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## MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### THE COUNCIL. STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, April 9, 1901, }  
2 o'clock P. M. }

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

#### PRESENT :

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

#### COUNCILMEN

Thomas F. Foley,  
Martin Engel,  
Frank J. Goodwin,  
Patrick J. Ryder,  
Harry C. Hart,  
John J. Murphy,  
Eugene A. Wise,  
William J. Hyland,

Adolph C. Hottenroth,  
Bernard C. Murray,  
Charles H. Francisco,  
Francis F. Williams,  
Conrad H. Hester,  
Adam H. Leich,  
Henry French,  
Charles H. Ebbets,

William A. Doyle,  
Martin F. Conly,  
David L. Van Nostrand,  
Joseph Cassidy,  
Joseph F. O'Grady,  
Benjamin J. Bodine,  
George H. Mundorf,  
James Owens.

The minutes of the last meeting were read, and, on motion of Councilman Wise, were approved as read.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen :

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN, }  
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, CLERK, }  
CITY HALL, April 4, 1901. }

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk :

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the stated meeting held Tuesday, April 2, 1901, as scheduled below :

Int. Nos. 2267, 2277, 2458, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2511, 2512, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

The communications were as follows :

No. 483.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of appointing Max L. Blum, of No. 779 Lexington avenue, Manhattan, a City Surveyor, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Max L. Blum, of No. 779 Lexington avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

JEREMIAH CRONIN, WILLIAM WENTZ, LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Goodwin, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Owens, Williams, Wise, and the President—15.

No. 484.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 19, 1901 (Minutes, page 411), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$200,000, for erection and equipment of a high school, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide for the erection and equipping of a high school in the Borough of Richmond, and the acquisition of a site therefor.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in and approves of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 7, 1901, reading as follows :

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 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 hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide means for the acquisition of a site and construction and equipping of a high school in the Borough of Richmond, and that the Comptroller be authorized, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, 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 thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 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 hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide means for the acquisition of a site and construction and equipping of a high school in the Borough of Richmond, and that the Comptroller be authorized, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, 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 thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 7, 1901.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

ROBERT MUH, JOSEPH GEISER, ELIAS GOODMAN, MICHAEL KENNEDY, JOHN T. McMAHON, JACOB J. VELTEN, Committee on Finance.

Which was placed on the list of special orders.

Subsequently Councilman O'Grady moved the adoption of this ordinance.

Councilman Goodwin moved as an amendment that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said motion.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Goodwin and Murphy—2.

Negative—Councilmen Bodine, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Francisco, French, Leich, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Owens, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—15.

Councilman O'Grady then renewed his motion that this ordinance be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

No. 485.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of appointing William J. Crowley a City Surveyor, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That William J. Crowley, of No. 666 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

JEREMIAH CRONIN, LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, FRANK HENNESSY, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—17.

No. 486.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided :

By the President—

Fruit Stand—Harry Anderson, No. 449 Third avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Giovanni Mussache, southeast corner Third avenue and Twenty-sixth street, Manhattan ; Leonardo Giallallo, No. 322 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Carmine Sico, 449 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Vincenzo Radicio, No. 304 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Frank Zacro, No. 81 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By the Vice-President—

Soda-water Stands—Isaac Glasenberg, No. 1576 First avenue, Manhattan ; Nathan Feibel, No. 1514 First avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Coggey—

Fruit Stand—Frank Re, No. 1177 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Burrell—

Soda-water Stands—Sigmund Guggenheim, No. 1696 Second avenue, Manhattan ; D. Fishkin, No. 401 East Eighty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Cardani—

Newspaper Stand—Sigmund Wachtel, No. 930 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Calkin—

Newspaper Stands—Max Levine, No. 256 West Fourteenth street, Manhattan ; Matthew Suchy, No. 160 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Michael Addige, No. 127 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.

Fruit Stand—Michael Cayuto, Nos. 131 and 133 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Delano—

Fruit Stand—Charles Smith, corner Flushing and Washington avenues, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dowling—

Bootblack Stand—Sovenio Zazzi, No. 188 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Bootblack Stand—Vito Ruggiero, No. 137 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Fleck—

Soda-water Stands—Rocco Musorofite, No. 116 Mulberry street, Manhattan ; Angelo Moriti, No. 128 Mulberry street, Manhattan ; Jacob Schorr, No. 139 Hester street, Manhattan.

Fruit Stands—Annie Gross, No. 214 Forsyth street, Manhattan ; Joseph Monday, No. 180 Hester street, Manhattan ; P. Solario Spagnuolo, No. 109 Mulberry street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Flinn—

Fruit Stands—A. Kramer, No. 519 Hudson street, Manhattan ; Giovanni Gardella, No. 1 Franklin street, Manhattan ; Luigi Roccatagliata, No. 121 Pearl street, Manhattan ; Carmine Capaldo, No. 7 Mulberry street, Manhattan ; Michael Scarpota, No. 68 Centre street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Fanello Vicenzo, No. 131 University place, Manhattan ; Antonio Depereino, No. 75 Park row, Manhattan ; Domenico Defino, No. 121 University place, Manhattan ; Henry Laptula, No. 116 University place, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—A. J. Cutler, No. 149 Fulton street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gaffney—

Bootblack Stand—George Motta, No. 166 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Richard Conroy, No. 145 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Michele Pellegrino, No. 240 First avenue, Manhattan ; Thomas Finnegan, No. 258 First avenue, Manhattan ; Ralph Pape, No. 146 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Donato Muccio, No. 223 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Joe Bennett, northwest corner Fourteenth street and Third avenue, Manhattan ; Edward H. Vath, No. 310 Avenue A, Manhattan ; Nico Tanriello, No. 301 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Nicholas Little, No. 393 First avenue, Manhattan ; Joseph Pirro, No. 157 East Eighteenth street, Manhattan ; Antonio Gragiano, No. 203 Third avenue, Manhattan ; Leonardo Giallallo, No. 402 Second avenue, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—Barnard Rubenstein, No. 240 First avenue, Manhattan.

Fruit Stands—Antonio Valso, No. 258 Avenue A, Manhattan ; Laurence Rogers, No. 254 First avenue, Manhattan ; Bartolo Costellano, No. 427 First avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Geiger—

Bootblack Stands—Raffaele Antoniello, No. 85 William street, Manhattan ; Gaetano Frasciello, No. 110 William street, Manhattan ; Bastinno Grire, No. 10 Beekman street, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—Isidor Bergr, No. 264 Pearl street, Manhattan.

Fruit Stand—William L. Churchill, No. 2897 Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—

Newspaper Stands—Rose Berman, No. 1747 Madison avenue, Manhattan ; Pauline Steinberg, No. 1747 Madison avenue, Manhattan ; Getto Sobloff, No. 1347 Fifth avenue, Manhattan ; Samuel Rothfarb, No. 1 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Manhattan ; Moses Sobloff, No. 1399 Fifth avenue, Manhattan ; Louis Sobloff, southeast corner Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kennedy—

Fruit Stands—Louis Peroni, No. 268 Church street, Manhattan ; Gardello Carlo, No. 252 Church street, Manhattan ; John Varritisotis, southeast corner Warren and Greenwich streets, Manhattan ; Francesco Fulco, No. 82 Reade street, Manhattan.

