bonded Debt.....	\$946,005,728 88	\$113,108,292 07	\$27,629,953 44	\$234,159,987 03	\$1,031,484,067 51

## SUMMARY.

Total Gross Funded Debt.....	\$936,514,927 51
Less Amounts Held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:	
For Account of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	\$29,368,370 22
For Account of the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	7,869,881 28
For Account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.....	173,963,324 04
For Account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2.....	9,212,225 21
For Account of the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	11,943,139 87
For Account of the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	1,768,046 41
For Account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	2,500 00
For Account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds.....	13,000 00
For Account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds.....	19,500 00
Net Funded Debt.....	\$702,354,940 48
Temporary Debt (Revenue Bonds Issued in Anticipation of Taxes).....	94,969,140 00
Net Bonded Debt.....	\$797,324,080 48

## Suits, Court Orders, Judgments, etc.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Richard st.; certified copy of order entered April 23, 1910, directing payment of award to Bartholomew Churchill. Hugo Hirsh, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., E. 162d st.; certified copy of order entered April 20, 1910, directing payment of award to John H. Burton et al. T. H. & G. E. Baldwin, attys.

Supreme, Queens Co., Potter ave.; certified copy of order entered November 30, 1909, directing payment of award to Vito D. Santoro. L. C. Fish, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Mary Coleman; amount, \$800; transcript of judgment entered April 23, 1910. Bailey, Williams and Richardson, attys.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Hilda Stein against James Reynolds; copy of summons and complaint. Fleischman & Fox, attys.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Wright Gillies against Schwarzschild & Sulzberger; copy of notice, summons and complaint. Earley & Castarphen, attys.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Fredk. F. Hesper; amount, \$227.56; copy of judgment, dated April 20, 1910. G. A. Moses, atty.

U. S. Dist., Max G. Rieser; copy of petition; and order to show cause re McDagall Hawkes, receiver, entering into contract. James Schell Elkus, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Washington ave.; certified copy of order entered April 25, 1910, directing payment of award to Fannie Bammon and ano. Hugo Hirsh, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Katherine A. Laydon; amount, \$643.27; transcript of judgment entered April 25, 1910. Robt. Stewart, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Magenta st.; notice of motion to confirm report. A. R. Watson, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Fuller pl.; notice of motion to confirm report. A. R. Watson, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., 25th ave.; notice of motion to confirm report. A. R. Watson, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., T. A. Clarke Co.; copy of affidavit and order to show cause re contract P. S. 92 Queens. W. F. Kimber, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., National Tile Co.; certified copy of order entered April 5, 1910, vacating assessment, \$6,500, 1908. Gregory & Stewart, attys.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., New st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, amending report of Commissioners. Otto Horewitz, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Soren Pederson against City of New York; copy of summons. A. Ringer, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Lillian Cantwell against City of New York; copy of summons. W. W. Wingate, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Mary Carew against City of New York; copy of summons. W. W. Wingate, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., John W. Dean against City of New York; copy of summons and complaint. Caldwell, Logan & Holmes, attys.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to Michele Greco. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to Pietro Muscarello. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to Luigi Bonnoworth. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to James Pope. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to Sabino Debenetto. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to Francesco Petruseno. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Midwood st.; certified copy of order entered April 28, 1910, directing payment of award to Francesco Parillo. M. L. Rippe, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., John L. Tierney; amount, \$2,046.85; transcript of judgment and copy entered March 28, 1910. Chas. Caldwell, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., Elizabeth McIntosh; amount, \$5,146.17; transcript of judgment entered April 29, 1910. G. L. Lewis, atty.

Supreme, Kings Co., Wm. H. Hodgins; certified copy of order and bill of costs. Mayer Gilbert, atty.

Supreme, N. Y. Co., City of New York against St. Nicholas Ave. Garage; notice of appearance. C. J. Early, atty.

Municipal, Manhattan, Considine Invest. Co. against City of New York; copy of summons. Sol Tekulsky, atty.

## Claims Filed.

April 25, C. C. Hottenroth, damages to Lot No. 13, Block 2278, The Bronx, by the closing of Cypress ave., between the northerly line of the Harlem River and Portchester Railroad and the Bronx Kills. A. C. & F. W. Hottenroth, attys.

April 25, Barber Asphalt Paving Company, \$452.03, amount due for repairs to the driveway and passageway of Bellevue Hospital grounds on 26th st., between 1st ave. and the East River, Manhattan. Edward J. Dowling, atty.

April 25, Barber Asphalt Paving Company, \$243.39, amount due for repairs to the pavement of various streets enumerated, September 9, 1904, to April 2, 1907. Edward J. Dowling, atty.

April 25, Barber Asphalt Paving Company, \$999.60, amount due for repairs to the pavement at 5th ave. and 58th st., Manhattan, December 30, 1905, and January 3, 1906. Edward J. Dowling, atty.

April 25, James Starkey, \$45, balance of wages due, Stoker, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Brooklyn, for December, 1908. Robt. H. Haskell, atty.

April 25, Elias C. Benedict, \$8,500, par value of First Ward, Long Island City, Improvement Certificates, issued under chapter 326, Laws of 1874, held by him. Allen & Chard, attys.

April 25, Henry Stickel, \$5,000, personal injuries sustained March 30, 1910, while a member of Hook and Ladder Co. 11, going to a fire, by falling over pipes negligently left lying in the roadway in front of No. 531 E. 1th st., Manhattan. Lewkowitz & Schaap, attys.

April 25, Stapleton National Bank, assignee of James D. Sullivan, \$1,664.85, amount due on contract of James D. Sullivan with the City, dated February 16, 1909. John G. Clark, atty.

April 25, H. W. Johns-Manville Co., \$4.68, amount of invoice, correcting invoice of September 16, 1909, for goods delivered to the Hall of Records.

April 25, Carman Combes, \$525, wages due, Driver, Bureau of Highways, Queens, March 1, 1909, to December 9, 1909, 175 days at \$3. J. Bohmbach, atty.

April 25, the New York Edison Co., \$62.31, repairs to cable damaged by employees of the Bridge Department driving a drill through the subway pipe in front of Nos. 89 and 91 Attorney st., Manhattan, November 30, 1909.

April 26, Benjamin Wilhelm, \$2, refund of amount paid by him to redeem from the corporation yard his push cart wrongfully seized by the Department of Street Cleaning, March 30, 1909, at No. 53 East Houston st., Manhattan.

April 26, Edward J. Lannon, \$5,000, personal injuries sustained November 1, 1909, by being thrown from his truck due to the dangerous condition of Central Park West, at 63d st., Manhattan. Jacob C. Brand, atty.

April 26, Metropolitan Casualty Insurance Co. of New York, \$9.95, damages for breakage of plate glass windows at No. 6 Clinton st., Manhattan, by Driver of Department of Street Cleaning cart No. 1339, on February 2, 1910. Alexander Fox, atty.

April 27, Abraham Ford, guardian, \$500, personal injuries sustained April 3, 1910, by infant, Alexander Ford, in William H. Seward Park, Manhattan, by stepping on a dangerous sewer hole cover. Isidor L. Daniels, atty.

April 27, Robert Livingston, \$10,000, personal injuries sustained April 4, 1910, by being thrown from his truck due to the dangerous condition of 74th st., between New Utrecht ave. and 17th ave., Brooklyn. Frank F. Davis, atty.

April 7, Jacobson & Schoen, \$80, damages on account of Department of Street Cleaning wagon, removing snow, running into their delivery wagon on January 20, 1910, while standing in 110th st., near 2d ave., Manhattan. Abraham Miodownik, atty.

April 27, Geo. G. DeWitt, Wm. D. DeWitt and George McKesson Brown, executors, \$146,608, award for damage No. 19, in the matter of acquiring title to lands, etc., for the construction of an extension to the Manhattan terminal of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge. John T. Lockman, atty.

April 27, Patrick J. McEnroe, \$180, services rendered in connection with sewer damage claims filed against the City, December, 1909, to March, 1910.

April 27, Laura Baier, claims an annual pension of \$300, during her life, as the widow of Anthony Baier, who died February 12, 1908, while in the service of the Department of Health. Harrison C. Gore, atty.

April 28, Otilie Zalkind, \$2,000, personal injuries sustained September 15, 1909, by falling due to the dangerous condition of the sidewalk in front of No. 136 E. 112th st., Manhattan. William Solomon, atty.

April 28, Dominick Bertain, \$108.75, damages to property at No. 45 Taaffe place, Brooklyn, April 19, 1910, by sewer overflow.

April 28, Margaret McGraw, \$500, personal injuries sustained April 9, 1910, due to a long depression or trench across the sidewalk in front of No. 213 Navy st., Brooklyn. L. Victor Fleckles, atty.

April 29, George C. Wheeler, \$210, amount due for professional services rendered under contract of June 2, 1908, making survey and drawing plans for changes of grades affecting property on 152d st. Wait & Foster, attys.

April 29, Henry Knabe, \$14,385, damages to property and loss of rentals of Nos. 116, 118 and 120 White st. and No. 136 Centre st., Manhattan, by reason of the construction of the subway. Phillips & Avery, attys.

April 29, J. L. Carey & Co., \$14,846.62, balance due on contract of October 12, 1907, for sheeting and bracing furnished and left in place in the construction of sewers, etc., in Flatbush ave. extension, etc., Section No. 1. Jonas Lazansky & Neuburger, attys.

April 29, J. L. Carey & Co., \$2,975.08, balance due on contract of October 12, 1907, for sheeting and bracing furnished and left in place in the construction of sewers, etc., in Flatbush ave. extension, etc., Section No. 1. Jonas Lazansky & Neuburger, attys.



April 29, Fred A. Slater, \$20, value of a window at No. 601 2d ave., College Point, Queens, broken March 28, 1910, by a stone thrown by a passing automobile. Morris L. Strauss, atty.

April 29, Rosa Kraft, \$2,405.03, expenses incurred for necessary repairs to premises No. 133 Sands st., Brooklyn, damaged by change of grade of Sands st., Brooklyn. Jacob A. Cantor, atty.

#### Approval of Sureties for the Week Ending April 30, 1910.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., Morgan ave. Empire City Construction Co., World Building, principal. National Surety Co., No. 346 Broadway, surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing cement sidewalks in E. 32d st. Walter L. Castle, No. 2257 Bedford ave., principal. People's Surety Co. of New York, No. 26 Court st., Brooklyn, surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing a sewer in 15th ave. Joseph L. Sigretto & Co., No. 215 Montague st., principal. American Bonding Co. of Baltimore, No. 32 Nassau st., surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For grading, etc., New Lots road. Frank J. Trich, No. 430 Kosciuszko st., principal. People's Surety Co. of New York, No. 26 Court st., Brooklyn, surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing sewer basins in Tilden and Nostrand ayes. Newman & Carey Co., No. 215 Montague st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing sidewalks in Rogers ave. National Cement & Construction Co., No. 150 Nassau st., principal. National Surety Co., No. 346 Broadway, surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For furnishing 75 cords of wood. Clark & Wilkins, 24th st. and 11th ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 25, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For supplies of forage, Borough of Manhattan. Edt & Weyand, No. 305 E. 45th st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 25, 1910, Department of Correction—For furnishing supplies for manufacturing purposes, City of New York. J. Edward Ogden, No. 147 Cedar st., principal. United Surety Co., No. 84 William st., surety.

April 25, 1910, Department of Correction—For furnishing supplies for manufacturing purposes, City of New York. Peter J. Constant, No. 422 Gates ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 25, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For supplies of dry goods, etc., City of New York. H. T. Dakin, No. 97 Warren st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., No. 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

April 25, 1910, Department of Health—For completing the foundation of two pavilions on the grounds of Riverside Hospital, Borough of The Bronx. Luke A. Burke Sons Co., No. 25 W. 42d st., principal. National Surety Co., No. 346 Broadway, surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Queens—For constructing a sewer in 4th ave. Gabriel Hill, No. 94 Washington ave., principal. Bankers' Surety Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, New York office, No. 27 Liberty st., surety.

April 25, 1910, Borough of Queens—For constructing a sewer in Webster ave. Gabriel Hill, No. 94 Washington ave., principal. Bankers' Surety Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, New York office, No. 27 Liberty st., surety.

April 26, 1910, Borough of Manhattan—For supplies of cement. John A. McCarthy, 149th st. and Harlem River, principal. United Surety Co., No. 84 William st., surety.

April 26, 1910, Borough of Manhattan—For supplies of sand. The Phoenix Towing & Transportation Co., No. 17 State st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., No. 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

April 26, 1910, Borough of Manhattan—For constructing receiving basins in Nagle ave. Thomas A. Reilly, No. 107 E. 75th st., principal. Illinois Surety Co., No. 5 Nassau st., surety.

April 26, 1910, Borough of Manhattan—For constructing a sewer under pier at the North River. Joseph Moore, No. 5 E. 42d st., principal. National Surety Co., No. 346 Broadway, surety.

April 26, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For alterations, etc., to the building at the foot of E. 20th st., Borough of Manhattan. Rubin Solomon & Son, No. 90 Centre st., principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., Nos. 27 and 29 Pine st., surety.

April 26, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For roofing work on the Cumberland Street Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn. Rubin Solomon & Son, No. 90 Centre st., principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., Nos. 27 and 29 Pine st., surety.

April 26, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. Bloomingdale Bros., 3d ave. and 59th st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., No. 111 Broadway, surety.

April 26, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. Cavanagh Bros. Co., No. 148 Chambers st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., No. 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

April 26, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, No. 322 Hudson st., principal. American Surety Co. of New York, No. 100 Broadway, surety.

April 26, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. Stanley Supply Co., No. 38 E. 21st st., principal. American Surety Co. of New York, No. 100 Broadway, surety.

April 27, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. John Greig, No. 78 Broad st., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Co., No. 84 William st., surety.

April 27, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. P. F. & W. A. Kane, 46th st. and East River, principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 27, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing supplies, City of New York. Peter J. Constant, No. 422 Gates ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 27, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., E. 25th st. Uvalde Asphalt Co., No. 1 Broadway, principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 27, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing sewers in 71st st. Pasquale Porzio, No. 65 Front st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 27, 1910, Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing sewer basin in E. 3d st. Pasquale Porzio, No. 65 Front st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For supplies of cast iron pipe, City of New York. John Fox & Co., No. 253 Broadway, principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Co., No. 84 William st., surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. The Manhattan Supply Co., No. 127 Franklin st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., No. 111 Broadway, surety.

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April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. Richard & Gardner Co., No. 160 South st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. Murtha & Schmohl Co., 109th st. and East River, principal. The Empire State Surety Co., No. 34 Pine st., New York, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. Wm. R. Thompson, No. 704 Lafayette ave., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., No. 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. Thomas C. Dunham, Inc., No. 68 Murray st., principal. National Surety Co., No. 346 Broadway, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. The Manhattan Supply Co., No. 127 Franklin st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., No. 111 Broadway, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Public Charities—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. John Wanamaker, 10th st. and Broadway, principal. United States Guarantee Co., No. 111 Broadway, surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Correction—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies, City of New York. Cavanagh Bros. & Co., No. 148 Chambers st., principal. United Surety Co., No. 84 William st., surety.

April 28, 1910, Department of Street Cleaning—For furnishing bicycle supplies and sundries, City of New York. A. G. Spalding & Bros., No. 128 Nassau st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., No. 111 Broadway, surety.

April 29, 1910, Borough of The Bronx—For repairing asphalt pavements. Hastings Pavement Co., No. 25 Broad st., principal. American Surety Co. of New York, No. 100 Broadway; the Aetna Indemnity Co., No. 68 William st., sureties.

#### Opening of Proposals for the Week Ending April 30, 1910.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

April 25, 1910—For alterations, etc., in various public schools; for supplies for use of mechanics in the Heating Division, City of New York, for the Department of Education.

April 26, 1910—For regulating, etc., 41st st., Manor ave., Jamaica ave., etc., Borough of Queens, for the President of the Borough.

April 26, 1910—For reconstructing the ferry structures at the foot of E. 23d st., Borough of Manhattan, for the Department of Docks and Ferries.

April 26, 1910—For miscellaneous supplies for fireboats, City of New York, for the Fire Department.

April 26, 1910—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies to various buildings, City of New York, for the Department of Health.

April 26, 1910—For furnishing four 100 horse-power and one 150 horse-power boilers; for constructing nine buildings for various divisions of the Catskill Aqueduct, for the Board of Water Supply.

April 27, 1910—For furnishing miscellaneous supplies; for repairs to four floating baths; for regulating, etc., 56th st. and Avenue H; for fencing vacant lots in various streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for the President of the Borough.

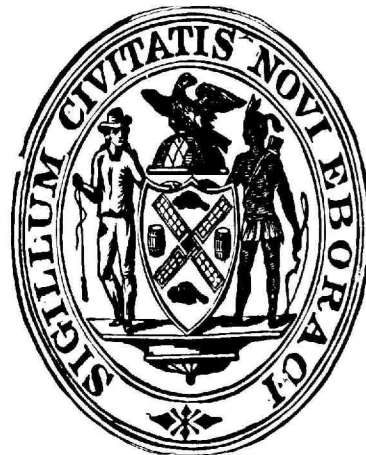
April 28, 1910—For furnishing one carriage and one team of carriage horses, Borough of The Bronx; for manufacturing, etc., 200 stationary seats, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Park Department.

April 28, 1910—For repairing gymnasium apparatus in various vacation playgrounds, etc., City of New York, for the Department of Education.

April 28, 1910—For grading and paving Attorney st., Borough of Manhattan, for the Department of Bridges.

April 28, 1910—For laying water mains at the Jerome Ave. Pumping Station, Borough of The Bronx, for the Board of Water Supply.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.



#### CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

##### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Bureau of Buildings.  
July 1—Appointment as Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, to take effect July 1, 1910: John P. Spears, of No. 2069 Arthur ave., Borough of The Bronx, salary \$1,500 per annum.

##### TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

July 5—Resigned, Margaret V. Dolan, No. 1426 2d ave., City, Typewriting Copyist, salary \$750 per annum, to take effect June 30, 1910.

##### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

July 2—The recent appointment of Jacob Peifer, Attendant, has been rescinded, Peifer having notified the Department that he has accepted an appointment in the Bureau of Highways. The resignation of Francis X. Griffin, Attendant, has been accepted.

##### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

July 5—Transferred: Bookkeeper John J. Burke, Repair Shops, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, to the Repair Shops, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, to take effect July 1, 1910.

Retired on half pay on own application after more than 20 years' service: Engineer of Steamer Charles S. Corson, Engine Company 39, Manhattan, on \$800 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910; Engineer of Steamer Henry Boerum, Engine Company 157, Brooklyn, on \$800 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910; Fireman first grade Frederick Spindler, Hook and Ladder Company 102, Richmond, on \$700 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910; Fireman first grade James P. Judge, Engine Company 70, Manhattan, on \$700 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910; Assistant Foreman Patrick Murray, Engine Company 159, Queens, on \$1,050 per annum, to take effect July 4, 1910. Dismissed: Fireman first grade Joseph M. Hiney, Engine Company 81, The Bronx, having been found guilty of the charges preferred against him of violation of Section 231, Rules and Regulations, 1905, disobedience of orders and absent without leave (tried June 29, 1910), is dismissed from the Department, to take effect at 8 a. m., June 30, 1910. Died:

Michael English, Stableman, Hospital and Training Stables, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, June 25, 1910.

##### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

July 5—Robert Ross, of No. 25 E. Tremont ave., The Bronx, is transferred as Stationary Engineer from the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan, to the Department of Bridges and his compensation fixed at \$4.50 per day, to date from July 7, 1910.

##### REGISTER, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

July 5—The Register has appointed Christopher Henry, of No. 23 E. 99th st., as Custodian, at \$1,000 per annum, taking effect July 1.

##### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

July 1—Transferred: George R. Hilty, Examiner of Accounts, at \$1,500 per annum, to temporary Accountant at \$2,100 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1910.

##### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

July 5—The following bids or estimates for constructing the painting platforms and runways for the Queensboro Bridge were received and opened in this Department on Thursday, June 16, 1910:

The Terry & Tench Co. (Inc.), \$18,034; the Snare & Triest Co., \$18,550; Alamo Construction Co., \$18,900; North-Eastern Construction Co., \$19,700; J. H. Gray Co., \$21,948; Vulcan Rail and Construction Co., \$24,985; Charles Meads & Co., \$27,140.

The Terry & Tench Co. (Inc.) being the lowest formal bidders, the contract was awarded to them.

KINGSLEY L. MARTIN,  
Commissioner.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business and at which the Courts regularly are 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 5 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor.  
Robert Adamson, Secretary.  
William B. Meloney, Executive Secretary.  
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###### BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
Clement J. Driscoll, Chief of Bureau.

###### BUREAU OF LICENSES.

9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
Francis V. S. Oliver, Jr., Chief of Bureau.  
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Branch Office, Room 12A, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.  
Branch Office, Richmond Borough Hall, Room 23, New Brighton, S. I.



Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

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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, 1197 Cortlandt.  
Robert W. de Forest, Trustee Metropolitan Museum of Art, President; Arnold W. Brunner, Architect Vice-President; Charles Howland Russell, Secretary; A. Augustus Healy, President of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences; William J. Gaynor, Mayor of The City of New York; John Bigelow, President of New York Public Library; Frederic B. Pratt, Herbert Adams, Sculptor; Francis C. Jones, Painter; R. T. H. Halsey, John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

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Office, Bellevue Hospital, Twenty-sixth street and First avenue.  
Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.  
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No. 11 City Hall, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.  
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Antonio C. Astarita.  
Thomas J. Drennan, Secretary.  
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Commissioners—John T. Dooling (President), Charles B. Page (Secretary), James Kane, John E. Smith.  
Michael T. Daly, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 2946 Bryant.

#### BOROUGH OFFICES.

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No. 119 West Forty-second street,  
William C. Baxter, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 2946 Bryant.  
**The Bronx.**  
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue (Solingen Building).  
Cornelius A. Bunker, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 336 Melrose.

**Brooklyn.**  
No. 42 Court street (Temple Bar Building).  
George Russell, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 693 Main.

**Queens.**  
No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.  
Carl Vogel, Chief Clerk.  
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Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.  
Charles M. Schwalbe, Chief Clerk.  
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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, 2281 Worth.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

#### 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, 4840 Gramercy.  
George A. Just, Chairman. Members: William Crawford, Charles Buck, Lewis Harding, Charles G. Smith, Edward F. Croker, William A. Boring, and George A. Just.  
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.  
Board meeting every Tuesday at 2 p. m.

#### BOARD OF PAROLE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY FOR MISDEMEANANTS.

Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street.  
Patrick A. Whitney, Commissioner of Correction President.  
Wm. E. Wyatt, Judge, Special Sessions, First Division.  
Robert J. Wilkin, Judge, Special Sessions, Second Division.  
Frederick B. House, City Magistrate, First Division.  
Edward J. Dooley, City Magistrate, Second Division.

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Archibald R. Watson, Corporation Counsel.  
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Telephone, 1200 Worth.

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John A. Bessel, Charles N. Chadwick, Charles A. Shaw, Commissioners.  
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Telephone, 3440 Worth.

#### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Raymond B. Fowdick, ———, Commissioners of Accounts.  
Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 4315 Worth.

#### CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

Office of the Commission, Room 219, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City.  
Commissioners—William E. Stillings, George C. Norton, Lewis A. Abrams.  
Lamont McLoughlin, Clerk.  
Regular advertised meetings on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week at 2 o'clock p. m.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 3254 Worth.

#### CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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Jacob A. Livingston, Deputy Commissioner.

Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Office hours during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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.

Lewis M. Swasey, Commissioner.

D. H. Ralston, Deputy Commissioner.

Telephone, 1114 Main.

Telephone, 1082 Main.

##### 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.

Henry P. Molloy, County Clerk.

Thomas F. Wogan, Deputy County Clerk.

Telephone call, 4930 Main.

##### COUNTY COURT.

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 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 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.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

John P. Clarke, District Attorney.

Telephone number, 2955-6-7-Main.

##### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Charles E. Teale, Public Administrator.

Telephone, 2840 Main.

##### 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. Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Frederick Lundy, Register.

James S. Reagan, Deputy Register.

Telephone, 2830 Main.

##### SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Room 14, Brooklyn, N. Y.

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.

Patrick H. Quinn, Sheriff.

John Morrissey Gray, Under Sheriff.

Telephone, 6845, 6846, 6847, Main.

##### SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.

Edward J. Bergen, Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except during months of July and August, when office hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 3954 Main.

##### QUEENS COUNTY.

##### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Queens County Court-house, Long Island City.

George H. Creed, Commissioner of Jurors.



William F. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosalsky, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph P. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.  
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.  
Part VI.  
Part VII.  
Part VIII.  
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; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, Alexander Finelite, Thomas P. Donnelly, John V. McAvoy, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. La Petra, Richard H. Smith, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
Telephone, 122 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—William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt, William M. Fuller, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 2094 Franklin, Clerk's office.  
Telephone, 601 Franklin, Justices' chambers.  
Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays at 10 o'clock; Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, Wednesdays at 10 o'clock.

Justices—Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Morgan M. L. Ryan, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, James J. McInerney, Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Telephone, 4280 Main.

#### CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan.  
Ernest K. Coulter, Clerk.  
Office hours 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.  
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn  
William F. Deane, Clerk.  
Telephone, 627 Main.  
Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

#### CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

##### First Division.

Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
City Magistrates—Robert G. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Joseph P. Moss, Henry Steinert, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederick Kernochan, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herrman, Paul Krotel, Keyran J. O'Connor, Henry W. Herbert, Charles W. Appleton.  
Philip Bloch, Secretary, One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place.  
Telephone, 225 Harlem.  
First District—Criminal Courts 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, southeastern 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.  
Ninth District Court (Night Court)—125 Sixth Avenue.

##### Second Division.

##### Borough of Brooklyn.

City Magistrates—Edward J. Dooley, James G. Tighe, John Naumer, E. G. Higginbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geismar, John P. Hylan, Howard P. Nash, Moses J. Harris.  
President of the Board, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., West Eighth street, Coney Island.  
Secretary to the Board, John E. Dowdell, No. 2 Butler street, Brooklyn.

##### Courts.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.  
Second District—Court and Butler streets.  
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.  
Fourth District—No. 186 Bedford avenue.  
Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.  
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flat-bush).  
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).  
Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.  
Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.

##### Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Joseph P. Fitch, Maurice E. Connolly, Eugene C. Gilroy.

##### Courts.

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.  
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.  
Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.  
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

##### Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.

##### Courts.

First District—Lafayette place, New Brighton, Staten Island.  
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.

#### MUNICIPAL COURTS.

##### Borough of Manhattan.

First District—The First District embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the

southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.  
Wauhope Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.  
Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-56 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Additional Parts are held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street and at No. 128 Prince street.  
Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.  
Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Snitkin, Justices.  
James J. Devlin, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.  
Thomas E. Murray, Thomas F. Noonan, Justices.  
Michael Skelly, Clerk.  
Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwell's Island.  
Michael F. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.  
Abram Bernard, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Part I. and Part II., No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borough.  
Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.  
John H. Servis, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwell's Island and excluding any portion of Ward's Island.  
Jacob Marks, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.  
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly terminus thereof, and north of the northerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem river, on a line continuous with the easterly boundary of said borough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borough.  
Philip J. Sinnott, David L. Weil, John R. Davies, Justices.  
Heman B. Wilson, Clerk.  
Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the centre line of Fifth avenue, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borough, including Randall's Island and the whole of Ward's Island.  
Leopold Prince, John J. Dwyer, Justices.  
William J. Kennedy, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Fifth avenue and by One Hundred and Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.  
Edgar J. Lauer, Frederick De Witt Wells, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.  
William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifth-ninth street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 9 a. m. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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, No. 1400 Williamsbridge road, 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.

Peter A. Shell, Justice.  
Stephen Collins, Clerk.  
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays closing at 12 m.  
Telephone, 457 Westchester.

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., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.  
Telephone, 3043 Meirhoe.

##### 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. Parts I. and II.  
Eugene Conran, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

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 Twelfth 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.  
John R. Farrar, George Freifeld, Justices. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted. Saturdays, 8.45 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 504 Bedford.

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 and William J. Bogenshutz, Justices. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Court opens at 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 905 Williamsburg.

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 County 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.  
Jacob S. Strahl, Justice. Joseph P. McCarthy, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

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 (No. 5220 Third avenue).  
Cornelius Furgueson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
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.  
Lucien S. Bayliss and George Fielder, Justices.  
William R. Fagan, Clerk.  
Court-house, No. 611 Fulton street.  
Telephone, 6335 Main.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.  
Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.  
Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. During July and August, 8.45 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
Jury days, Tuesdays and Fridays.  
Clerk's Telephone, 904 East New York.  
Public Telephone, 905 East New York.

##### Borough of Queens.

First District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the canal, Rapelye avenue, Jackson avenue, Old Bowery Bay road, Bowery Bay, East river and Newtown creek. Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. John F. Cassidy, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.

Second District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, East river, Bowery bay, Old Bowery Bay road, Jackson avenue, Rapelye avenue, the canal and Newtown creek. Court-room in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, Queens County, New York.  
John M. Cragen, Justice. J. Frank Ryan, Clerk.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, Vandever avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown creek.  
Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Nuhn, Clerk.  
1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale.  
Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for Jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the second and fourth wards, the boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandever avenue.  
Court-house, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica.  
James P. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Fifth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Sixth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Seventh District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Eighth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Ninth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Tenth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Eleventh District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Twelfth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Thirteenth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, East river, Bowery bay, Old Bowery Bay road, Jackson avenue, Rapelye avenue, the canal and Newtown creek. Court-room in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, Queens County, New York.  
John M. Cragen, Justice. J. Frank Ryan, Clerk.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, Vandever avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown creek.  
Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Nuhn, Clerk.  
1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale.  
Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for Jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the second and fourth wards, the boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandever avenue.  
Court-house, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica.  
James P. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Fifth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Sixth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Seventh District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
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Eighth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
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Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Ninth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Tenth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
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Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Eleventh District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Twelfth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
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Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Thirteenth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Fourteenth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
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Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

Seventeenth District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Eighteenth District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

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

Dated July 6, 1910.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

**MONDAY, JULY 18, 1910.**

**Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GENERAL SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1910.

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**Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE QUANTITIES AND AT THE PLACES BELOW SPECIFIED:

Department Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, 2,200 gross tons.