Soda-water Stand—Joseph Crosman, No. 270 West Broadway, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Thomas Rosson, No. 1 White street, Manhattan ; Francesco Dileo, No. 37 Beekman street, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—E. H. Meyer, No. 229 West Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Ledwith—

Fruit Stand—Joseph Fiore, No. 981 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—

Fruit Stand—William Guddart, No. 23 Pike street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

Fruit Stands—Eugene Molier, southwest corner One Hundred and First street and Columbus avenue, Manhattan ; Reinhardt Kern, No. 816 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan ; Eugene Molier, Nos. 884 and 886 Columbus avenue, Manhattan ; Emil Elsass, No. 923 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

Boot-black Stand—Edward F. Heubner, No. 668 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCaul—

Newspaper Stand—A. Melman, northwest corner One Hundred and Tenth street and Third avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Costobeli Cilento, No. 64 Whitehall street, Manhattan ; Geo. Flathman, No. 43 Whitehall street, Manhattan.



Fruit Stands—Gabriele Cappellene, No. 136 Maiden lane, Manhattan; Luigi Allero, No. 108 Mulberry street, Manhattan.

Soda-water Stand—Jacob Shapiro, No. 138 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McGrath—

Bootblack Stands—D. Engelking, southeast corner One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Third avenue, Bronx; E. F. Smythe, southeast corner One Hundred and Forty-first street and Third avenue, Bronx; A. Curtis, southwest corner One Hundred and Twentieth street and Third avenue, Manhattan; Hermann Karsten, southeast corner One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Willis avenue, Bronx; Gaetano Frasca, northwest corner One Hundred and Forty-second street and Third avenue, Bronx; Bernard Boekhaus, southwest corner One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Third avenue, Bronx; Thomas Monahan, northwest corner One Hundred and Forty-first street and Third avenue, Bronx.

Fruit Stands—Salvatore Pacifico, No. 2093 Madison avenue, Manhattan; Patrick Lenihan, southwest corner One Hundred and Twentieth street and Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McMahon—

Fruit Stands—Michel Ferroni, No. 249 First avenue, Manhattan; Tony Araglio, No. 175 Avenue A, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—Max Green, No. 235 Fourth avenue, Manhattan.

Soda-water Stand—Jacob Frankel, No. 390 East Tenth street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Antonio Grosso, No. 39 Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Muh—

Fruit Stand—Gaetano Allonasio, No. 669 Tenth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Neufeld—

Soda-water Stands—Sam Leden, No. 116 Attorney street, Manhattan; Emanuel Altman, No. 628 East Fifth street, Manhattan; Moritz Friedman, No. 304 East Third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Oatman—

Bootblack Stand—James J. Macauley, No. 790 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Porges—

Newspaper Stands—Morris Gomberg, No. 284 Bowery, Manhattan; Solomon Diamond, southeast corner Allen and Delancey streets, Manhattan.

Soda-water Stands—Hyman Gladstone, No. 120 Chrystie street, Manhattan; Max Lobel, No. 161 Ludlow street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Pietro Chemino, No. 169 East Houston street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Rottmann—

Fruit Stand—George Carell, No. 1775 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Joseph Reda, No. 301 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Schneider—

Soda-water Stands—Mickel Kupperman, No. 1875 Second avenue, Manhattan; John Wieser, No. 223 East One Hundred and Second street, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—Joe Trimie, No. 1938 Third avenue, Manhattan.

Fruit Stands—Michele Angelo Arma, No. 1587 Madison avenue, Manhattan; Michael Martinello, No. 44 Catharine street, Manhattan; Serafino Barbageleto, No. 309 Pearl street, Manhattan; John Scrivani, No. 159 Front street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Vincenzo Francello, No. 35 Beaver street, Manhattan; Gaetano Frosello, No. 87 Frankfort street, Manhattan; Angelo Emanueli, No. 1924 Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

Soda-water Stand—Joe Levison, No. 181 Rivington street, Manhattan.

Fruit Stand—Paul Cevasco, No. 81 Beaver street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Velten—

Soda-water Stands—J. Stutsky, southwest corner Leonard and Siegel streets, Brooklyn; J. Convisor, No. 91 Graham avenue, Brooklyn; Morris Nimkovsky, southwest corner Bushwick avenue and Boerum street, Brooklyn; S. Rodnon-sky, southwest corner Manhattan avenue and McKibben street, Brooklyn; Abraham Cohen, northwest corner Manhattan avenue and Varet street, Brooklyn; Isaac Schmidt, northeast corner Humboldt street and McKibben street, Brooklyn; Julius Sachs, No. 18 Moore street, Brooklyn; A. Josef, No. 74 Johnson avenue, Brooklyn.

Fruit Stands—S. Ferantie, southwest corner Bushwick avenue and Stagg street, Brooklyn; Salvatore Erambarulo, northeast corner Bushwick avenue and Meserole street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wolf—

Soda-water Stands—Charles Schaefer, No. 149 Stanton street, Manhattan; Bennie Rabinowitz, Nos. 71 and 73 Essex street, Manhattan; Harry Kluchinsky, No. 126 Ludlow street, Manhattan.

Which was adopted, except the following, by Aldermen Mathews, Rottmann, Flinn, Kennedy, McCaul, Schneider and Smith.

By Alderman Flinn—

Fruit Stands—Giovanni Gardella, No. 1 Franklin street, Manhattan; Luigi Roccotagliata, No. 121 Pearl street, Manhattan; Carmine Capaldo, No. 7 Mulberry street, Manhattan; Michael Scarpota, No. 68 Centre street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Antonio Deperino, No. 75 Park row, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—A. J. Cutler, No. 149 Fulton street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

Fruit Stands—Eugene Molier, southwest corner One Hundred and First street and Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Reinhardt Kern, No. 816 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Eugene Molier, Nos. 884 and 886 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Emil Elsass, No. 923 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

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By Alderman Schneider—

Fruit Stands—Michael Martinello, No. 44 Catharine street, Manhattan; Serafino Barbageleto, No. 309 Pearl street, Manhattan; John Scrivani, No. 159 Front street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Vincenzo Francello, No. 35 Beaver street, Manhattan; Gaetano Frosello, No. 87 Frankfort street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

Fruit Stand—Paul Cevasso, No. 81 Beaver street, Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Markets.

No. 487.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Dreiser to erect and maintain a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 320 East Thirty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 488.

Whereas, The munificent offer of Mr. Andrew Carnegie to build within The City of New York a number of buildings which shall be used for library purposes has enlisted widespread attention; and

Whereas, The spirit that prompts this offer is one that commends itself to our citizens as the most gigantic piece of philanthropy displayed by a private individual towards a municipality; and

Whereas, It is hoped that the act of Mr. Andrew Carnegie may be an example that will inspire others to deeds of like munificence for the future benefit and well-being of the people at large.

Resolved, That the thanks of The City of New York be and they are hereby extended to Mr. Andrew Carnegie for the generous offer to which his noble nature was moved and that he be spared long to enjoy the fruits of his philanthropy.

Which was adopted.

No. 489.