Department Buildings, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, 110 gross tons.

Department Buildings, Jamaica and Richmond Hill, Borough of Queens, 100 gross tons.

Department Buildings, Flushing and College Point, Borough of Queens, 100 gross tons.

Fireboats berthed on the East River, Borough of Brooklyn, 800 gross tons.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1910.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per gross ton of 2,240 pounds avoirdupois, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item; or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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R. WALDO, Fire Commissioner.

Dated July 6, 1910.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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**MONDAY, JULY 18, 1910.**

**Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE QUANTITIES AND AT THE PLACES BELOW SPECIFIED:

Department buildings south of 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, 2,675 gross tons.

Department buildings north of 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, 1,325 gross tons.

Department buildings, Borough of The Bronx, 1,000 gross tons.

Department buildings, Borough of Richmond, 300 gross tons.

Fireboats berthed on the North River, Borough of Manhattan, 1,700 gross tons.

Fireboats berthed on the East River, Borough of Manhattan, 670 gross tons.

Fireboats berthed on the Harlem River, Borough of Manhattan, 890 gross tons.

Fireboats berthed in the Borough of Richmond, 450 gross tons.

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

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### 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, JULY 20, 1910.**

No. 1. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY 11TH ST., FROM BENSON AVE. TO CROSEY AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

60 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

150 cubic yards of earth excavation, not to be bid for.

2,750 linear feet of cement curb.

12,070 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BAY 11TH ST., FROM BENSON AVE. TO CROSEY AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

4,614 square yards of asphalt pavement (5 years' maintenance).

643 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

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

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY 19TH ST., FROM BENSON AVE. TO A POINT 320 FEET SOUTHWEST OF CROSEY AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

20 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

780 cubic yards of earth excavation.

780 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

2,200 linear feet of cement curb.

3,000 square feet of old flagstones relaid, not to be bid for.

7,700 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BELMONT AVE., FROM VAN SICKLE AVE. TO ELTON ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

6,108 square yards of asphalt pavement (5 years' maintenance).

854 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

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

The amount of security required is Thirty-two Hundred Dollars (\$3,200).

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON COVERT ST., FROM KNICKERBOCKER AVE. TO THE COUNTY LINE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,070 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.

5,200 cubic yards of earth excavation.

60 cubic yards of concrete (not to be bid for).

5,450 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,300).

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON DEWEY PL., FROM HERKIMER ST. TO ATLANTIC AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

15 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

310 cubic yards of earth excavation.

40 cubic yards of earth filling (not to be bid for).

710 linear feet of cement curb.

2,950 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350).

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF DEWEY PLACE, BETWEEN HERKIMER ST. AND ATLANTIC AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,178 square yards of asphalt pavement (5 years' maintenance).

164 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

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

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

No. 8. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON E. 23D ST., FROM CANARIE LANE TO AVE. D., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

35 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.

1,840 cubic yards of earth excavation.

160 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

2,410 linear feet of cement curb.

11,300 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 9. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 25TH ST., FROM AVE. C TO A POINT 100 FEET SOUTHERLY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

400 square yards of asphalt pavement (5 years' maintenance).

55 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

25 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

180 cubic yards of earth excavation.

240 linear feet of cement curb.

1,280 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 29TH ST., FROM CLARENDON ROAD TO AVE. D., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,594 square yards of asphalt pavement (5 years' maintenance).

360 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

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

The amount of security required is Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,400).

No. 11. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON ELBERT ST., FROM KNICKERBOCKER AVE. TO THE QUEENS COUNTY LINE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,280 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.

590 cubic yards of earth excavation.

50 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

70 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

4,380 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed 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 (\$700).

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FENIMORE ST., FROM ROGERS AVE. TO NORTON AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,475 square yards of asphalt pavement (5 years' maintenance).

344 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

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

The amount of security required is Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,300).

No. 13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON HOWARD AVE., FROM ST. JOHN'S PLACE TO EASTERN PARKWAY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

160 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.

80 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

10 cubic yards of earth excavation.

20 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

13 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

550 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150).

No. 14. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON HUNTINGTON ST., FROM HENRY ST. TO HICKS ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

840 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.

20 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

630 cubic yards of earth excavation.

20 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

50 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

4,240 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HUNTINGTON ST., FROM HENRY ST. TO HICKS ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,135 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

160 cubic yards of concrete, for pavement foundation.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT, CLASS B, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION. THE ROADWAY OF JAVA ST., FROM OAKLAND ST. TO PROVOST ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,050 square yards of granite pavement, Class B, with tar and gravel joints (one year's maintenance).

340 cubic yards of concrete, for pavement foundation.

1,210 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.

30 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.

1,230 cubic yards of earth excavation.

40 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

6,230 square feet of cement sidewalk.

90 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

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

The amount of security required is Thirty-three Hundred Dollars (\$3,300).

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING KINGSTON AVE., FROM HAWTHORNE ST. TO WINTHROP ST.; SETTING AND RESETTING CURB ON CONCRETE AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, FROM RUTLAND ROAD TO WINTHROP ST., AND RELAYING BRICK GUTTERS ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, FROM RUTLAND ROAD TO HAWTHORNE ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

283 square yards of brick gutters, to be relaid on concrete foundation.

850 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.

830 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.

1,470 cubic yards of earth excavation.

120 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

7,620 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 18. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON AVE. L, FROM OCEAN PARKWAY TO CONEY ISLAND AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,790 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.



The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

No. 25. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON SKILLMAN AVE., FROM HUMBOLDT ST. TO OLD WOOD POINT ROAD, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

20 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

430 cubic yards of earth excavation.

440 linear feet of cement curb.

1,660 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

No. 26. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON STOCKHOLM ST., FROM WYCKOFF AVE. TO ST. NICHOLAS AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

930 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.

20 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.

10 cubic yards of earth excavation.

120 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

50 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

600 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 27. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON STOCKHOLM ST., FROM ST. NICHOLAS AVE. TO THE BOROUGH LINE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

10 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.

370 cubic yards of earth excavation.

40 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

250 linear feet of cement curb.

5,190 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 28. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON ST. NICHOLAS AVE., FROM VERMONT ST. TO MILLER AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

30 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.

3,180 cubic yards of earth excavation.

760 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

1,300 linear feet of cement curb.

7,500 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 29. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 41ST ST., FROM 16TH AVE. TO WEST ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

330 cubic yards of earth excavation.

130 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

1,330 linear feet of cement curb.

5,450 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

No. 30. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 42ND ST., FROM NEW UTRECHT AVE. TO 13TH AVE., AND FROM 14TH AVE. TO WEST ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

185 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

1,080 cubic yards of earth excavation.

90 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

8,430 linear feet of cement curb.

35,940 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy (70) working days.

The amount of security required is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 31. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 43RD ST., FROM 10TH AVE. TO WEST ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

100 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

2,200 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,170 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

10,420 linear feet of cement curb.

45,370 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Forty-five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

No. 32. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 44TH ST., FROM 12TH AVE. TO 15TH AVE., AND FROM 16TH AVE. TO WEST ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

50 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

330 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,570 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

6,360 linear feet of cement curb.

29,850 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 33. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 47TH ST., FROM 18TH AVE. TO NEW UTRECHT AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

9,720 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.

30 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

53 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

1,700 square feet of old flagstones relaid.

11,400 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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

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

No. 34. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 58TH ST., FROM 7TH AVE. TO 8TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,480 linear feet of new curbstone set in concrete.

1,140 cubic yards of earth excavation.

20 cubic yards of earth filling (not to be bid for).

80 cubic yards of concrete (not to be bid for).

5,580 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 35. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 65TH ST., FROM FORT HAMILTON AVE. TO NEW UTRECHT AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

100 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

4,530 cubic yards of earth excavation.

2,120 cubic yards of earth filling (not to be bid for).

7,660 linear feet of cement curb.

37,440 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

No. 36. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 68TH ST., FROM 1ST AVE. TO 3D AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

20 linear feet of old curbstone reset in concrete.

4,610 cubic yards of earth excavation.

190 cubic yards of earth filling (not to be bid for).

2,230 linear feet of cement curb.

10,910 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 12 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated July 5, 1910.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 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, JULY 13, 1910,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR REPAIRS TO BOILER AND PUMP HOUSE, CAISSON NO. 2, WEST TWELFTH STREET AND NEPTUNE AVENUE, CONEY ISLAND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be ninety (90) 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 and other information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, No. 215 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated June 23, 1910.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 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, JULY 13, 1910,

FOR KALSOMINING, PAINTING AND VARNISHING THE CORRIDORS ON THE FOUR FLOORS, AND ROOMS 2, 4, 6, 8 AND 10 ON THE FIRST FLOOR, ALSO THE WEST SIDE BASEMENT, OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900).

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

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 Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 29 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated June 23, 1910.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 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, JULY 13, 1910,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIR

OF SEWER IN NAVY STREET, BETWEEN NASSAU STREET AND PROSPECT STREET.

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

774 linear feet of 24-inch pipe sewer.

4 manholes.

8 sewer basins (reconnected).

11 house connections (reconnected).

1 sewer basin.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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 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 the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated June 23, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 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

TUESDAY, JULY 12, 1910,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1910.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications per thousand feet, board measure, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

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

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Dated June 27, 1910.

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

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, JULY 21, 1910,

FOR COMPLETING THE NEW PELHAM BRIDGE OVER EASTCHESTER BAY, IN PELHAM BAY PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

KINGSLEY L. MARTIN, Commissioner.

Dated July 3, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE AT PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AS REQUIRED.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be until December 31, 1910.

The amount of the security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, Commissioners of Parks.

July 7, 1910.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BARRELS OF

EMULSIFYING ROAD SPRINKLING OIL AT PROSPECT PARK AND GRAVEL PIT, OCEAN PARKWAY, NEAR AVE. P, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, Commissioners of Parks.

July 6, 1910.

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

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

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

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1910,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING NEW BOILERS AND OTHER WORK IN CONNECTION THEREWITH IN THE CONSERVATORIES IN CENTRAL PARK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.

The amount of the security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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



## NOTICE OF SALE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, No. 280 BROADWAY, MANHATTAN.

## NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF MANHATTAN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sales of June 7, 10, 17, July 1, 15, August 19, September 20, October 14, November 11, December 2, 9, 23, 27 and 30, 1909; January 6, 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 17, 31, April 14, May 12, June 2 and 23, 1910, has been continued to

THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1910,

at 10 a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, as heretofore.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN,  
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
Dated June 23, 1910.

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## NOTICE OF RESALE OF TAX LIENS.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMPTROLLER of The City of New York all tax liens heretofore sold, in respect to which the purchasers have not completed their purchases, as prescribed by chapter 17, title 5 of the Greater New York Charter, will be offered for resale at the pending Manhattan tax sale, pursuant to section 1029 of the Greater New York Charter, on

THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1910,

at 10 a. m., in the Aldermanic Chamber, and I shall continue to offer said liens for resale from time to time until said sale is concluded.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN,  
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
Dated June 23, 1910.

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## Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE 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.  
When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

*Construction.*

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.  
Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

*Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.*

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Dated January 3, 1910.  
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST,  
Comptroller  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, ROOM 13, No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Comptroller at the above office, Department of Finance, until 3 o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1910,

## Borough of Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING PARTITIONS, CABINET WORK, IRON MESH SCREENS, DESKS, TABLES, METAL FILING CASES, SHELVING, ETC., IN THE QUARTERS TO BE OCCUPIED BY THE RECEIVER OF TAXES AND COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, IN THE LEASED QUARTERS, BASEMENT, FIRST (GROUND) AND THIRD FLOORS OF THE STUART HIRSCHMAN BUILDING, SITUATED ON COURT HOUSE SQUARE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be forty (40) 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 and specifications may be obtained and plans may be examined at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Finance, Room 214, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

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

## Corporation Sales.

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE POLICE COMMISSIONER, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., now standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for Police Department purposes in the

## Borough of Manhattan.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., situated on the plot on the north side of W. 30th st. (having a frontage of 76 feet and a depth of 98.9 feet), between 6th and 7th aves., and known as Nos. 135 to 139 W. 30th st., formerly occupied by the 19th Precinct Police Station, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held June 29, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows: Parcel No. 1. Five-story brick building, No. 135 W. 30th st., and one-story brick building in rear of same. Four-story brick building, Nos. 137 and 139 W. 30th st., with two-story brick building in rear of same.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 22d day of July, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened July 22, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the

preventions of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beamholes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 30, 1910.

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## CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Richmond, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., now standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

## Borough of Richmond.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., situated within the lines of the unnamed street from Gray st. to Gordon st., all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held June 29, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots or parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story and attic frame house with extensions and shed in the rear of same, No. 45 Gordon st.

Parcel No. 2. Three-story frame house with rear buildings, known as No. 49 Gordon st.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 21st day of July, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened July 21, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed, in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Richmond, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beamholes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 30, 1910.

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## CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Queens, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, by sealed bids, all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., now standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

## Borough of Queens.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., situated on 13th ave., from Grand ave. to Jamaica ave., all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held June 29, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story frame house within the lines of 13th ave., about 300 feet northerly from Jamaica ave.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 20th day of July, and then publicly opened, for the sale for removal of the above described



buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened July 20, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Queens, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason

of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 30, 1910.

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#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., now standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., situated on land lying within the lines of Moultrie st., between Greenpoint ave. and Humboldt st., all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held June 22, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, JULY 19, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—One-story frame building, No. 298 Greenpoint ave.

Parcel No. 2—Part of one-story frame building, No. 300 Greenpoint ave. Cut 2.5 feet on the north and south ends of front building. Cut 3 feet on the north end of rear building by 3.2 feet on south end.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 19th day of July, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened July 19, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the pur-

chaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 28, 1910.

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#### Notices to Property Owners.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9. ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING THE ROADWAY, between Webster and Morris ayes, and CLAY AVENUE—PAVING THE ROADWAY, between 164th and 165th sts. Area of assessment: Both sides of 165th st., from Webster ave. to Morris ave., and both sides of Clay ave., from 164th to 165th st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB, from Bryant ave. to Southern boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of 178th st., from Bryant ave. to Southern boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

BURNSIDE AVENUE—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB, from Webster ave. to Aqueduct ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Burnside ave., from Webster ave. to Aqueduct ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on July 5, 1910, and entered on July 5, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of 177th st. and 3d ave., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before September 3, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, July 5, 1910.

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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.

PURDY ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSS-WALKS, from Ditmars ave. to Flushing ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Purdy st., from Ditmars ave. to Flushing ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

PAYNTER AVE.—SEWER, from Vernon ave. to Hamilton st., and HAMILTON ST.—SEWER, from Paynter ave. to a point about 200 feet north of Paynter ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hamilton st. and west side of Hancock st., from Paynter ave. to a point about 300 feet northerly; north side of Paynter ave., from Hancock st. to Vernon ave., and south side, from Hamilton st. to Vernon ave.

#### SECOND WARD.

FOREST AVE.—SEWER, from Metropolitan ave. to Grove st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forest ave., from Metropolitan ave. to Grove st.

#### FIFTH WARD.

HAMMELS AVE.—ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER, Rockaway Beach. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hammels ave., from a point about 900 feet south of the Boulevard to the bulkhead.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 5, 1910, and entered July 5, 1910, 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson ave., Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before September 3, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, July 5, 1910.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2; EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10; TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 6; TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

FENCING VACANT LOTS ON ASHFORD ST., west side, between Belmont and Sutter ayes; on MEEKER AVE., south side, from Morgan ave. to a point 76 feet westerly and 225 feet easterly; on MORGAN AVE., east side, from Anthony st. to Meeker ave., on CLIFTON PLACE, south side, 125 feet west of Marcy ave., on ST. MARKS AVE., south side, and PROSPECT PLACE, north side, between Nostrand and Rogers ayes, on SULLIVAN ST., south side, 40 feet west of Dwight st., and extending 60 feet westerly. Area of assessment: West side of Ashford st., between Belmont and Sutter ayes; south side of Meeker ave., from Morgan ave. to a point 76 feet westerly and 225 feet easterly; east side of Morgan ave., from Anthony st. to Meeker ave.; south side of Clifton place, 125 feet west of Marcy ave.; south side of St. Marks ave. and north side of Prospect place, between Nostrand and Rogers ayes; south side of Sullivan st., 40 feet west of Dwight st., and extending 60 feet westerly.

FOURTEENTH WARD, SECTION 8; FIFTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9; SIXTEENTH AND EIGHTEENTH WARDS, SECTION 10; TWENTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 6, AND TWENTY-SEVENTH AND TWENTY-EIGHTH WARDS, SECTION 11.

FENCING VACANT LOTS ON WYCKOFF AVE., west side, between DeKalb ave. and



Stockholm st.; on STOCKHOLM ST., east side, between Hamburg and Myrtle ayes.; on STAGG ST., south side, between Manhattan and Graham ayes.; on BUSHWICK AVE., west side, 25.75 feet south of Devoe st.; junction of FLUSHING AVE. and MELROSE ST.; on BOGART ST., east side, between Ingraham st. and Johnson ave.; southwest corner of NORTH 11TH ST. and KENT AVE.; southeast side of FORREST ST., 66 feet west of Flushing ave.; on GROVE ST., northwest side, 60 feet east of Hamburg ave.; on HOPKINS ST., north side, beginning 125 feet east of Nostrand ave. and extending 50 feet; on JEFFERSON AVE., southeast side, 95 feet east of Knickerbocker ave. Area of assessment: West side of Wyckoff ave., between De Kalb ave. and Stockholm st.; east side of Stockholm st., between Hamburg and Myrtle ayes.; south side of Stagg st., between Graham and Manhattan ayes.; west side of Bushwick ave., between Devoe and Ainslie sts., Lot 14, Block 2772; junction of Flushing ave. and Melrose st.; east side of Bogart st., between Ingraham st. and Johnson ave.; southwest corner of North 11th st. and Kent ave.; southeast side of Forrest st., 66 feet west of Flushing ave.; northwest side of Grove st., 60 feet east of Hamburg ave.; north side of Hopkins st., between Nostrand and Marcy ayes., Lots 74 and 75 in Block 1719; southeast side of Jefferson ave., 95 feet east of Knickerbocker ave.

#### TWENTY-FIFTH AND TWENTY-SIXTH WARDS, SECTION 6.

FULTON ST.—SEWER, south side, between Stone ave. and Sackman st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fulton st., from Sackman st. to Stone ave., and southwest corner of Sackman and Truxton sts.

#### TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 11.

HART ST.—SEWER, from St. Nicholas ave. to the Borough line; and CYPRESS AVE.—OUTLET SEWER, from Hart st. to Troutman st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hart st., from St. Nicholas ave. to Covert ave.; both sides of DeKalb ave., from Cypress ave. to Covert ave.; north side of DeKalb ave., between St. Nicholas and Cypress ayes.; both sides of Cypress ave., from DeKalb ave. to Troutman st.; both sides of Suydam st., from Cypress ave. to Covert ave.; both sides of Starr st. and Willoughby ave., from Cypress ave. to Purdy place; and east side of Covert ave. and Purdy place, between Hart and Starr sts.

#### TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 15.

LAYING CROSSWALKS ON AVENUE D, both sides, at E. 28th, E. 29th, E. 31st, E. 34th, E. 35th, E. 37th, E. 38th, E. 39th sts. and Brooklyn ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue D, from E. 34th to E. 39th st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

SNYDER AVE.—SEWER, between Nostrand ave. and E. 31st st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Snyder ave., from Nostrand ave. to E. 31st st.

#### TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

BASINS at the northeast and northwest corners of E. 11TH ST. AND DORCHESTER ROAD. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 11th st., between Avenue C and Avenue D, and northeast corner of Avenue D and Coney Island ave.

E. 26TH ST. AND FOSTER AVE.—BASIN at the northwest corner. Area of assessment: West side of E. 26th st., between Foster and Kenilworth ayes., and northeast corner of Foster ave. and E. 25th st.

DITMAS AVE.—PAVING, from E. 15th st. to Coney Island ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ditmas ave., from E. 15th st. to Coney Island ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

AVENUE D AND E. 16TH ST.—BASINS at the northeast and northwest corners. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 16th st., from Cortelyou road to Dorchester road; south side of Cortelyou road and north side of Dorchester road, between Marlborough and Buckingham roads.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

45TH ST.—SEWER, between 13th and 14th ayes. Area of assessment: Both sides of 45th st., from 13th to 14th ave.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

SEWER in 68TH ST., from 1st to 2d ave., and from the sewer summit between 2d and 3d ayes. to 2d ave.; and in 2D AVE., from the sewer summit between Senator st. and 68th st. to 68th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 68th st., between Colonial road and 3d ave.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

SEWER in 15TH AVE., between 73d and 74th sts., and OUTLET SEWER in 74TH ST., between 15th and 16th ayes.; and TRIBUTARY SEWER in 74TH ST., between 14th and 15th ayes. Area of assessment: Both sides of 15th ave., from 73d to 74th st., and both sides of 74th st., from 14th to 15th ave.

#### BAY 10TH ST. AND CROSEY AVE.—BASINS at the north and easterly corners.

Area of assessment: Both sides of Bay 10th st., from Bath ave. to Crosey ave.; southwest side of Bath ave., between Bay 10th st. and 15th ave., and northeast corner of Crosey and 15th ayes.

#### THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 21.

GRADING LOTS ON BAY 35TH ST., north side, and BAY 34TH ST., south side, between Benson ave. and 86th st. Area of assessment: South side of Bay 34th st. and north side of Bay 35th st., between Benson ave. and 86th st.

#### THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 23.

AVE. I—SEWER, from E. 34th st. to Brooklyn ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ave. I, between E. 34th st. and Brooklyn ave.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 28, 1910, and entered June 23, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 27, 1910, 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 assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 28, 1910.

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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 QUEENS:

#### SECOND WARD.

HART ST.—SEWER, from St. Nicholas ave. to the Borough line, and CYPRESS AVE.—OUTLET SEWER from Hart st. to Troutman st. Area of assessment: Both sides of DeKalb ave., Hart st., and Suydam st., between Covert ave. and the Queens Borough line, and west side of Covert ave., from DeKalb ave. to Willoughby ave.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors June 28, 1910, and entered June 28, 1910, 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, "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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson ave., Long Island City, Borough of Queens, 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 August 27, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 28, 1910.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—PAVING AND REPAVING THE ROADWAY, from Boston road to the northerly line of the property of St. John's College, and SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY. Area of assessment: Both sides of Southern boulevard, from the Boston road to the northerly line of the property of St. John's College, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 28, 1910, and entered on June 28, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of 177th st. and 3d ave., 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 August 27, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 28, 1910.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 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 OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—OPENING, from Cedar avenue to the easterly line of the Putnam Division of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad. Confirmed March 18, 1910; entered June 23, 1910. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of that portion of West One Hundred and Seventy-sev-

enth street lying between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue, with the southeasterly line of the New York and Putnam Railway; running thence northeasterly along and southeasterly line of the said railway to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and its southeasterly prolongation, to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along said last mentioned parallel line to Sedgwick avenue, to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the westerly line of Loring place at a point midway between West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Burnside avenue; thence easterly along said line midway between West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Burnside avenue, to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Andrews avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to Andrews avenue, to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the northwesterly line of the new Croton Aqueduct at a point midway between Burnside avenue and Tremont avenue; thence northwesterly along said line midway between Burnside avenue and Tremont avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned parallel line to Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of that portion of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street lying between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly prolongation and parallel line to West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and its northwesterly prolongation to the point or place of beginning.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, ANNEXED TERRITORY.

PAULDING AVENUE—OPENING, from East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street. Confirmed May 18, 1910; entered June 23, 1910. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-first street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street with a line midway between Paulding avenue and Bronxwood avenue; running thence northwardly and always midway between Paulding avenue and Bronxwood avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet north of the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence easterly and parallel with East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Paulding avenue and Laconia avenue; thence southwardly and always midway between Paulding avenue and Laconia avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-first street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-first street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 27, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1910.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

#### TWENTY-FOURTH AND TWENTY-NINTH WARDS, SECTIONS 5, 15 AND 16.

SEWERS in NOSTRAND AVENUE, between Midwood and Hawthorne streets; in HAWTHORNE STREET, between Nostrand and New York avenues; in NEW YORK AVENUE, between Hawthorne and Martense streets, and in MARTENSE STREET, between New York and Bedford avenues; and SEWER BASIN at the southwest corner of FENIMORE STREET AND ROGERS AVENUE; and SEWER BASINS at the northeast and southeast corners of WINTHROP STREET AND ROGERS AVENUE; and SEWER BASIN at the northeast corner of CHURCH AND ROGERS AVENUES. Area of assessment: Both sides of Nostrand avenue, between Church avenue and President street; both sides of Rogers avenue, between Church avenue and Sullivan street; both sides of New York avenue, between Martense street and Hawthorne street; and between Malbone street and President street; both sides of Brooklyn avenue, between Malbone and President streets; both sides of East Thirty-fourth street, between Lenox road and Clarkson avenue; both sides of Martense

street, between Bedford and New York avenues; both sides of Linden boulevard, between New York and Bedford avenues; both sides of Lenox road and both sides of Clarkson avenue, between Rogers avenue and East Thirty-fourth street; both sides of Robinson street, Winthrop and Hawthorne streets, between New York and Bedford avenues; both sides of Fenimore street, Rutland street, Midwood street, Maple street, Lincoln road and Lefferts avenue, between Bedford and Nostrand avenues; both sides of Sterling street, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues; both sides of Malbone street, between Rogers and Brooklyn avenues; both sides of Montgomery and Crown streets, between Rogers and Brooklyn avenues, and both sides of Carroll street, between Nostrand and Brooklyn avenues.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

OVINGTON AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING between Fifth and Stewart avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ovington avenue, between Fifth and Stewart avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 23, 1910, and entered June 23, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents in the Mechanics 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. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 22, 1910, 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 assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1910.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 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 OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenue in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

#### THIRTY-FIRST AND THIRTY-SECOND WARDS, SECTION 20.

AVENUE L—OPENING, between Ocean parkway and Ocean avenue, excluding the property of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad and the Long Island Railroad. Confirmed March 31, 1910; entered June 23, 1910. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: On the north by a line midway between the northerly side of Avenue L and the southerly side of Avenue K; on the south by a line midway between the southerly side of Avenue L and the northerly side of Avenue M; on the east by the westerly side of Ocean avenue, and on the west by the easterly side of Ocean parkway.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "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 Mechanics 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. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 22, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1910.

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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 RICHMOND:

#### FOURTH WARD.

SEWER AND APPURTENANCES in NAUTILUS STREET, from its easterly end to New York avenue; in a RIGHT OF WAY from the bulkhead line to easterly end of Nautilus street; in NEW YORK AVENUE, from Fingerboard



road to St. Johns avenue; in FINGERBOARD ROAD, from Summer street to New York avenue; SUMMER STREET, from Fingerboard road to Lyman avenue; in ST. JOHNS AVENUE, from New York avenue to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad; FIRST STREET, from St. Johns avenue to Maryland avenue; in SECOND STREET, from St. Johns avenue to a point about 100 feet south of Maryland avenue; in THIRD STREET, from St. Johns avenue to a point about 100 feet south of Maryland avenue; in SEWER DISTRICT 6A, in the Fourth Ward, Area of assessment: Both sides of New York avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to a point distant 1,040 feet south of Wadsworth avenue; thence running easterly from this latter point to the New York Bay; thence northerly along the New York Bay to Bay View avenue; thence westerly along Bay View avenue to New York avenue; thence southerly along New York avenue to a point about 1,040 feet south of Wadsworth avenue; both sides of Bay View avenue, from New York avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Maryland avenue, from a point about 100 feet west of Foxhill terrace to a point 504 feet east of New York avenue; both sides of Abbott street and Kelly street, extending northerly from Bay View avenue about 200 feet; both sides of First, Second, Third and Fourth streets, between St. Johns avenue and Maryland avenue; both sides of St. Johns avenue, from New York avenue to a point about 422 feet west of Tompkins avenue; both sides of Delair road, from New York avenue to a point about 450 feet west of Tompkins avenue; both sides of Hope avenue, from New York avenue to a point about 500 feet west of Tompkins avenue; both sides of Fingerboard road, from New York avenue to a point about 340 feet west of Sherman avenue; both sides of Evelyn place, extending about 100 feet east and west of Hope avenue; both sides of High street, from New York avenue to Summer street; both sides of Lyman avenue, from New York avenue to Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad; both sides of School road and Wadsworth avenue, from New York avenue to Tompkins avenue; both sides of Tompkins avenue, from Maryland avenue to Richmond avenue; both sides of Richmond avenue, commencing at Sea avenue and extending to a point about 295 feet east of Tompkins avenue; both sides of Duer avenue, from Richmond avenue northerly to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad; both sides of Sea avenue, from Richmond avenue to State avenue; both sides of Summer street, from Lyman avenue to Fingerboard road; both sides of Home avenue and Egbert place, from Fingerboard road to Hope avenue; both sides of Grant avenue, from Fingerboard road westerly about 900 feet to its intersection with Sherman avenue; thence running from this point northerly to a point about 300 feet west of Maryland avenue; thence easterly to Foxhill terrace; both sides of Foxhill terrace, extending about 125 feet north of Maryland avenue; both sides of Sherman avenue westerly from Cleveland avenue to its intersection with Grant avenue; both sides of Harvey street and Lincoln avenue, from Fingerboard road to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad; both sides of Ormiston place, from Fingerboard road to Cleveland avenue; both sides of Grant avenue, from Fingerboard road to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad; both sides of Brown place, extending about 325 feet north of Harvey street; both sides of Glen avenue, from McFarland place to Cleveland place; both sides of Cleveland place, from Chicago avenue northerly and westerly to the Fingerboard road; both sides of McFarland place, from Prospect avenue to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad; both sides of Cliff street and Nautilus street and new lane east of New York avenue, including land of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, from Duer avenue to Pennsylvania avenue; both sides of Valley street, from Sea avenue to Tompkins avenue, and both sides of State avenue, from Sea avenue to Cleveland avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments June 23, 1910, and entered on June 23, 1910, 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, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, 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 August 22, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1910.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10. TIMPSON PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Whitlock avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Timpson place, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Whitlock avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. MOHEGAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Mohegan avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth to One

Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, ANNEXED TERRITORY.