Whereas, The health of the residents and citizens who live in the vicinity of Wallabout Market is menaced by the continuance of the dumping of refuse from the market at the dock at the foot of Clinton avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, Numerous complaints have been from time to time made touching the continuance of the dump at this point; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to remove this dump at once and select some other location as a receptacle for the refuse of the said Wallabout Market.

Which was adopted.

No. 490.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas A. Moore to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Fourteenth street and Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 491.

Resolved, That the Salvation Army be and it is hereby permitted to drive an advertising wagon through the streets of this city, announcing a lecture entitled "Love and Sorrow," which is to be delivered for the benefit of its charity fund, which permit is granted for the period from April 22 to April 27, inclusive, provided the work be done at its own expense, the advertising wagon be free from appliances intended to attract attention by noise or sound, and shall be under the control and direction of the Commissioner of Police.

Which was adopted.

No. 492.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hamilton Young to place, erect and keep bay-windows in front of his premises on the southwest corner of Walton avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-first street, in the Borough of The Bronx, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 493.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Heschbach to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 652 East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 494.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Gamper to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of flowers, within the stoop-line, in front of premises on the north side of Metropolitan avenue, at a point about eleven hundred feet east of Mount Olivet avenue, Middle Village, Borough of Queens, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 495.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adam Happel to erect, place and keep an iron awning in front of the premises Nos. 31 and 33 North Moore street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 496.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles W. Prella to erect two storm-doors in front of his premises No. 23 Desbrosses street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-doors shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by the ordinances in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 497.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ann Socol to erect and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northeast corner West Broadway and Franklin street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 498.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Max Cohen to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Forty-seventh street and Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 498½.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Marcus Friedlander to erect and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northwest corner of Fiftieth street and Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 499.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Egbert Sharman to place, erect and keep an express office or booth, within the stoop-line, in front of the premises No. 2102 Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 500.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles J. Mooney to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718, Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 501.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Thomas Clifford to keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 502.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael J. Coghlan to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 503.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Hillen to place, erect and keep storm-doors in front of his premises on the southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Forty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-doors shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Sewers.



No. 504.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jean P. Wirtz to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southeast corner of Twenty-eighth street and Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 505.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Aaron Gwerdling to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 82 Jefferson street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 506.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Griesel to erect, keep and maintain a storm-door on the Melrose street side of his premises No. 105 Evergreen avenue, corner of Melrose street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider than the doorway, and shall not extend more than five feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 507.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Iseman to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 1814 Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, same to be on the Rochester avenue side of said premises, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 508.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Ether to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northeast corner of First avenue and First street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 509.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Lang to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-first street and Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

## PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS.

No. 510.

By Councilman Goodwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of fruit and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-line, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

Fruit Stand—Alfred German, No. 381 Eighth avenue.

Bootblack Stand—Henry W. Von Glahn, No. 235 Tenth avenue, all in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 511.

By Councilman Goodwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Regina Music Box Company to remove the ornamental clock now in front of their premises on the northwest corner of Twenty-second street and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and erect, place and keep the same in front of the premises to be occupied by them at No. 11 East Twenty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, subject to the conditions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; and provided further, that neither the said clock or post be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx:

No. 512.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,  
April 1, 1901.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council:

DEAR SIR—I hereby beg to notify you that the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on the 28th of March, 1901, recommended that its resolution adopted on September 6, 1900, for regulating, etc., Two Hundred and Third street, between Briggs avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, be amended by striking out the words "and that the roadway be paved."

Yours truly,

MICHAEL J. GARVIN, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements, with request that the ordinance therein referred to be recalled and amended.

The President laid before the Council the following communications from the Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinances:

No. 513.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 3d day of April, 1901, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of that part of Bradley avenue, from Howard street to Review avenue, within the lands belonging to Calvary Cemetery, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 3d day of April, 1901.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 20th day of March, 1901, resolutions were adopted, proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing that part of Bradley avenue, from Howard street to Review avenue, within the lands belonging to Calvary Cemetery, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 3d day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed closing and discontinuing would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed closing and discontinuing would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 3d day of April, 1901; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the

aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 3d day of April, 1901; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed closing and discontinuing, who have appeared, and such proposed closing and discontinuing was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of that part of Bradley avenue, from Howard street to Review avenue, within the lands belonging to Calvary Cemetery, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid avenue.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by closing Bradley avenue, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to close part of Bradley avenue, Borough of Queens.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of April, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of that part of Bradley avenue, from Howard street to Review avenue, within the lands belonging to Calvary Cemetery, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid avenue.

Councilman Cassidy moved that this ordinance be made a special order for the ensuing meeting at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

Councilman Wise moved as an amendment that the matter be referred to the Committee on Health.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said amendment. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Ebbets, Francisco, Hester, Leich, Mundorf, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—8.

Negative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Murphy, O'Grady, Owens, and Van Nostrand—13.

Councilman Cassidy then renewed his motion that this matter be made a special order for 2.30 o'clock P. M. at the ensuing meeting.

Which was adopted.

No. 514.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you for action thereon a resolution adopted by said Board, at a meeting held on the 3d day of April, 1901, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the grades of Thirteenth avenue, from the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street to the centre line of West Thirty-third street, in the Twentieth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 3d day of April, 1901.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 13th day of March, 1901, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grades in Thirteenth avenue, from the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street to the centre line of West Thirty-third street, in the Twentieth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 3d day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed grades would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed grades would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 3d day of April, 1901; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 3d day of April, 1901; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed grades, who have appeared, and such proposed grades were duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grades in Thirteenth avenue, from the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street to the centre line of West Thirty-third street, in the Twentieth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to establish the grades in the aforesaid avenue as follows:

- 1st. Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street and the easterly curb-line of Thirteenth avenue, elevation 5.33 feet above city datum;
- 2d. Thence northerly along said curb-line 264.19 feet to centre line of West Twenty-seventh street, elevation 4.34 feet;
- 3d. Thence northerly along the said curb-line, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.00 feet; thence northerly, distance 132.09 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-eighth street, elevation 4.16 feet;
- 4th. Thence northerly along the said curb, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.00 feet; thence northerly 132.09 feet to the centre of West Twenty-ninth street, elevation 4.25 feet;
- 5th. Thence northerly along said easterly curb-line, distance 131.23 feet, elevation 5.00 feet; thence northerly 128.75 feet to centre line of West Thirtieth street, elevation 4.47 feet;
- 6th. Thence northerly along said curb-line, distance 257.50 feet, to centre line of West Thirty-first street, elevation 5.14 feet;
- 7th. Thence northerly along said easterly curb-line, distance 257.50 feet, to centre line of West Thirty-second street, elevation 6.00 feet;
- 8th. Thence northerly along said curb-line, distance 128.75 feet, elevation 6.75 feet; thence northerly to centre line of West Thirty-third street, elevation 6.30 feet;
- 9th. Thence westerly along the centre line of West Thirty-third street, distance 80 feet, to the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, elevation 5.50 feet;
- 10th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 257.50 feet, elevation 6.50 feet;
- 11th. Thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 257.50 feet, to a point opposite centre line of West Thirty-first street, elevation 6.00 feet;
- 12th. Thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 257.50 feet, to a point opposite centre line of West Thirtieth street, elevation 5.50 feet;
- 13th. Thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 128.75 feet, elevation 5.75 feet; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 130.85 feet, to the centre line of West Twenty-ninth street, elevation 5.25 feet;
- 14th. Thence southerly along said westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.75 feet; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 132.09 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-eighth street, elevation 5.25 feet;
- 15th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.75 feet; thence southerly along said line, distance 132.09 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-seventh street, elevation 5.25 feet;
- 16th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 264.19 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-sixth street, elevation 6.00 feet;
- 17th. Thence easterly along the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street and across Thirteenth avenue to the easterly curb, distance 82.05 feet, elevation 5.33 feet.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grades in Thirteenth avenue, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

[SEAL.]