AVENUE E—OUTLET SEWER, between East One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Westchester avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue E (Pugsley avenue), from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to McGraw avenue; both sides of Tompkins street, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to a point about 475 feet northerly; both sides of Leland street, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to a point about 347 feet northerly; both sides of Clason Point road, between Thieriot and Taylor streets, Plot 15, Lot No. 6, Plots 16 and 17; both sides of Beech street, Tompkins street and Leland street, from Davis street to Pugsley Creek; both sides of Thieriot street and Harrison street, from Davis street to a point about 480 feet northerly; both sides of Meadow drive, from Davis street to Thieriot avenue; both sides of Davis street, from Clason Point road, from Taylor street to a point about 378 feet northerly, Plot 18, Lots Nos. 2/4 and 2/4; both sides of Sixth street, Fifth street, Fourth street, Third street and Second street, from Avenue C to Avenue E; both sides of Seventh street, Eighth street, Ninth street and Tenth street, from Avenue C to Virginia avenue; both sides of Tremont avenue, from Avenue C to Rosedale avenue; both sides of Eleventh street, Twelfth street and Thirteenth street, from a point about 408 feet east of Avenue C to Virginia avenue; both sides of Fourteenth street, from a point 500 feet more or less east of Avenue D to Virginia avenue; both sides of Virginia avenue, from Sixth street to Westchester avenue; both sides of White Plains road, from Sixth street to West Farms road; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, One Hundred and Seventy-sixth and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets, from Story avenue to Westchester avenue; both sides of Beech avenue (Clason Point road), Taylor avenue, Thieriot avenue and Leland avenue, from Westchester avenue to West Farms road, blocks bounded by Clason Point road, Unionport road, Guerlain place and West Farms road; both sides of St. Lawrence avenue, Commonwealth avenue and Rosedale avenue, from Tremont avenue to West Farms road; both sides of Sixth street, from Avenue E to One Hundred and Seventy-second street; both sides of Gleason avenue and Watson avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; both sides of Benedict avenue, from Pugsley avenue to Storow street; both sides of Storow street, from West avenue to McGraw avenue; both sides of Avenue D, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to Westchester avenue; both sides of Mansion avenue and Merrill street, from Clason Point road to Rosedale avenue; south side of Guerlain place, from Unionport road to Clason Point road; both sides of Archer place and Cornell avenue, from White Plains road to Clason Point road; blocks bounded by Cornell avenue, Tremont avenue, White Plains road; blocks bounded by Beacon street, Rosedale avenue and Tremont avenue; both sides of Leggett place, from McGraw avenue to Third street; both sides of Avenue C, from Third street to Fourteenth street; both sides of Unionport road, from a point 875 feet south of Guerlain place to West Farms road; both sides of McGraw avenue, from Avenue E to Beach avenue; both sides of Pugsley avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to the Gleason map, Plot 18, Lot No. 7.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 23, 1910, and entered on June 23, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 22, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1910.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8. AUDUBON AVENUE—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT, on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street. Area of assessment: Southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Audubon avenue, known as Lot No. 16, in Block 2133. ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT, on the southwest corner of Broadway. Area of assessment: Southwest corner of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Broadway, Lot No. 90, in Block 2134. ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT, in front of No. 463. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, about 84 1/2 feet west of Edgecombe avenue, known as Lot No. 42, in Block 2109.

The above assessments were certified to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, under the provisions of section 391 of the Greater New York Charter.

—that the same were entered on June 23, 1910, 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 11, 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 August 22, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1910.

#### 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, JULY 14, 1910.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN RYER AVENUE, BETWEEN BURNSIDE AVENUE AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, AND IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN RYER AVENUE AND ANTHONY AVENUE.

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

- Item 1, 435 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer.
- Item 2, 41 spurs over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
- Item 3, 4 manholes, complete.
- Item 4, 2 receiving basins, complete.
- Item 5, 145 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- Item 6, 5 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
- Item 7, 7,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.
- Item 8, 25 linear feet of drain pipe.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be forty-five (45) working days. The amount of security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN BOSTON ROAD AND WEST FARMS ROAD, AND IN HOE AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET.

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

- Item 1, 442 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
- Item 2, 1,835 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
- Item 3, 229 spurs over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
- Item 4, 24 manholes, complete.
- Item 5, 7 receiving basins, complete.
- Item 6, 3,370 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- Item 7, 10 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
- Item 8, 5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.
- Item 9, 25 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN DRAINAGE STREET, SOUTH OF BOSCOBEL PLACE, BETWEEN UNDERCLIFF AVENUE AND AQUEDUCT AVENUE; IN AQUEDUCT AVENUE, BETWEEN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET AND OGDEN AVENUE; IN OGDEN AVENUE, BETWEEN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH AVENUE AND AQUEDUCT AVENUE; IN LIND AVENUE, BETWEEN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET AND SUMMIT SOUTHERLY THEREFROM; IN AQUEDUCT AVENUE (EAST SIDE), BETWEEN BOSCOBEL AVENUE AND FEATHERBED LANE; IN UNDERCLIFF AVENUE, FROM EXISTING SEWER SOUTH OF BOSCOBEL PLACE TO BOSCOBEL PLACE; AND IN BOSCOBEL AVENUE AND AQUEDUCT AVENUE.

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

- Item 1, 91 linear feet of 18-inch cast iron pipe sewer.
- Item 2, 190 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
- Item 3, 1,000 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
- Item 4, 4,370 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
- Item 5, 488 spurs.
- Item 6, 61 manholes.
- Item 7, 13 receiving basins.
- Item 8, 5,960 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- Item 9, 15 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
- Item 10, 30,000 feet (B. M.) of timber.
- Item 11, 100 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be three hundred (300) working days.

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

No. 5. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CONCORD AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

- Item 1, 3,325 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.
- Item 2, 541 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.
- Item 3, 400 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.
- Item 4, 1,350 linear feet of old curbstone, re-jointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.

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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, JULY 14, 1910.

FOR COMPLETING THE CONTRACT WHICH WAS EXECUTED BY THE WAKEFIELD CONSTRUCTION COMPANY ON OCTOBER 16, 1909, AND DECLARED ABANDONED ON MAY 16, 1910, FOR CONSTRUCTING AN OUTLET SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WHITE PLAINS ROAD, BETWEEN EAST RIVER AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET; IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN WHITE PLAINS ROAD AND AVENUE B; IN AVENUE B, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET AND LA-FAYETTE AVENUE (EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET), AND IN LA-FAYETTE AVENUE (EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET), BETWEEN AVENUE B AND AVENUE A. The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

- 18 linear feet of pipe sewer, 30-inch.
- 192 linear feet of pipe sewer, 24-inch.
- 237 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
- 92 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
- 435 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
- 1,340 spurs for house connections.
- 103 manholes, complete.
- 108,000 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.
- 35 cubic yards of brick masonry.
- 32,500 cubic yards of Class "A" concrete.
- 6,500 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
- 4,500 cubic yards of Class "D" concrete.
- 5,200 cubic yards of broken stone.
- 882,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for foundations and sheeting left in place.
- 100,400 linear feet of piles.
- 3,050,000 pounds of steel bars, for reinforcing concrete (3/8-inch to 1 1/4-inch).
- 261,000 pounds of structural steel.
- 6,000 square feet of wire netting, 2-inch by 2-inch mesh, No. 14 gauge.
- 1,000 linear feet of 12-inch to 24-inch drain pipe.
- 3,400 linear feet of 6-inch pipe, as risers for house connections, including the surrounding and supporting Class "C" concrete.
- 330 linear feet of wrought iron fence.
- 90 square yards of vitrified brick pavement.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be six hundred (600) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000).

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.

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#### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, JULY 12, 1910.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY SANITARY SEWER WITH THE NECESSARY APPURTENANCES IN TODT HILL ROAD, FROM RICHMOND TURNPIKE TO SCHMIDTS LANE, AND IN HOUSMAN AVENUE, FROM TODT HILL ROAD TO A POINT ABOUT THIRTEEN HUNDRED AND TEN (1,310) FEET EASTERLY THEREFROM, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

- 1,165 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of eight (8) inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work;
- 1,732 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of six (6) inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work;
- 12 manholes, complete, as per section on plan of the work;
- 2 flush tanks with five (5) inch Miller siphons, set complete, as per section on plan of the work;
- 1,000 feet (B. M.) of foundation timber and planking in place and secured;
- 2,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting, retained;
- 10 cubic yards of concrete in place;
- 1 cubic yard of brick masonry;
- 20 cubic yards of additional excavation;
- 10 cubic yards of additional filling;
- 900 square yards of macadam pavement, to be replaced;
- 6 square yards of block pavement on sand foundation, to be replaced.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy (70) days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY COMBINED SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN HOPE AVENUE, FROM NEW YORK AVENUE TO THE S. I. R. T. RAILROAD TRACKS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

- 1,110 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of fifteen (15) inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work;
- 1 receiving basin of the circular pattern, with one and one-quarter (1 1/4) inch galvanized wrought iron bars and iron traps, all complete, as shown on plan on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, and connected with the sewer;
- 1 reinforced concrete receiving basin, with one and one-quarter (1 1/4) inch galvanized wrought iron bars and iron traps, all complete, as shown on plans on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, and connected with the sewer;
- 5 manholes, complete, as per section on plan of the work;
- 2,000 feet (B. M.) of foundation timber and planking, in place and secured;
- 6,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting, retained;
- 5 cubic yards of concrete, in place;



1 cubic yard of brick masonry; 10 cubic yards of additional excavation; 10 cubic yards of additional filling; 100 pounds of additional reinforcing metal, equal and similar to No. 4 or 10 expanded metal, furnished and placed; 30 linear feet of new 5-inch by 16-inch curb, furnished and set in concrete; 10 linear feet of additional twelve (12) inch vitrified culvert pipe, furnished and placed, complete; 459 square yards of macadam pavement, to be replaced; 15 square yards of pavement, on concrete foundation, to be replaced.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.  
The City of New York, June 27, 1910.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health, held June 28, 1910, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 132 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 132. Every animal which shows symptoms of rabies and every animal that has been exposed to such disease shall, by the person owning the same or having possession thereof, be at once confined in some secure place for such length of time as to determine whether such disease exists or to show that such exposure has not given such animal said disease, and so as to avoid all danger to life or health. And such person shall also forthwith notify the Department of Health thereof, and of the place where such animal is confined. Every animal which is mad or has rabies shall at once be killed by the owner or person having possession thereof, or by the Department of Health, and the body of any animal that has died of such disease, or being suspected of such disease, has been killed, shall be at once surrendered to the Department of Health to be by it disposed of.

Should a dog bite any person it shall be the duty of the owner or person having the same in his possession or under his control, to at once notify said Department thereof, and surrender said dog to said Department for inspection and observation; and such dog shall be returned to the person from whom the same shall have been received if found not rabid or vicious, and if found to be rabid or vicious to such an extent as to be unsafe to be at large, it shall be destroyed by said Department.

When the police or other person or authorities destroy a dog for any of the causes herein mentioned, it shall be his or their duty to immediately notify the said Department thereof and of the location of its body, so that the same may be obtained by the said Department; and it shall be unlawful to remove any such dog or the body of any such animal heretofore mentioned except as herein provided.

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.  
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AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health, held June 28, 1910, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 181 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 181. No person shall cause, suffer or allow dense smoke to be discharged from any building, vessel, stationary or locomotive engine or motor vehicle, place or premises within The City of New York, or upon the waters adjacent thereto within the jurisdiction of said City. All persons participating in any violation of this provision, either as proprietors, owners, tenants, managers, superintendents, captains, engineers, firemen or motor vehicle operators or otherwise, shall be severally liable therefor.

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.  
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AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health, held June 28, 1910, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 97 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 97. Every owner, lessee, tenant or occupant of any stall, stable or apartment in the built up portions of The City of New York, in which any horse, cattle or other animal shall be kept, or of any place in which manure, stable refuse or any liquid discharge of such animals shall collect or accumulate, shall cause such manure, stable refuse or liquid to be promptly and properly removed therefrom, and shall at all times keep or cause to be kept such stalls, stables or apartments, and the drains, yards and appurtenances thereof, in a clean and sanitary condition, so that no offensive odors shall be allowed to escape therefrom. Every such stable, and the yards and appurtenances thereof, shall be connected with the sewer in the street in front thereof. It shall be the duty of every such owner, lessee, tenant or occupant to cause all manure and stable refuse to be removed daily from such stable or stable premises, unless the same are pressed in bales, barrels or boxes, and adequately screened or otherwise protected or covered so that flies cannot have access thereto, as hereinafter provided. It shall not be lawful to remove manure and stable refuse in carts or wagons, or to cart the same within the City without a permit from the Board of Health, and such carts and wagons shall be of a construction approved by said Board and every such cart or wagon must have a permit from the Board, and be used in accordance with the terms of such permit, and not otherwise. Manure carts and wagons shall be loaded within the stable premises and not upon the street or sidewalk, and the manure and stable refuse shall be removed from such premises in a manner not in any way offensive or so as to cause any nuisance. All manure and stable refuse, when transported through the streets, must be covered and secured so that no part of the same will fall upon the street, and so as to prevent the escape of offensive odors, and the same shall not be unloaded or deposited within the City limits, except upon

the conditions of a permit from the Board of Health, and at such docks and places as shall be approved by the Board, and to which a permit in writing for such use shall have previously been granted by said Board. No manure or stable refuse shall be thrown upon or allowed to fall or remain upon any street or sidewalk, or upon any ground near any stable. No manure vault shall be built or used on any premises within the built up portions of The City of New York.

Every owner, lessee, tenant and occupant of any stall, stable or apartment in the built up portions of The City of New York, in which any horse, cattle or other animals shall be kept, and from which the manure and stable refuse are not removed daily, as hereinafter provided, shall cause the same at least twice in each day to be pressed in bales, barrels or boxes, and adequately screened or otherwise protected or covered so that flies cannot have access thereto, and so pressed as to reduce the same to not more than one-third of the original bulk. Manure and stable refuse pressed in bales, barrels or boxes shall be removed to such docks or places as shall be approved by the Board of Health, and to which a permit for such use shall have previously been granted by said Board, and such bales, barrels and boxes shall not be opened until delivered at such docks or places.

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.  
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## BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

CONTRACT 83.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, seventh floor, No. 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1910.

For Contract 83—FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING TELEPHONE POLES AND APPURTENANCES AT VARIOUS LOCALITIES ALONG THE LINE OF CATSKILL AQUEDUCT, IN ULSTER, ORANGE AND WESTCHESTER COUNTIES, N. Y.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited 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 Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is ninety (90) days from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications and contract drawing can be obtained at the above address, 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. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;  
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,  
CHARLES A. SHAW,  
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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CONTRACT 98.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, seventh floor, No. 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1910.

For Contract 98—FOR MAKING TEST-BORINGS EXPECTED TO REQUIRE CASING DEEPER THAN 200 FEET OR TO ATTAIN A TOTAL DEPTH GREATER THAN 500 FEET, AGGREGATING ABOUT 10,000 LINEAR FEET, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various classes of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited 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 Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is until December 31, 1910.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, etc., can be obtained at the above address, 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. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;  
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,  
CHARLES A. SHAW,  
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Board of Assessors of The City of New York that on August 9, 1910, at 11 a. m., at their office, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, they will meet to make the annual apportionment and assessment required for local improvements in the former Town of Gravesend, County of Kings, under the provisions of chapter 118 of the Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 171 of the Laws of 1893, at which time and place all parties interested in the lands to be affected by any such apportionment and assessment shall be entitled to be heard before said Board upon the questions of such apportionment and assessment. The pro-

posed apportionment and assessment are now open for inspection.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND,  
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.  
THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, July 2, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Board of Assessors of The City of New York that on July 19, 1910, at 11 a. m., at their office, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, they will meet at said place to make the annual apportionment and assessment required under chapter 582 of Laws of 1893, affecting local improvements in the former Town of New Utrecht, County of Kings. The proposed apportionment and assessments are now open for inspection.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND,  
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.  
THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, July 2, 1910.

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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.

586. Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging Grand st., as extended from Hooper st. to Bridge plaza.

The area of assessment extends from Havemeyer st. to English Kills and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

825. Sewer in 44th st., from Fort Hamilton ave. to 14th ave.

Affecting property bounded by 44th st., 41st st., 14th ave. and New Utrecht ave.

844. Sewers in Morgan ave., between Meeker ave. and Benton st.; in Beadel st., between Morgan and Vandervoort aves.; in Vandervoort ave., between Beadel and Benton aves.; in Benton st., between Vandervoort and Morgan aves.; and basins in Morgan ave., at the northwest corner of Bullion st., southwest corner of Sharon st., northwest and southwest corners of Ten Eyck st., and northwest and southwest corners of Meadow st.

Affecting property bounded by Gardner ave., Meeker ave., Kingsland ave. and Bullion st.; south side of Sharon st., from Olive st. to Morgan ave.; and property bounded by Stagg st., Morgan ave., Ten Eyck st. and Waterbury st.

1148. Paving Grand st. as extended between Hooper st. and Bridge plaza.

The area of assessment is the same as in List No. 586.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before August 2, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,  
WM. C. ORMOND,  
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,  
Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.  
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, June 30, 1910.

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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 The Bronx.

967. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, paving, etc., West Farms road, from the Bronx River to the easterly side of Morris Park ave., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

985. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, paving, etc., E. 176th st., from West Farms road to Boston road, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

1179. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, etc., Morris ave., from Field place to Fordham road.

1182. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, etc., in 170th st., from Aqueduct ave. to Wythe place, except that section between Jerome ave. and Cromwell ave., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

1202. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, etc., in E. 175th st., from Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Anthony ave., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

1223. Paving and curbing E. 189th st., from Fordham road to Southern boulevard.

1273. Paving and curbing E. 184th st., from Webster ave. to 3d ave.

The area of assessment of the above lists extends to one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

1309. Sewer in Jerome ave., between E. 208th st. and the summit north of Gun Hill road.

The area of assessment extends about 318 feet north of Gun Hill road.

## Borough of Queens.

1052. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving 10th st., from Jackson ave. to Van Alst ave., First Ward.

The area of assessment extends to the extent of half the block at intersecting streets.

1218. Sewer in Freeman ave., from the East River to Van Alst ave., First Ward.

The area of assessment extends north to Webster ave. and south to Noble st.

1317. Sewer in Thaca st. (4th s.), from Baxter ave. to Orchard ave., and in Pettit place (Newtown ave.), from 4th st. to Broadway, Second Ward.

Affecting the property described above.

1318. Sewers in Maurice ave. (Cook ave.), from Broadway to Chicago ave.; in Corona ave. (Union ave.), from Broadway to Parcell st. (Main st.); in Parcell st., from Corona ave. to Chicago ave.; in Chicago ave., from Parcell st. to Maurice ave., Second Ward.

Affecting the property described above.

1319. Flagging 41st st. (Evergreen ave.), from 11th ave. (Prometeha ave.) to Park ave. (Newtown and Flushing roads), Second Ward.

Affecting the property described above.

## Borough of Richmond.

1265. Regulating, grading, paving, etc., Stone st., from Richmond road to St. Pauls ave., Second Ward.

The area of assessment extends to half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320

Broadway, New York, on or before August 2, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,  
WM. C. ORMOND,  
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,  
Board of Assessors.  
THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.  
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, June 30, 1910.

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JULY 18, 1910,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 15, 3D AVE., CORNER OF STATE ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No. 2. FOR REPAIRS, ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 16 AND 58, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be forty (40) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 16, \$1,000; P. S. 58, \$1,000.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 3. FOR METAL CEILINGS, PAINTING, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 17 ANNEX, 19 ANNEX, 43, 50, 55, 68, 75, 86, 88, 106, 113 AND 117, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 17 Annex, \$200; P. S. 19 Annex, \$100; P. S. 43, \$200; P. S. 50, \$200; P. S. 55, \$600; P. S. 68, \$300; P. S. 75, \$200; P. S. 86, \$200; P. S. 88, \$200; P. S. 106, \$600; P. S. 113, \$300; P. S. 117, \$200.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 4. FOR METAL CEILINGS, PAINTING, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 25, 65, 70, 72, 76, 108, 109 AND ERASMUS HALL HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 25, \$300; P. S. 65, \$300; P. S. 70, \$400; P. S. 72, \$800; P. S. 76, \$400; P. S. 108, \$500; P. S. 109, \$300; E. H. S., \$500.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

No. 5. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUPILS' CLOSET BUILDINGS AND IMPROVING THE SANITARY CONDITIONS AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 72, ON THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF SCHENCK AVE. AND NEW LOTS ROAD, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

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

No. 6. FOR REPAIRS, ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 108, LINWOOD ST. AND ARLINGTON AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is \$2,500.

No. 7. FOR THE ERECTION OF PARTITIONS FORMING CLASSROOMS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 125, BLAKE, ROCKAWAY AND THATFORD AVES., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

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

On Nos. 1, 5, 6 and 7 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Nos. 2, 3 and 4 the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston st., Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Dated July 6, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JULY 18, 1910.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 8. FOR REPAIRS, ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 2, 3D AVE. AND 169TH ST., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL 157, ST. NICHOLAS AVE. AND 127TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be as follows: Public School 2, forty (40) working days; Public School 157, seventy (70) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Public School 2, Six Hundred Dollars (\$600); Public School 157, Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

A separate bid must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

No. 9. FOR NEW WATER MAIN, ELECTRIC PUMP, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 62, ON HESTER, ESSEX AND NORFOLK STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty (40) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

No. 10. FOR FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 90, ON 147TH AND 148TH STS.,



ABOUT 350 FEET WEST OF 7TH AVE.,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

No. 11. FOR REPAIRS, ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 147, HENRY, ORCHARD AND GOUVERNEUR STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$2,800).

#### Borough of Queens.

No. 12. FOR REPAIRS TO HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 34, SPRINGFIELD ROAD AND HOLLS AVENUE, QUEENS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be until September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

On Nos. 9, 10, 11, and 12 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On No. 8 the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective Boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated July 7, 1910.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., 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 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JULY 11, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE (3) WAGON SCALES TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is forty (40) consecutive working 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, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES,

Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated June 29, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JULY 11, 1910.

Borough of Brooklyn.  
No. 1. FOR METAL CEILINGS, PAINTING, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 10, 29, 32, 39, 40, 58, 60, 77, 102 AND 118, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 2, \$400; P. S. 10, \$600; P. S. 29, \$100; P. S. 32, \$300; P. S. 39, \$400; P. S. 40, \$400; P. S. 58, \$100; P. S. 60, \$400; P. S. 77, \$500; P. S. 102, \$200; P. S. 118, \$400.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated June 28, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JULY 11, 1910.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING ONE PORTABLE SCHOOL HOUSE ON THE PREMISES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 14, EASTERN BOULEVARD, THROGGS NECK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be fifty (50) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

#### Borough of Manhattan.

No. 3. ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 2, 10, 13, 21, 53, 64, 103, 119, 147, 171, 184, AND IN STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL AND WADLEIGH HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be until September 1, 1910, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security is as follows: P. S. 1, \$600; P. S. 2, \$300; P. S. 10, \$200; P. S. 13, \$200; P. S. 21, \$400; P. S. 53, \$900; P. S. 64, \$1,400; P. S. 103, \$200; P. S. 119, \$300; P. S. 147, \$200; P. S. 171, \$300; P. S. 184, \$200; P. S. H. S., \$1,600; W. H. S., \$300.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

#### Borough of Queens.

No. 4. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF PORTABLE SCHOOL BUILDING, NORTHEAST CORNER OF SEMINOLE AVENUE AND EUCLID STREET, FOREST HILLS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

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

No. 5. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 7, ON SOUTHERLY SIDE OF VAN ALST AVENUE, ABOUT 106 FEET EAST OF FLUSHING AVENUE, ASTORIA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred (300) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$80,000).

No. 6. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT OLD PUBLIC SCHOOL 16, USED AS AN ANNEX TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 17, SYCAMORE AVENUE AND LAKE STREET, CORONA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

No. 7. FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, AND ITEM 2, INSTALLING TEMPERATURE REGULATION IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 77, ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF COVERT AVENUE, BETWEEN CENTRE AND GEORGE STREETS, RIDGEWOOD PARK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each item will be two hundred (200) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$24,000; Item 2, \$2,000.

A separate bid shall be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

#### Borough of Richmond.

No. 8. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF PORTABLE BUILDING AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 17, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF LINDEN STREET, ABOUT 340 FEET SOUTH OF PROSPECT AVENUE, NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200).

On Nos. 2, 4, 5, 6 and 8 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Nos. 3 and 7 the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch offices, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, and Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective Boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated June 29, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 o'clock on

MONDAY, JULY 11, 1910.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 9. FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 101, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET, ABOUT 43 FEET WEST OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO E. J. DUGGAN, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The work in question is for the completion of said abandoned contract.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the printed addenda which is inserted in the printed specifications.

The quantities of work to be done and the materials to be furnished are the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate, and must examine the printed addenda attached to the contract and specifications.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, original plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated June 29, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 p. m. on

FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 102,350 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS, AND 685 CORDS OF WOOD, MORE OR LESS, FOR USE IN THE SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND FOR THE SEVERAL OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS THEREOF.

The time for the delivery of the said coal, wood and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before April 30, 1911.

The amount of the 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 ton and per cord, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will be required to specify the mine or mines from which they propose to supply the coal called for.

Separate bids must be submitted for each district and each Borough, and separately for coal and wood.

Contracts will be awarded to the lowest bidder. The Board of Education reserves the right to award contracts by districts or by Boroughs, if deemed for the best interests of the City.

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 June 27, 1910.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1904, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1910.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BROOK, CHATERTON, GRAND, KINGSBRIDGE, PARK, SPOFFORD, TOWNSEND AND VYSE AVES.; IN BARTHOLOMEW, BRYANT, CANAL (WEST), ST. MARYS, 166TH, 167TH, 213TH, 216TH, 222D, 230TH AND 231ST STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred and twenty (120) working days.

The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

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 particularly cautioned that a provision in the contract requires the maintenance of the pipes, joints, valves, etc., in good condition for the period of One Year from the final completion and acceptance of the work.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, 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, may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1904, No. 21 Park row, New York City, where the plans, which are made a part of the specifications, may also be seen. Any further information may be obtained from the Chief Engineer, Room 2007.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Dated New York, June 29, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1904, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1910.

All Boroughs.

9. For Furnishing and Delivering Cordage, Rope, etc. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

10. For Furnishing and Delivering Miscellaneous Supplies. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid.

11. For Furnishing and Delivering Chemicals and Disinfectants. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid.

12. For Furnishing and Delivering Lamps. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25).

13. For Furnishing and Delivering Pails. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be Fifty Dollars (\$50).

14. For Furnishing and Delivering Boiler Tubes. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

15. For Furnishing and Delivering Metals. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25).

16. For Furnishing and Delivering Canvas, Flags, etc. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days. The amount of security will be Ten Dollars (\$10).

17. For Furnishing and Delivering Cotton Waste. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) calendar days. The amount of security will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

18. For Furnishing and Delivering Repair Wagons. The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) calendar days. The amount of security will be Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

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 work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto, except number ten, in which case the awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Bidders are requested to make their bid or estimate upon the blank form prepared by the

Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be obtained upon application at the office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Room 1904.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The City of New York, June 27, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1904, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1910.

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, STORING AND TRIMMING COAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until October 31, 1910.

The amount of security will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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 contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the seven (7) stations.

Bidders are referred to the specifications for description of the coal required and the details in regard to deliveries.

Bidders are requested to make their bid or estimate upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be obtained upon application at the office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

City of New York, June 24, 1910.

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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, February 7, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1910, UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE,

for the position of

PATROLMAN, POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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..... 5

Localities..... 1

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 the day of filing, or who are more than thirty (30) years of age.

Applicants will be required to submit with their applications a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, showing the date of birth, or, in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized.



The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before two hundred (200) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.  
Dated June 25, 1910.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

### AUCTION SALE.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC CHARITIES will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at office of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, on

**MONDAY, JULY 11, 1910,**

at 11 a. m., the gasoline launch "Osprey," 32 feet long, 7 feet beam, covered, including the following contents:

14 H. P. Stamford motor; Joe's reverse gear, shaft and propeller, two wheels and bronze cable; Patterson's wireless battery case, Splitdorf switch; lubricating oil tank, connected with stop cock; one primary coil; one Yankee whistle outfit, with 24-gallon air tank; one pair of oars; one ladder.

The launch and contents to be sold "as are."

### TERMS OF SALE.

The successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the amount of his bid at the time and place of sale, and the balance of his bid upon the delivery of the launch. All payments must be in cash in bankable funds. The launch and all its contents are to be removed within ten days from the date of the sale.

If the purchaser fails to remove the launch, including the contents, within such period, he shall forfeit all moneys paid on account of his bid, and also all right to the ownership of the launch.

The City further reserves the right to sell over again the launch, including the contents, in case of non-removal within such period, and the money received at said sale is to become the property of the City.

The launch can be examined at East Twenty-sixth street dock by intending bidders on any week day before the day of sale.

New York, June 28, 1910.  
MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.  
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## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 28, 1910.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the one hundred and nineteenth public auction sale, consisting of condemned Police Department horses, will be held at Nos. 153 and 155 E. 32d st., Manhattan, on

**FRIDAY, JULY 15, 1910,**

at 11 a. m.  
Lot No. 1, horse Sergeant, No. 220; Lot No. 2, horse Tim, No. 627; Lot No. 3, horse Dexter, No. 172; Lot No. 4, horse Sanders, No. 211; Lot No. 5, horse Hogan, No. 420; Lot No. 6, horse Art, No. 571; Lot No. 7, horse Lockett, No. 161.