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to establish grades in Thirteenth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of April, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:



Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grades on Thirteenth avenue, from the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street to the centre line of West Thirty-third street, in the Twentieth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to establish the grades in the aforesaid avenue as follows:

- 1st. Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street and the easterly curb-line of Thirteenth avenue, elevation 5.33 feet above city datum;
  - 2d. Thence northerly along said curb-line 264.19 feet to centre line of West Twenty-seventh street, elevation 4.34 feet;
  - 3d. Thence northerly along the said curb-line, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.00 feet; thence northerly, distance 132.09 feet to centre line of West Twenty-eighth street, elevation 4.16 feet;
  - 4th. Thence northerly along the said curb, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.00 feet; thence northerly 132.09 feet to the centre of West Twenty-ninth street, elevation 4.25 feet;
  - 5th. Thence northerly along said easterly curb-line, distance 131.23 feet, elevation 5.00 feet; thence northerly 128.75 feet to centre line of West Thirtieth street, elevation 4.47 feet;
  - 6th. Thence northerly along said curb-line, distance 257.50 feet, to centre line of West Thirty-first street, elevation 5.14 feet;
  - 7th. Thence northerly along said easterly curb-line, distance 257.50 feet, to centre line of West Thirty-second street, elevation 6.00 feet;
  - 8th. Thence northerly along said curb-line, distance 128.75 feet, elevation 6.75 feet; thence northerly to centre line of West Thirty-third street, elevation 6.30 feet;
  - 9th. Thence westerly along the centre line of West Thirty-third street, distance 80 feet, to the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, elevation 5.50 feet;
  - 10th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 257.50 feet, elevation 6.50 feet;
  - 11th. Thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 257.50 feet, to a point opposite centre line of West Thirty-first street, elevation 6.00 feet;
  - 12th. Thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 257.50 feet, to a point opposite centre line of West Thirtieth street, elevation 5.50 feet;
  - 13th. Thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 128.75 feet, elevation 5.75 feet; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 130.85 feet, to the centre line of West Twenty-ninth street, elevation 5.25 feet;
  - 14th. Thence southerly along said westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.75 feet; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 132.09 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-eighth street, elevation 5.25 feet;
  - 15th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 132.09 feet, elevation 5.75 feet; thence southerly along said line, distance 132.09 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-seventh street, elevation 5.25 feet;
  - 16th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue, distance 264.19 feet, to centre line of West Twenty-sixth street, elevation 6.00 feet;
  - 17th. Thence easterly along the centre line of West Twenty-sixth street and across Thirteenth avenue to the easterly curb, distance 82.05 feet, elevation 5.33 feet.
- Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

No. 515.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,  
April 4, 1901.

#### Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 28, 1901, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York that the names of the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn be changed, as follows:

- Avenue F, from Ocean avenue eastward, be changed to Farragut road;
- East Twenty-first street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Kenmore place;
- East Twenty-second street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Elmore place.
- East Twenty-third street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Delamere place;
- East Twenty-fourth street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Mansfield place."

Yours respectfully,  
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

In connection therewith Councilman Leich offered the following resolution and moved that it receive immediate consideration.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Resolved, That the names of the following streets and avenues, in Borough of Brooklyn, be changed as follows:

- Avenue F, from Ocean avenue eastward, be changed to Farragut road;
- East Twenty-first street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Kenmore place;
- East Twenty-second street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Elmore place;
- East Twenty-third street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Delamere place;
- East Twenty-fourth street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Mansfield place.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS.

Councilman Cassidy called up

No. 467.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on March 6, 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves, by the concurrent vote of all its members, of the initiation of proceedings by the Corporation Counsel to acquire title to the lands mentioned in the said resolutions, in the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, for the purpose of constructing thereon piers for Bridge No. 4, connecting said boroughs; and

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, acting in pursuance of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), and that, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue such corporate stock to said amount for the general purposes and objects of the proposed bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, generally designated as Bridge No. 4.

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 29, 1901.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), proceeds to be used for the general purposes and objects of the proposed bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, generally designated as Bridge No. 4.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 29, 1901, and hereby 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 resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on March 6, 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves, by the concurrent vote of all its members, of the initiation of proceedings, by the Corporation Counsel, to acquire title to the lands mentioned in the said resolutions in the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens for the purpose of constructing thereon pier for Bridge No. 4, connecting said boroughs; and

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, acting in pursuance of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), and that, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be

authorized to issue such Corporate Stock to said amount for the general purposes and objects of the proposed bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, generally designated as Bridge No. 4.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:  
Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, Owens, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—19.  
Negative—Councilmen Engel, Mundorf, and Ryder—3.

Councilman Cassidy moved a reconsideration of the vote by which this ordinance was lost. Which was adopted.

Councilman Cassidy then moved that the matter be placed on the list of special orders. Which was adopted.

Subsequently Councilman Cassidy again called up this matter and moved its adoption.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said ordinance. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:  
Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doly, Ebbets, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Williams, Wise, and the President—20.  
Negative—Councilmen Engel, Mundorf, and Ryder—3.

Councilman Cassidy moved that the vote by which the above ordinance was lost be reconsidered. Which was adopted.

Councilman Cassidy then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting. Which was adopted.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond:

No. 516.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,  
NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y., April 3, 1901.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, New York City:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Local Board, First District, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, held on the 2d day of April, 1901, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board, First District, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, hereby recommends to the Municipal Assembly that permission be granted to the Richmond Beach Railway Company to construct a single track across the highway known as the Amboy road in said borough, at the point indicated on the map hereto annexed, on condition that said Richmond Beach Railway Company restore said Amboy road at the point where the same is crossed by said railroad to and maintain the same in such state as not to impair in any way the usefulness of said road, and that said crossing be made under the general supervision of the Commissioner of Highways.

I inclose copy of the petition on which the Local Board acted.

Yours respectfully,  
GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

(Copy.)

To the President of the Borough of Richmond, and the Local Board in said Borough, and to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

The Richmond Beach Railway Company, a corporation duly organized under and in accordance with the Railroad Law of the State of New York, for the purpose of constructing and operating a railroad from Richmond Beach, in Richmond County, to a point near the station known as Annadale, on the railroad of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, a distance of about a mile and a quarter, hereby petitions the President and Local Board in and for the Borough of Richmond, and also petitions the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for the assent of said borough and City to the construction by said Richmond Beach Railroad Company of its railroad across the highway known as the Amboy road in said borough, at a point indicated by the map, route and profile of said railroad hereto attached and made a part hereof. Your petitioner further states that the map, route and profile attached hereto is a correct map, route and profile of said proposed railroad. Your petitioner agrees to restore said Amboy road, at the point where the same is crossed by said railroad of your petitioner, to such state as not to impair its usefulness.

Dated, NEW YORK, March 16, 1901.

RICHMOND BEACH RAILWAY COMPANY,  
By W. B. ROCKWELL, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies:

No. 517.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,  
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1901.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, City Hall, Manhattan, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—Herewith I forward to you a form of resolution that I have prepared, asking for money to spend on the Criminal Court Building, with the request that you will cause the same to be introduced in the Municipal Assembly and urge its passage.

The condition of the Criminal Court Building is a disgrace to The City of New York. In the first place the building never was finished in the general acceptance of the term. The walls were left without paint or decoration, and the electric wiring and other work in the building has required an expenditure of all the money that this Department could afford to expend out of its annual appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs."

At least fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) should be spent upon the Criminal Court Building in repairs and painting of the inside and in making the necessary alterations called for by the change in occupancy of the various offices.

The Sinking Fund Commissioners have recently authorized many changes in the occupancy of the building by moving the Coroners' offices from the third floor to the ground floor and by assigning the top floor of the building, recently vacated by the Board of Health, for the use of the District Attorney's office, by designating a part of the third floor, to be vacated by the District Attorney's office, for the use of the Judges of the Court of General Sessions, and assigning different quarters for the Clerks of the Court of Special Sessions.

The various changes, necessitating new partitions, new plumbing and the necessary fixtures, will require an expenditure of more than twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

Respectfully,  
HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

Resolved, under and in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, being chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, That the Municipal Assembly hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make an appropriation and authorize the issue of Revenue Bonds to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be used for renovating the Criminal Court Building by making repairs to the plaster, painting the walls and other repairs to the building.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Public Administrator:

No. 518.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, March 31, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30, Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,  
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.



A Transcript of such of his Accounts as have been Closed or finally Settled since the date of his last Report.

| Name of Deceased.  | Date of Final Decree. | Total Amount Received. | Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration and Claims of Creditors. | Commissions paid into the City Treasury. | Amount paid to Legatees or Next of Kin. | Amount paid into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin. | Sundries |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------|
| Bella Crocker.....   |                       | \$83 80                | \$79 61   | \$4 19                                   |   |   |          |
| August Stahl.....  | Amount held           | 104 52                 |   |  |   |   | \$104 52 |
| Anna Kauffeld.....   |                       | 147 30                 | 75 25   | 7 37                                     | \$61 68                                 |   |          |
| Ottaker Naacock.....   |                       | 42 10                  | 3 85  | 7 10                                     | 31 15                                   |   |          |
| James Solan.....   | Feb. 19, 1901         | 403 71                 | 177 61  | 20 19                                    | 205 91                                  |   |          |
| Emile Clapp.....   |                       | 142 10                 | 134 99  | 7 11                                     |   |   |          |
| T. W. Lanouette.....   |                       | 1 49                   | 1 42  | 07                                       |   |   |          |
| Frances Monella.....   |                       | 104 10                 | 98 89   | 5 21                                     |   |   |          |
| Anton Kruljae.....   |                       | 32 37                  | 32 37   |  |   |   |          |
| Ellen Miller.....  |                       | 111 00                 | 105 45  | 5 55                                     |   |   |          |
| Mary Crosby.....   | Amount held           | 109 56                 |   |  | 109 56                                  |   |          |
| Louis H. Austin.....   | Mar. 6, 1901          | 253 48                 | 113 61  | 12 67                                    | 127 20                                  |   |          |
| John Harris.....   |                       | 3 28                   |   | 16                                       | 3 12                                    |   |          |
| Charles Battoni.....   | Mar. 4, 1901          | 307 62                 | 101 85  | 15 38                                    | 190 39                                  |   |          |
| Rosa Offermann.....  | " 4, "                | 4,241 55               | 164 18  | 168 53                                   | 3,741 57                                |   | 1167 27  |
| Johanna Sprute.....  |                       | 4 01                   | 2 00  |  | 2 01                                    |   |          |
| Frederick Bodius.....  |                       | 521 36                 | 22 96   | 26 06                                    | 472 34                                  |   |          |
| Ellen A. McNeaney.....   | Mar. 13, 1901         | 740 00                 | 286 99  | 37 00                                    | 416 01                                  |   |          |
| Eugenia DeRue, etc.....  | " 13, "               | 955 24                 | 600 25  | 47 76                                    | 307 23                                  |   |          |
| Rosa Wundiger.....   |                       | 113 30                 |   |  | 113 30                                  |   |          |
| Alice Radley.....  |                       | 507 95                 | 202 07  | 25 40                                    | 280 48                                  |   |          |
| Frank Kleiner.....   |                       | 130 96                 | 33 60   | 7 40                                     | 89 96                                   |   |          |
| Sale of Effects.   |                       |                        |   |  |   |   |          |
| Estate from Coroners, George Parker and others, as per list attached.....            |                       | 27 62                  |   | 1 38                                     |   | \$26 24   |          |
| Estate from Coroner of The Bronx, R. L. Smith and another, as per list attached..... |                       | 6 51                   |   | 33                                       |   | 6 18  |          |
| William Aspinall.....  | Mar. 18, 1901         | 12,456 12              | 232 74  | 373 50                                   | 11,849 48                               |   |          |
| Catharine Brown.....   |                       | 11 48                  | 10 15   | 57                                       |   | 76  |          |
| George Sebastian.....  |                       | 34 32                  | 33 50   | 82                                       |   |   |          |
| Rosina Kane.....   |                       | 304 35                 | 173 06  | 18 22                                    | 173 07                                  |   |          |
| Ernest F. Holman.....  |                       | 14 05                  |   |  | 14 65                                   |   |          |
| S. M. Simpson.....   |                       | 25                     |   | 01                                       |   | 24  |          |
| Sarah F. Jordan.....   |                       | 370 56                 | 285 42  | 18 53                                    | 66 61                                   |   |          |
| Arosio Gaillo.....   |                       | 20 97                  | 4 70  | 1 05                                     | 15 22                                   |   |          |
| John Fratz.....  |                       | 153 00                 | 37 35   | 7 65                                     | 108 00                                  |   |          |
| Annie Meadows.....   |                       | 10 84                  | 0 45  | 54                                       | 3 85                                    |   |          |
| C. H. Condon.....  |                       | 9 75                   | 9 30  | 49                                       | 8 96                                    |   |          |
| John Y. Ambruster.....   |                       | 193 15                 | 165 70  | 9 66                                     | 17 79                                   |   |          |
| David Cunningham.....  |                       | 220 40                 | 197 25  | 11 02                                    | 12 13                                   |   |          |
| Ignis Lucani.....  |                       | 25                     |   | 01                                       | 24                                      |   |          |
| Peter Klein.....   |                       | 40 60                  | 20  | 2 03                                     | 38 37                                   |   |          |
| William Sahler.....  |                       | 5 04                   | 1 20  | 25                                       | 3 59                                    |   |          |
| John Gazi.....   |                       | 31 70                  |   | 1 59                                     | 30 11                                   |   |          |
| Raskin Stewart.....  |                       | 1 76                   | 1 00  | 09                                       | 67                                      |   |          |
| George Klein.....  |                       | 1 40                   | 1 00  | 07                                       | 33                                      |   |          |
| Charles Smith.....   |                       | 64                     |   | 03                                       | 11                                      |   |          |
| Carl Gulde.....  |                       | 98 50                  | 92 35   | 4 93                                     | 1 22                                    |   |          |
| Edward Scheller.....   |                       | 2 11                   | 20  | 11                                       | 1 80                                    |   |          |
| Peter Ford.....  |                       | 7 88                   | 2 60  | 39                                       | 4 89                                    |   |          |
| Ellen Gardiner.....  |                       | 356 54                 | 212 65  | 17 83                                    | 126 06                                  |   |          |
| Ann Fleming.....   |                       | 162 10                 | 103 30  | 8 11                                     | 50 69                                   |   |          |
| Total.....   |                       | \$23,663 29            | \$3,798 57  | \$876 76                                 | \$18,004 39                             | \$711 78  | \$271 79 |