Terms, strictly cash. No checks accepted. Horses not warranted. Horses must be removed at once.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.  
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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 25, 1910.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Fourteenth Public Auction Sale, consisting of Unclaimed Property (watches, chains, charms, rings, pins, silverware, clothing, iron, brass, copper, lead, razors, knives, lumber, push-carts, music box, bicycles, auto lamps, ice box, dress suit cases, hand bags, pocket books, etc.), will be held in the Trial Room, at Police Headquarters, No. 269 State st., Brooklyn, on

**TUESDAY, JULY 12, 1910,**

at 10 a. m.  
WM. F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.  
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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's Office, Headquarters of the Police Department, No. 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

**THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1910,**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED IN MAKING REPAIRS TO WINDOW AWNINGS, AND FOR FURNISHING NEW WINDOW AWNINGS AND SHADES AT THE 2D, 3TH, 6TH, 7TH, 8TH, 9TH, 10TH, 12TH, 13TH, 14TH, 15TH, 16TH, 17TH, 21ST, 23D, 25TH, 26TH, 28TH, 29TH, 31ST, 35TH, 36TH, 39TH, 40TH AND 43D PRECINCTS, AND BRIDGE PRECINCT "D," AND THE 1ST BRANCH DETECTIVE BUREAU, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; AND THE 63D, 65TH, 66TH, 74TH, 75TH PRECINCTS AND DETECTIVE BUREAU, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, AND THE 143D, 144TH, 146TH, 147TH, 148TH, 149TH, 150TH, 151ST, 152D, 153D, 154TH, 155TH, 157TH, 158TH, 159TH, 160TH, 161ST, 162D, 163D, 167TH, 169TH, 171ST, 172D AND TRAFFIC "D" PRECINCTS, AND BOROUGH HEADQUARTERS BUILDING IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AND THE 276TH AND 279TH PRECINCTS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for making repairs and alterations and completing the work will be thirty (30) days.

The security required will be fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bids will be compared on each contract and award made to the lowest bidder for each precinct.

Bidders are particularly requested to examine the plans, specifications and location of the work before bidding, and they are expressly notified that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless the same has been previously authorized by a written permission therefor obtained from the Police Commissioner.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work, and provide, furnish and

deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contracts and specifications.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, No. 240 Centre street, Borough of Manhattan.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, 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 Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, No. 240 Centre street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Commissioner.  
The City of New York, June 30, 1910.  
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**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

## POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

**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.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

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

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE 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.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

## SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

### FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the westerly side of HAMILTON PLACE, between 140th and 141st sts., in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** Charles L. Hoffman, Henry Kropf and George William Clune, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, appointed by an order of the Supreme Court in the above entitled proceeding, filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 1st day of July, 1910, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court sitting at Special Term, Part II, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 19th day of July, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to be examined by any person interested in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, July 7, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, 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 for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THIRD AVENUE, as widened on its easterly side, between Washington ave. and a point north of and near Lorillard place, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PER-** sons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 27th day of July, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 28th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 27th day of July, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 29th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 10th day of April, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the east by a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of 3d ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of 3d ave.; on the north by a line at right angles to Washington ave. at a point where the southeasterly line of Washington ave. is intersected by the easterly line of 3d ave.; on the west by the easterly line of 3d ave., and on the southeast by the northwesterly line of Lorillard place.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment 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 July, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards, and as to assessments for benefit 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 4th day of October, 1910, at the opening of the court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, 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, June 30, 1910.

EDWARD D. DOWLING, Chairman; ANDREW J. CARSON, MICHAEL J. CAVANAGH, Commissioners of Estimate.

EDWARD D. DOWLING, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.  
jy7,25

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of JEROME AVENUE, on its easterly side (although not yet named by proper authority), from Cameron pl. to E. 184th st., in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of 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 I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of July, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have 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, July 5, 1910.

JAMES A. DONNELLY, MICHAEL B. FITZPATRICK, WILLIAM SEXTON, Commissioners of Estimate.

MICHAEL B. FITZPATRICK, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.  
jy6,12

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of RIVERSIDE DRIVE, on the easterly side, from W. 158th st. to W. 165th st., in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSION-** ers 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 of assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 22d day of July, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of July, 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate of assessment, together with our 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 25th day of July, 1910.

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

On the west by the Hudson River; on the north by the southerly side of Dyckman st.; on the east by the westerly side of Broadway; and on the south by the northerly side of W. 135th st.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final last partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of September, 1910, at the opening of the court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final last partial and separate 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, June 30, 1910.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX, Chairman; PATRICK J. CONWAY, LAWRENCE KELLY, Commissioners.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by AVENUE A AND FIRST AVENUE, FIFTY-NINTH AND SIXTIETH STREETS, and in the block bounded by FIRST AND SECOND AVENUES, FIFTY-NINTH AND SIXTIETH STREETS, in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected for bridge purposes, according to law.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY** an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 27th day of June, 1910, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 28th day of June, 1910, Joseph R. Truesdale was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Thomas S. Scott, deceased.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that the said Joseph R. Truesdale will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as such Commissioner of Estimate and Appraisal in said proceeding.

Dated New York, July 1, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
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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, for the same purposes in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FAIR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Garrison ave. to a point about 183 feet north of Whitlock ave., 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 15th day of July, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 1, 1910.

MICHAEL J. EGAN, STANISLAUS J. VANECEK, ANTHONY J. OLIVER, Commissioners of Estimate.  
MICHAEL J. EGAN, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, 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 for the same purposes in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THE SECOND NEW STREET NORTH OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Broadway West to Overlook terrace, and THE THIRD NEW STREET NORTH OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, between Broadway and Overlook terrace, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 1, 1910.

JAMES D. McCLELLAND, WM. MOORES, JOHN A. WREDE, Commissioners of Estimate.  
JOHN A. WREDE, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for an easement for sewer purposes in a parcel of land located south of West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and extending from Haven avenue to Riverside drive, in the 12th Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY OR-** ders of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 14th day of June, 1910, and on the 29th day of June, 1910, Jay Coogan, Jr., Cornelius J. Sullivan and Charles P. Dillon were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that the said Jay Coogan, Jr., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Jay Coogan, Jr., Cornelius J. Sullivan and Charles P. Dillon will attend at a Special Term of said court to be held at Part II thereof, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any person having any interest there-



in as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above entitled proceeding.  
Dated New York, July 1, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
jyl,15

## 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 opening and extending of VAN CORTLANDT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Van Cortlandt Park South, in the 24th 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 15th day of July, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 1, 1910.

WILLIAM P. CURLEY,  
RICHARD M. BACKUS,  
JAMES E. McDONNELL,  
Commissioners of Estimate.  
JAMES E. McDONNELL,  
Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

jyl,13

## 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 opening and extending of HULL AVENUE, PERRY AVENUE AND NORWOOD (DECATUR) AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Moshulu Parkway North and Woodlawn road, across the lands of the former Jerome Park Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad, now the property of the New York City Railway Company, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by order bearing date the 8th day of December, 1908, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 17th day of December, 1908, by excluding Perry ave. therefrom, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 8th day of May, 1908.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of 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 I, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 8th day of July, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, and that the said final reports have 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, July 1, 1910.

JAMES F. DONNELLY,  
RODERICK J. KENNEDY,  
FREDERICK J. SCHMALZLEIN,  
Commissioners of Estimate.  
RODERICK J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, 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 for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Spuyten Duyvil parkway to Riverdale ave.; CAMBRIDGE AVENUE, from W. 235th st. to W. 236th st.; and WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from Cambridge ave. to Riverdale ave., 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 I, 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 15th day of July, 1910, 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 in fee by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of W. 235th st., from Spuyten Duyvil parkway to Riverdale ave.; Cambridge ave., from W. 235th st. to W. 236th st.; and W. 236th st., from Cambridge ave. to Riverdale ave., in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street.  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Riverdale ave. (as legally acquired July 2, 1866), distant 1,387.82 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway;

1. Thence southerly along the western line of Riverdale ave. (as legally acquired July 2, 1866), for 30 feet;

2. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 33 minutes 3 seconds to the right for 200.01 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 33 minutes 3 seconds to the left for 15 feet;

4. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 33 minutes 3 seconds to the right for 1,276.44 feet to the eastern line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway;

5. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 2,126 feet radius for 65.79 feet, along the eastern line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway;

6. Thence easterly for 1,249.92 feet on a line deflecting 23 degrees 19 minutes 45 seconds to the left from the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity;

7. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 26 minutes 57 seconds to the right for 15 feet;

8. Thence easterly for 200.01 feet to the point of beginning.

West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth Street.  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Riverdale ave. (as legally acquired July 2, 1866), distant 845.16 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway;

1. Thence southerly along the western line of Riverdale ave. (as legally acquired July 2, 1866), for 62.13 feet;

2. Thence southwesterly deflecting 74 degrees 57 minutes 35 seconds to the right for 225.76 feet;

3. Thence easterly deflecting 32 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 20.18 feet;

4. Thence northerly deflecting 92 degrees 37 minutes 27 seconds to the right for 60.06 feet;

5. Thence northeasterly for 224.45 feet to the point of beginning.

Cambridge Avenue.  
Beginning at a point in the southern line of W. 236th st., as being legally acquired herewith, distant 177.11 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Riverdale ave., as legally acquired July 2, 1866;

1. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of W. 236th st., as being acquired herewith for 48.65 feet;

2. Thence westerly deflecting 32 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds to the right still along same line for 20.18 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 87 degrees 22 minutes 33 seconds to the left for 328.75 feet;

4. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees 26 minutes 57 seconds to the left for 60 feet;

5. Thence northerly for 357.12 feet to the point of beginning.

W. 235th st. and Cambridge ave., are shown on Section 22 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 November 17, 1895; in the office of the Register of the County of New York, on November 18, 1895, as Map No. 1062, and in the office of the Secretary of State of New York, on November 20, 1895.

W. 236th st. is shown on a map or plan entitled: "Map or plan showing change of street system and the grades within the area bounded by Spuyten Duyvil parkway, Riverdale ave. and W. 235th st., 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 December 14, 1909, in the office of the Register of the County of New York, on December 13, 1909, as Map No. 1385; 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 135.

Land taken for W. 235th st., W. 236th st. and Cambridge ave., is located in Blocks 3409 and 3416 of Section 13 of the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 5th day of June, 1908, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of W. 232d st. and W. 235th st., as laid out between Arlington ave. and Nederland ave., distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Riverdale ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Riverdale ave., and running thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line that is always distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway; thence northeastwardly along the said line parallel with Spuyten Duyvil parkway to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of W. 235th st. and W. 236th st., as laid out between Nederland ave. and Johnson ave.; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Oxford ave. and Cambridge ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Oxford ave. and Cambridge ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between W. 236th st. and W. 238th st., as the said streets are laid out easterly from Fieldston road; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between W. 236th st. and W. 238th st., and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fieldston road; thence southwardly and parallel with Fieldston road and Riverdale ave. to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, July 1, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
jyl,15

## 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 opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET, from Woodlawn road to Perry ave., and of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, from Jerome ave. to Woodlawn 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 I, 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 15th day of July, 1910, 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 in fee by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of E. 211th st., from Woodlawn road to Perry ave., and of E. 212th st., from Jerome ave. to Woodlawn road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land:

## East Two Hundred and Eleventh Street.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Woodlawn road distant 336.18 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Gun Hill road;

1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Woodlawn road for 60.62 feet;

2. Thence easterly deflecting 88 degrees 35 minutes 4 seconds to the right for 958.14 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 79 degrees 46 minutes 58 seconds to the right for 570.95 feet;

4. Thence easterly deflecting 100 degrees 5 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 143.33 feet to the western line of Perry ave.;

5. Thence southerly along last mentioned line for 64.32 feet;

6. Thence westerly deflecting 68 degrees 53 minutes 18 seconds to the right for 191.79 feet;

7. Thence northerly deflecting 100 degrees 5 minutes 52 seconds to the right for 592.43 feet;

8. Thence westerly for 909.47 feet to the point of beginning.

## East Two Hundred and Twelfth Street.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Woodlawn road distant 197.87 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Gun Hill road;

1. Thence northerly curving on the arc of a circle of 2,720 feet radius along the western line of Woodlawn road for 63.96 feet;

2. Thence westerly for 607.38 feet, to the western line of Jerome avenue, on a line deflecting 20 degrees 54 minutes 31 seconds to the right from the radius of the preceding course drawn from its northern extremity;

3. Thence southwesterly along last mentioned line for 60 feet;

4. Thence easterly for 629.50 feet to the point of beginning.

E. 211th st. and E. 212th st. are 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 County of New York, on December 17, 1895, as Map No. 1065, and in the office of the Secretary of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Land taken for E. 211th st. and E. 212th st. is located in Blocks 3328, 3329, 3344, 3356 and 3361 of Section 12 of the land map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 8th day of October, 1909, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between E. 212th st. and E. 213th st., distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome ave., and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between E. 212th st. and E. 213th st., and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Woodlawn road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Woodlawn road; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Woodlawn road to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of E. 211th st., the said distance being measured at right angles to E. 211th st.; thence eastwardly, southwardly and eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly, easterly and northerly from and parallel with the northerly, easterly and northerly lines of E. 211th st., and the prolongations of the said lines to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Perry ave. and Hull ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Perry ave. and Hull ave., and along the prolongation of the said lines, to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of E. 211th st. and the northerly line of Gun Hill road as these streets are laid out between Perry ave. and Hull ave.; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of E. 211th st., as this street is laid out northerly from and adjoining Putnam ave.; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with E. 211th st., and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of E. 211th st. and the northerly line of Gun Hill road as these streets are laid out between Woodlawn road and Tryon ave.; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Rochambeau ave. and Woodlawn road; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Rochambeau ave. and Woodlawn road to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of E. 212th st. and the northerly line of Gun Hill road as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Jerome ave.; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line parallel with Jerome ave. and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Jerome ave. to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, July 1, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
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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 for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of the UNNAMED STREET adjoining Riverside drive on the east, and extending from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, at Riverside drive, to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, at Buena Vista avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I, 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 8th day of July, 1910, 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 in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging required for the opening and extending of the unnamed street adjoining Riverside drive on the east and extending from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street at Riverside drive to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street at Buena Vista avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of

New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point, the southwesterly corner of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Buena Vista avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and in a curved line radius 340 feet, distance 77.73 feet; thence still along said southerly line and tangent to the last curve, distance 135.24 feet to the easterly line of Riverside drive; thence southerly along the easterly line of Riverside drive, distance 102.67 feet; thence southerly and curving to the left radius 580 feet, distance 413.72 feet; thence southerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 707.03 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence easterly and southerly and in a curved line along said northerly line, radius 120 feet, distance 43.22 feet; thence northerly and parallel to Riverside drive, distance 722.77 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the right, radius 540 feet, distance 385.19 feet; thence northerly and tangent to last curve, distance 64.07 feet; thence easterly and deflecting to the right 87 degrees 3 minutes and 49 seconds, distance 187.53 feet, to the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue; thence northerly along said avenue and deflecting to the left 74 degrees 44 minutes and 51 seconds, distance 50.64 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be found in Section 8, Block 2177 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

And as shown on a certain map entitled "Plan and profile of a new street adjacent to and parallel with east side of Riverside drive, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and south side of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Riverside drive to Buena Vista avenue, Borough of Manhattan," filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Register of the County of New York, and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 23d day of December, 1909.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 11th day of February, 1910, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the unnamed street where it is intersected by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and running thence generally northwardly along the easterly line of the unnamed street to the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence eastwardly along the southerly line of the unnamed street to the intersection with the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue; thence southwardly along the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of the unnamed street as the street is laid out where it adjoins Buena Vista avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with the unnamed street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from its easterly side, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence generally southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the unnamed street, as this street is laid out south of the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the intersection with a line at right angles to the unnamed street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to the unnamed street to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 24, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
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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 for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WHITE PLAINS ROAD, from West Farms road to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I, 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 8th day of July, 1910, 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, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of White Plains road, from West Farms road to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

## Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street distant 319.06 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the northwesterly line of the public place at the intersection of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Westchester avenue;

1. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street for 113.98 feet;

2. Thence northerly deflecting 61 degrees 16 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 2,226.75 feet;

3. Thence northwesterly deflecting 13 degrees 49 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 364.21 feet to the southern line of West Farms road;

4. Thence easterly along the last mentioned line for 100.55 feet;

5. Thence southeasterly deflecting 84 degrees 40 seconds to the right for 365.84 feet;

6. Thence southerly for 2,293.57 feet to the point of beginning.

## Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street distant 174.93 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the northern line of Westchester avenue;

1. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street for 113.84 feet;

2. Thence southerly deflecting 118 degrees 43 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 222.11 feet to the northern line of Westchester avenue;

3. Thence easterly along the last mentioned line for 102.79 feet;

4. Thence northerly for 143.93 feet to the point of beginning.



**Parcel "C."**

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Westchester avenue distant 3,305.69 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of Westchester avenue with the northeasterly line of Clasons Point road;

1. Thence easterly along the southern line of Westchester avenue for 100.05 feet;
2. Thence southeasterly deflecting 91 degrees 46 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 3,294.46 feet;
3. Thence southerly deflecting 8 degrees 56 minutes 44 seconds to the right for 4,703.08 feet to Clasons Point road;
4. Thence westerly for 100 feet along Clasons Point road;
5. Thence northwesterly for 38.22 feet, still along Clasons Point road;
6. Thence easterly deflecting 105 degrees 10 minutes to the right for 10 feet;
7. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 4,658.36 feet;
8. Thence northwesterly for 3,283.54 feet to the point of beginning.

**Parcel "D."**

Beginning at a point in the southwesterly line of Clasons Point road distant 9,126.81 feet southeasterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Westchester avenue;

1. Thence southeasterly along the southwesterly line of Clasons Point road for 145.24 feet;
2. Thence southerly deflecting 43 degrees 30 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 1,443.03 feet;
3. Thence northwesterly deflecting 102 degrees 6 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 102.28 feet;
4. Thence northerly for 1,326.91 feet to the point of beginning.

White Plains road is shown on a map or plan entitled "Map or plan showing the location, laying out and the grades of the streets within the area bounded by St. Lawrence avenue, Westchester avenue, Noble avenue, Bronx River avenue, the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and Catholic Protective, Pugsley 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 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. 1176, 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.

White Plains road is also shown on Sections 47, 48 and 49 of the Final Maps of the Borough of The Bronx, which maps were prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 and amendatory acts, and filed as follows:

Section 47, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on April 29, 1909; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on April 27, 1909, as Map No. 1326, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on April 27, 1909, in pigeon hole 116. Section 48, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on November 10, 1908; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on November 9, 1908, as Map No. 1301, 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 110; and Section 49, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on February 19, 1908; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on February 18, 1908, as Map No. 1241, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on February 18, 1908, in pigeon hole 93.

Land taken for White Plains road is located east of the Bronx River.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 18th day of June, 1909, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly bulkhead line of the East River where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Beach avenue, as laid out between Bronx River avenue and Lacombe avenue, and running thence northwesterly along the said line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Beach avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Beach avenue, as laid out between West Farms road and Mansion street; thence northwesterly along the said line between St. Lawrence avenue and Beach avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Melville street and Taylor street; thence northwesterly along the line midway between Melville street and Taylor street to a point distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Van Nest avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Van Nest avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with Van Nest avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Taylor street and Garfield street; thence northwesterly along the line midway between Taylor street and Garfield street to the intersection with a line midway between Morris Park avenue and Van Nest avenue as laid out between Taylor street and Garfield street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Morris Park avenue and Van Nest avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Morris Park avenue and Van Nest avenue, as laid out between White Plains road and Barnes avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Morris Park avenue and Van Nest avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Wallace avenue and Barnes avenue; thence southwesterly along the line midway between Wallace avenue and Barnes avenue to the northerly line of Baker avenue; thence southeasterly along a straight line to a point on the southerly line of West Farms road distant 1,290.2 feet westerly from the centre line of Castle Hill avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Castle Hill avenue; thence southerly and always parallel with and distant 1,290.2 feet westerly from the centre line of Castle Hill avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the northerly bulkhead line of the East River; thence westwardly and northwardly along the said bulkhead line of the East River to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 24, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

j25,jy8

**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 opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between St. Nicholas avenue and Broadway, 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 I. thereof, and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of July, 1910, 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, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (although not yet named by proper authority), between St. Nicholas avenue and Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue, distant 199.83 feet northerly from West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel to said street, distance 300 feet, to the easterly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence northerly along said line, distance 60 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course, distance 300 feet, to the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue, distant 199.83 feet northerly from West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel to said street, distance 181.89 feet, to the easterly line of Broadway; thence northerly along said line, distance 62.42 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course, distance 199.09 feet, to the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be found in Section 8, Blocks 2144 and 2145 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a certain map entitled "Map and Profile of the new street to be known as West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street, from Amsterdam Avenue to Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York," filed in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Register of The City of New York and Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 19th day of July, 1905.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 24th day of September, 1909, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Broadway midway between West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and running thence easterly along a line midway between West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of St. Nicholas avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with St. Nicholas avenue to the intersection with a line midway between West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the westerly line of Broadway; thence westwardly at right angles to Broadway a distance of 100 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Broadway to the intersection with a line at right angles to Broadway and passing through the point of beginning; thence easterly along the said line at right angles to Broadway to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 24, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

j25,jy8

**SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.****SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by MAIN STREET, IRVING PLACE, CHICAGO AVENUE and GERRY AVENUE, and adjoining Public Schools 13 and 14, Elmhurst, in the Second Ward of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of William E. Stewart, Cortlandt C. Woodburn and William A. Moller, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 26th day of May, 1910, was filed in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1910, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens 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 Second Judicial District, at Special Term, for the hearing of contested motions, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1910, 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, July 1, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

jy2,14

**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SIXTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Mitchell ave., in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, The City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of April, 1910, and entered herein on the 19th day of April, 1910, so as to relate to said 16th st., from Broadway to Mitchell ave., as shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of November, 1909.

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, Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of July, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of July, 1910, 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, Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said city, there to remain until the 26th day of July, 1910.

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

Beginning on the northerly side of Broadway at the centre line of the block between 16th and 15th sts., thence running north along the centre line of the block between 16th st. and 15th st. to the northerly side of Mitchell ave.; thence easterly along the northerly side of Mitchell ave. to the centre line of the block between 16th st. and 17th st.; thence southerly along the centre line of the block between 16th st. and 17th st. to the northerly side of Broadway; thence westerly along the northerly side of Broadway to the point or place of beginning, 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of September, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any 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, April 28, 1910.  
EDWARD L. SPEIR,  
ROBERT WILSON,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. jy2,21

**SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of a PLAZA at the MANHATTAN BRIDGE TERMINAL, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, as the same was authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on the 23d day of November, 1906, and amended by resolution dated the 21st day of December, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILLIAM Murray was appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered on the 28th day of June, 1910, a Commissioner of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Edward Riegelmann, resigned.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioner of Estimate and Appraisal will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of contested motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and at said time and place or at such other time and place as the Court may direct the said Commissioner may be examined under oath as to his qualifications to act, and will be subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 1437, chapter 20, of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, June 30, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.

j30,jy12

**SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands and premises selected by the Commissioner of Bridges for the use of MANHATTAN BRIDGE (Bridge No. 3), in the Borough of Brooklyn, as the same was authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 20th day of January, 1905.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILLIAM Murray was appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered on the 28th day of June, 1910, a Commissioner of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Edward Riegelmann, resigned.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioner of Estimate and Appraisal will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of contested motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and at said time and place or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioner may be examined under oath as to his qualifications to act, and will be subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 1437, chapter 21, of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, June 30, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.

j30,jy12

**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, to ascertain and deter-

mine the compensation which should justly be made for the closing and discontinuance of a portion of CONCORD STREET, located below the bridge storage yard, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Henry B. Ketcham, John A. Warren and Frank V. Kelly were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 28th day of June, 1910, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 13th day of July, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, June 30, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
j30,jy12

**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DEKALB AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough line to Woodward avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, duly made and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 1st day of June, 1910, so as to conform to the lines of said street as shown upon Section 15 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and approved by the Mayor on the 4th day of June, 1909.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of July, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 29, 1910.  
FRANCIS H. VAN VECHTEN, WILLIAM HALEY, Commissioners,  
JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk.

j29,jy5

**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of REMSEN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hull avenue to Grand street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, The City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, duly made and entered herein on the 16th day of May, 1910, so as to conform to the lines of said street as shown upon Section 17 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 26th day of June, 1908, and approved by the Mayor on the 5th day of August, 1908.

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, in the Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of July, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of July, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. 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, Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 20th day of July, 1910.

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

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Hull avenue, on the centre line of the block bounded by the easterly side of Remsen place and the westerly side of Hamilton place; running thence in a southerly direction along the said last mentioned centre line to the northerly side of Grand street; thence running along the said northerly side of Grand street to a point on the centre line of the block bounded by the westerly side of Remsen place and the easterly side of Willow avenue; thence running in a northerly direction along said last mentioned centre line to a point on the southerly side of Hull avenue; thence along the said southerly side of Hull avenue to the point or place of beginning, 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of September, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice 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, May 3, 1910.

JACOB D. FOSTER, Chairman;  
CHAS. W. HALLETT,  
MORRIS L. STRAUSS,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk.

j27,jy15

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ANDREWS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Mount Olivet avenue and the Long Island Railroad, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 15th day of June, 1910, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 16th day of June, 1910, John J. Trapp, Peter Meininger and Jacob N. Imandt were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and that in and by the said order John J. Trapp was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said John J. Trapp, Peter Meininger and Jacob N. Imandt will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of said Court, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in said proceeding.

Dated New York, June 24, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

j24,jy8

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NORTH WASHINGTON PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Willow street to Van Alst avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 15th day of June, 1910, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 16th day of June, 1910, John A. Dayton, Leonard Rouff and William Caffery were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and that in and by the said order John A. Dayton was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said John A. Dayton, Leonard Rouff and William Caffery will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of said Court, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in said proceeding.

Dated New York, June 24, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

j24,jy8

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of FRANKLIN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mills street to Boulevard, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of July, 1910, 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 15th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. 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, in the Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of July, 1910.

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

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of the Boulevard with the centre line of the blocks between Franklin street and Fulton avenue and running thence westerly along said centre line to its intersection with the easterly line of Mill street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Mill street to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Franklin street and Orchard street; thence easterly along said last mentioned centre line to its intersection with the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence

southerly along said westerly line of the Boulevard to the point or place of beginning.

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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1910, 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, and in the corporation newspapers, 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 Brooklyn, New York, June 17, 1910.

WILLIAM E. STEWART,  
Chairman;  
PORTER D. FORD,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk.

j22,jy12

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BEEBE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Van Alst avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of July, 1910, 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 15th day of July, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. 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, in the Municipal Building, Anable avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of July, 1910.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Jackson avenue and the centre line of the blocks between Beebe avenue and Freeman avenue and running thence northwesterly along the said centre line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Van Alst avenue; thence southwesterly along said southeasterly line of Van Alst avenue to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Beebe avenue and Paynter avenue; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned centre line to its intersection with the northerly line of Jackson avenue; thence easterly along said northerly line of Jackson avenue to the point or place of beginning; 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, Second Department, at a special term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1910, 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, and in the corporation newspapers, 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 Brooklyn, New York, May 3, 1910.

ATHELSTAN VAUGHAN, Chairman;  
HARRY SUTPHIN,  
WILLIAM J. BURNETT,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk.

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#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of LIVONIA AVENUE, between Stone avenue and the easterly line of Junius street; between the easterly property line of the land occupied by the Brooklyn and Rockaway Beach Railroad within the limits of Van Sinderen avenue and Hinsdale street, and between Van Sien avenue, and New Lots avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of July, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 14th day of July, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of July, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 15th day of July, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 26th day of June, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the north by a line midway between Livonia avenue and Dumont avenue; on the east by a line midway between Hinsdale street and Williams avenue; on the south by a line midway between Livonia avenue and Riverdale avenue, and on the west by a line midway between Stone avenue and Watkins street, excepting such portions as are exempt from assessment under the provisions of section 992 of the Charter.

2. Beginning at a point on a line midway between Livonia avenue and Dumont avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Sien avenue, and running thence easterly along the said line midway between Livonia avenue and Dumont avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Elton street and Linwood street, as these streets are laid out north of New Lots avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Elton street and Linwood street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Elton street and Linwood street as laid out south of New Lots avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Elton street and Linwood street as laid out south of New Lots avenue and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of New Lots avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with New Lots avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Ashford street and Warwick street as laid out south of New Lots avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Ashford street and Warwick street to the centre line of New Lots avenue; thence westwardly along the centre line of New Lots avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Riverdale avenue and Livonia avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Riverdale avenue and Livonia avenue and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Sien avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Van Sien avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 23d day of July, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of August, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, 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 Brooklyn, New York, June 23, 1910.

M. F. MCGOLDRICK,  
CHAS. M. TURNER,  
AUGUSTUS T. RINN,  
Commissioners of Estimate.  
AUGUSTUS T. RINN,  
Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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#### SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

##### NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

##### ORANGE COUNTY.

##### Northern Aqueduct Department, Section No. 7.

In the matter of the application and petition of John A. Bense, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, 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 Town of Cornwall, Orange County, N. Y., 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 second separate report of Thomas F. Grady, William G. Taggart and George F. Gregg, 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, in the City of Newburgh, Orange County, N. Y., on the 20th day of February, 1909, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Orange on the 8th day of June, 1910, and affects parcels numbers three hundred and thirty-one (331), three hundred and thirty-two (332), three hundred and thirty-five (335), three hundred and thirty-seven (337), three hundred and forty-two (342), three hundred and forty-three (343), three hundred and forty-nine (349), three hundred and fifty-six (356), three hundred and fifty-seven (357), three hundred and sixty (360) and three hundred and sixty-two (362), shown on the map filed in this proceeding. Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, appointed to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House, in the City of Newburgh, Orange County, N. Y., on the 16th day of July, 1910, 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 or further relief as may be just.

Reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all of the awards contained in said report.

Dated New York, June 9, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel of The City of New York.  
Hall of Records, Chambers and Centre Streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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#### NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

##### WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

##### Southern Aqueduct Department, Section No. 15.

In the matter of the application and petition of John A. Bense, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, 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 Mount Pleasant and Greenburgh, Westchester County, N. Y., 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 second separate report of John J. Delany, James P. Kilby and James I. Connor, 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, in White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., on the 11th day of October, 1909, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 11th day of June, 1910, and affects parcels Nos. 1013, 1024, 1030, 1035, 1036, 1041, 1042 (part of), 1044 (part of), 1051, 1055, 1068, 1087, 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, appointed to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House, in Newburgh, Orange County, N. Y., on the 16th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming such report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all of the awards contained in said report.

Dated New York, June 22, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Hall of Records, Corner of Chambers and Centre Streets, Borough of Manhattan, 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 supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or her 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.