\* Paid to Chamberlain.

† Held for future distribution.

A Statement of the Title of any Estate on which any Money has been Received since the date of the last Report.

| NAME OF DECEASED.                                  | TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED. | NAME OF DECEASED.  | TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED. |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Hannah Nichols.....                                | \$3 30                 | Kate Beckmann.....   | \$207 10               |
| T. W. Lanouette.....                               | 1 49                   | Charles A. Jordan.....   | 800 00                 |
| Monika Liechte.....                                | 10 00                  | Philbert Cotte.....  | 347 70                 |
| James Ryan.....                                    | 6 10                   | John E. Schmittlutz.....   | 18 05                  |
| Emile Clapp.....                                   | 142 10                 | Charles Kesling.....   | 1,342 35               |
| Anton Kruljae.....                                 | 22 02                  | James Doyle.....   | 184 25                 |
| Board of Health, Charles H. Brown and another..... | 4 45                   | Mary Kennedy.....  | 162 60                 |
| Riley Goodman.....                                 | 42 80                  | Catherine Heatherton.....  | 703 76                 |
| Mary Clune.....                                    | 01                     | Michael Foy.....   | 05                     |
| Maria Barber.....                                  | 19 83                  | John A. Krause.....  | 04                     |
| Catharine Heatherton.....                          | 39 18                  | John Lively.....   | 1 73                   |
| Gustav Brede.....                                  | 35 40                  | Edward Bowen.....  | 220 27                 |
| Mary Dreyer.....                                   | 9 76                   | Max Gebhardt.....  | 212 00                 |
| Elizabeth Abbott.....                              | 15 80                  | Antonio Margolis.....  | 247 29                 |
| Ferd. Noyes.....                                   | 4 40                   | Victor Dotrici.....  | 4 60                   |
| Mary C. Bell.....                                  | 4 20                   | Coroners' estates, George C. Spain and others, as per list attached..... | 45 70                  |
| Andrew J. Kraus.....                               | 18 08                  | A. J. Beckman.....   | 76                     |
| Herman Jabens.....                                 | 14 51                  | Robert Mulahy.....   | 2 00                   |
| Robert Mulcahy.....                                | 4 12                   | William Miller.....  | 28 12                  |
| Kate Murther.....                                  | 59 60                  | Ottillie Will.....   | 3,109 27               |
| Henry E. Reid.....                                 | 82 56                  | Owen Reilly.....   | 0 00                   |
| Edwin B. Trott.....                                | 16 40                  | Gustav Ku-north.....   | 10 00                  |
| George Adler.....                                  | 9 00                   | William Howe.....  | 231 75                 |
| Peter Nelson.....                                  | 3 20                   | Johanna Ryan.....  | 616 00                 |
| Frederick Knapfer.....                             | 137 49                 | Julius Weber.....  | 1 85                   |
| Coroners' estates, George Parker and others.....   | 27 62                  | Herbert Lester.....  | 3 33                   |
| Elizabeth Abbott.....                              | 725 23                 | James D. Eakin.....  | 3,845 00               |
| Sadie Wilkins.....                                 | 45                     | Herman Kreitzmann.....   | 52 80                  |
| John Benesch.....                                  | 6,459 29               | Cara Lee.....  | 14 00                  |
| Ellen Miller.....                                  | 111 00                 | William Opperman.....  | 1,237 06               |
| Mohanna Seghia.....                                | 1,458 00               | Interest received from banks on average amount of deposits.....          | 810 18                 |
| William F. Becker.....                             | 4 15                   | Total.....   | \$24,097 08            |
| David Berger.....                                  | 5 58                   |  |                        |
| Rosa Mundiger.....                                 | 113 30                 |  |                        |

Cash Received from Coroner of The Bronx December 2, 1900.

| NAME.  | AMOUNT. |
|--|---------|
| Richard L. Smith.....                          | \$1 58  |
| Unknown man, Fifth street, Williamsbridge..... | \$5 00  |
| Less expenses.....                             | 07      |
| Total.....                                     | \$6 51  |

Net Proceeds of Sale of Effects Received from Coroners.

| NAME.  | AMOUNT. | NAME.                 | AMOUNT. |
|--|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| George Parker.....                                 | \$1 50  | William Reilly.....   | \$0 52  |
| A. Viscantino.....                                 | 64      | Lillian Smith.....    | 2 24    |
| Willam E. Squires.....                             | 64      | Donald Cameron.....   | 1 04    |
| Joseph Klein.....                                  | 2 00    | Joseph Ballwater..... | 1 20    |
| E. F. Egan.....                                    | 3 60    | Charles Koch.....     | 36      |
| Michael Conway.....                                | 1 80    | Paul Striebel.....    | 1 20    |
| John Fitzgerald.....                               | 40      | Nelson Homes.....     | 2 00    |
| Unknown man, Ellis Island.....                     | 64      | Henry Walt.....       | 48      |
| Unknown man, Pier 27, East river.....              | 2 40    | David Stein.....      | 60      |
| Unknown man (Adams), No. 125 Lexington avenue..... | 80      | Peter Baumann.....    | 1 80    |
| Charles Parsons.....                               | 64      | Henry Wilkins.....    | 40      |
| James Campbell.....                                | 72      | Total.....            | \$27 62 |

Cash Received from Coroners Office March 2, 1901.

| NAME.                                 | AMOUNT. | NAME.                       | AMOUNT. |
|---------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
| George C. Spain.....less 50 cents     | \$13 03 | Charles Orieck.....         | \$1 00  |
| Frank Teal.....less 30 cents expenses | 3 12    | Joseph Lachenane.....       | 2 70    |
| George Dreisel.....                   | 03      | James Tilford.....          | 25      |
| John Vogel.....                       | 2 11    | Jeremiah O'Brien.....       | 36      |
| John King.....                        | 07      | Joseph Buchanan.....        | 1 00    |
| Robert Farrier.....                   | 50      | James Burke.....            | 45      |
| P. King.....                          | 61      | John Vanderbook.....        | 2 45    |
| Thomas Pirre.....                     | 03      | William Selbe.....          | 18      |
| Nicholas Dremilo.....                 | 08      | George Johnson.....         | 1 70    |
| Lewis Hurst.....                      | 1 05    | Charles Seidler.....        | 95      |
| Philip Adler.....                     | 31      | George Schmidt.....         | 17      |
| Frank Wagner.....                     | 1 50    | Minnie C. Gorman.....       | 01      |
| John Anery.....                       | 08      | William Bloomer.....        | 1 52    |
| Joseph Bliss.....                     | 21      | John Sullivan.....          | 11      |
| John Hall.....                        | 03      | Martin Reardon.....         | 03      |
| John Whalen.....                      | 40      | Gustav Brown.....           | 06      |
| Frank Gass.....                       | 2 15    | Fritz Sherland.....         | 26      |
| Michael Murry.....                    | 1 34    | Leopold Marx.....           | 1 42    |
| Alfonso Bocanainellom.....            | 35      | Leo Heinz.....less 50 cents | 3 12    |
| George Green.....                     | 85      | Total.....                  | \$45 70 |
| Patrick Guinane.....                  |         |                             |         |

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Comptroller :  
No. 519.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 30, 1901.

To the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office :

Weekly statement showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 10, chapter 378, Laws 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office, from January 1 to December 31, 1901, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

| TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.                           | AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS. | PAYMENTS.   | AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES. |
|---|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| City Contingencies.....                             | \$2,500 00                |             | \$2,500 00                     |
| Contingencies—City Clerk.....                       | 1,000 00                  | \$99 92     | 900 08                         |
| The Municipal Assembly and City Clerk—Salaries..... | 196,552 00                | 49,033 96   | 147,518 04                     |
| Total.....  | \$200,052 00              | \$49,133 88 | \$150,918 12                   |

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 254.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen to appoint John H. Stewart a City Surveyor (page 1262, Minutes, March 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed appointment should be made. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

ADAM H. LEICH, CHARLES H. EBBETS, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of appointing John H. Stewart a City Surveyor, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Resolved, That John H. Stewart, of No. 123 West Eleventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

JEREMIAH CRONIN, LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, WILLIAM WENTZ, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, Mundorf, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Wise, and the President—18.

Report of the Committee on Finance—

No. 468.

The Committee of Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing issue of Corporate Stock (\$45,000) for widening roadway of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan (page 23, Minutes, April 2, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), proceeds to be used for widening the roadway of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 29, 1901, and hereby 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 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000) for the purpose of providing means for widening the roadway of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, and other work in connection therewith, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), for the purpose of providing means for widening the roadway of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, and other work in connection therewith, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, March 29, 1901.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, HENRY FRENCH, CONRAD H. HESTER, ADAM H. LEICH, Committee on Finance.

Councilman Goodwin moved that this report be given immediate consideration.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, Murphy, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, and the President—17.

Negative—Councilmen Francisco, Mundorf, Murray, Williams, and Wise—5.

Councilman Goodwin moved that the vote by which the above report was lost be reconsidered. Which was adopted.

Councilman Goodwin then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting.

Which was adopted.



## Report of the Committee on Finance—

No. 472.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing issue of Corporate Stock (\$644,495.63) for bridge, etc., over Newtown creek, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens (page 25, Minutes, April 2, 1901), respectfully

## REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide for the necessary expenses to be incurred in constructing a bridge and approaches across the Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly, as follows :

Section 1. That the Municipal Assembly concurs in and approves of the resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 17, 1899, reading as follows :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), the proceeds whereof shall be paid into the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, which shall be available for the purpose of providing means to defray all necessary expenses incurred in constructing a bridge, with the necessary approaches, over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens ; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance, as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 2. That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof, together with the cash balance in the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, shall be applied by the Comptroller in liquidation of the expenses mentioned and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), the proceeds whereof shall be paid into the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, which shall be available for the purpose of providing means to defray all necessary expenses incurred in constructing a bridge, with the necessary approaches, over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens ; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance, as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 17, 1899.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, CONRAD H. HESTER, ADAM H. LEICH, Committee on Finance.

Councilman Van Nostrand moved that this report be given immediate consideration.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—21.

Negative—Councilmen Engel, Mundorf, and Ryder—3.

Councilman Van Nostrand moved that the vote by which the above report was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Van Nostrand then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting.

Which was adopted.

Subsequently Councilman Van Nostrand called up this matter and again moved its adoption. The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—21.

Negative—Councilmen Engel, Mundorf, and Ryder—3.

Councilman Van Nostrand moved that the vote by which the above report was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Van Nostrand then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting.

Which was adopted.

## COMMUNICATIONS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Aldermen :

No. 520.

The Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred on March 26, 1901 (Minutes, page 670), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioners of the Department of Health to contract, without public letting, for erection of additional pavilion to hospital, North Brother Island, respectfully

## REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Health be and they are hereby authorized to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the erection of an additional pavilion at Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, for the care of persons sick with contagious diseases, said work to be done in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the said Commissioners of the Department of Health, the work to be done at a cost not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the same to be charged to and made payable out of the proper appropriation therefor.

STEPHEN W. MCKEEVER, ROBERT MUH, ARMITAGE MATHEWS, Committee on Public Health.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 11, 1901.

## To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly :

SIRS—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held March 9, 1901, the following preamble and resolution were adopted :

Whereas, This Department requires an additional pavilion at Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, for the care of persons sick with contagious diseases, with as little delay as possible ; and

Whereas, Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, provides that the method of procuring supplies exceeding in aggregate cost the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) shall be by contract, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of three-fourths of the members elected to the Municipal Assembly ; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Honorable the Municipal Assembly be and are hereby respectfully requested to order, under the provisions of law above quoted, that one pavilion, required by this Department to care for patients sick with contagious diseases, may be procured by the Department of Health in the open market, and in such manner as the Commissioners may deem necessary and for the best interests of the public, at an expense not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.)

A true copy.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Councilman Murray moved that Ordinance No. 410 be taken from the order of second reading and placed on the list of special orders.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Hottenroth moved that Ordinance No. 1167 be taken from the order of second reading and placed on the list of special orders.

Which was adopted.

## SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Councilman Leich called up

No. 389.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on February 13, 1901 (Minutes, page 365), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Gwinnett street, from Broadway to Lee avenue, Brooklyn, to "Lorimer" street, respectfully

## REPORT :

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Gwinnett street, from Broadway to Lee avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby changed so as to be hereafter known and designated as Lorimer street.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, LOUIS F. CARDANI, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

Councilman Hottenroth called up

No. 2200.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving Mount Hope place, Borough of The Bronx (page 1862, Minutes, December 11, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT :

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave Mount Hope place, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 5th day of December, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with telford macadam, with a guarantee of maintenance for six (6) months from the contractor, of the roadway of Mount Hope place, between Jerome avenue and Anthony avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being ten thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and twenty-eight thousand two hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, December 7, 1900.

## To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—In accordance with the action taken by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, on May 10, 1900 (copy of which is inclosed herewith), a resolution was adopted by this Board on the 5th instant providing for the paving of Mount Hope place, between Jerome and Anthony avenues, Borough of The Bronx, and I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving said resolution and authorizing the said improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, May 10, 1900.

## Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting May 10, 1900, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of Frederick A. Reiss, and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 10th day of May, 1900, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Mount Hope place, between Jerome and Anthony avenues, Borough of The Bronx, be paved with telford macadam, and that the cost thereof be assessed against the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

Councilman Murray called up

No. 410.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 22, 1901.

## To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—At the meeting of this Board held on the 20th instant the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements approves the changing of the name of the avenue now known as "Marcher" avenue, lying between Jerome avenue and Featherbed lane, Borough of The Bronx, to "Shakespeare" avenue, and that the Municipal Assembly be requested to authorize such change, in accordance with the provisions of section 49 of the Greater New York Charter."

In accordance with the above resolution I transmit herewith a form of ordinance authorizing such change, and would respectfully request that your Honorable Body will give the same favorable consideration.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to change the name of Marcher avenue, Borough of The Bronx, to Shakespeare avenue.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 49 of the Greater New York Charter, the name of the avenue now known as "Marcher" avenue, lying between Jerome avenue and Featherbed lane, Borough of The Bronx, be and the same hereby is changed to "Shakespeare" avenue.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

Councilman Goodwin called up

No. 169.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the purchase, without contract at public letting, of typewriting machines, etc., for the use of the Municipal Courts of The City of New York (page 347, Minutes, February 5, 1901), respectfully

## REPORT :

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

Resolved, That there be purchased without contract at public letting, as provided by section 419, chapter 378, Laws 1897, for the Municipal Courts of The City of New York, fourteen typewriting machines, ten cabinets, special drop, fourteen revolving chairs and six oak stands, at a cost of sixteen hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty cents ; that said costs be charged to the appropriation for the year 1900, entitled "Contingencies to be Certified to the Comptroller by the President of the Board of Justices, Municipal Courts," and that the same be paid therefrom



by the Comptroller of The City of New York on a voucher or vouchers duly certified by the President of the Board of Justices of said Municipal Courts of The City of New York.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Foley, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, and the President—13.

Negative—Councilman Leich—1.

Councilman Goodwin moved that the vote by which the above resolution was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Goodwin then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting.

Which was adopted.

Councilman French called up

No. 2095.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Pitkin avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 1128, Minutes, November 20, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Pitkin avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of November, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Pitkin avenue, between Sackman street and Snediker avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriageway with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, setting or resetting of the curb, flagging or reflagging of the sidewalks where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seventeen thousand six hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fourteen thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, November 19, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

DEAR SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 9th day of November, 1900, in relation to the regulating, grading, etc., of Pitkin avenue, between Sackman street and Snediker avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 5, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 23, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 23d day of June, 1900, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to regulate, grade and pave Pitkin avenue with asphalt pavement, between Sackman street and Snediker avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Inclosed are the following:

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Copy of petition.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

At this point Councilman Cassidy moved a call of the house.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The call resulted as follows:

Present—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Owens, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

Councilman Doyle moved to adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said motion.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Hyland, Mundorf, O'Grady, and Ryder—9.

Negative—Councilmen Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hottenroth, Leich, Murray, Owens, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—10.

Councilman Hottenroth called up

No. 60.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to regulate electric appliances, and also No. 492, for which this is a substitute, and which, in the opinion of the Committee, required amendment (page 63, Minutes, January 8, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said amended ordinance be adopted, and that No. 492 (page 542, Minutes, March 20, 1900), for which the annexed was substituted, be placed on file.

A GENERAL ORDINANCE enacting rules and regulations for the construction, care, maintenance and operation of poles, wires, conduits, subways and other electrical appliances in, on, over or under the streets or in buildings in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly, as follows:

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE CONSTRUCTION AND OCCUPANCY OF ELECTRICAL DUCTS, CONDUITS AND SUBWAYS.

NOTE.—By ducts, conduits or subways referred to herein shall be understood those ducts, conduits or subways already existing, or that may hereafter be constructed, within any portion of this city. By Subway Company shall be understood the owner of said ducts, conduits or subways.

Section 1. No wires, cables or other electrical conductors shall be placed in any subways, conduits or ducts now constructed or hereafter to be constructed, without the written consent of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies being first obtained. Whenever any duly authorized corporation or person desires, or is required to place electrical conductors underground, application must be made to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies on forms provided for that purpose, for such accommodation as may be desired; and if the Commissioner acts upon such application favorably he will direct the Subway Company to furnish the required accommodation in the event that the unused facilities of existing subways are insufficient to meet legitimate requirements.

APPLICATIONS FOR SPACE.

Sec. 2. All applications for space in any subway shall be made in writing to the Subway Company owning the same and shall give The name of the applicant.

The purpose for which the use of the conduit or conduits is desired.

The number, material and dimensions of conductors proposed to be placed therein.

The arrangement of said conductors, whether singly or in cables, and if in cables, the number of conductors and their disposition in each cable.

The maximum electro-motive force to be used on said conductors.

The nature of the insulating material or materials to be employed, and

Such other specific information as will fully explain the use to be made of the space desired.

When applications have been made and space assigned for conduits underground, the written consent of the Commissioner must be obtained before any conductors are placed in the space so assigned.

REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS OF CONDUCTORS.

3. All applications for permits to make repairs or alterations in conductors in the subways shall be made in writing to the Subway Company, and shall give

The name of applicant.

A complete identification of the conductor or conductors referred to, and of the particular conduit or conduits to which access is desired.

As far as possible, the extent and character of the proposed repairs or alterations, and of the probable date when the same will be completed and the conductor or conductors restored to condition for use.

4. Whenever, in the judgment of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, the Subway Company, or any properly authorized agent, repairs or alterations in a conductor or conductors are necessary, such repairs or alterations shall be made by the party owning or controlling said conductor immediately upon notice. During the progress of any repairs or alterations upon or in a conductor or conductors the party owning the same shall take such precaution as may be necessary or expedient to protect the conductors of other parties from injury. Temporary joints shall not be permitted unless properly insulated and protected.

INSULATION AND TESTS.

5. All conductors drawn into and operated in the conduits, and intended to convey current of two or more amperes with an electro-motive force exceeding one hundred (100) volts, shall have withstood at the factory or power-station a test for "breaking down" strength at an electrical pressure of at least two and one-half times greater than the maximum electrical pressure to which the said conductors shall be subjected in actual operation and shall have, when laid and connected in subways, at a temperature of 75 degrees Fahr., an initial insulation resistance of not less than 15 megohms, per mile, per hundred volts electro-motive force on the circuit. Whenever the insulation resistance of a conductor as aforesaid shall prove to be less than five (5) megohms, per mile, per one hundred volts, the use of that conductor shall at once cease, unless the actual electro-motive force on such conductors be reduced so as to re-establish the foregoing ratio.

6. The insulation resistance per mile length of all branches and feeders of the main conductors shall at least equal that of the respective conductors to which said branches and feeders are connected.

Determination of Resistance and Tests.

7. The insulation resistance of each length of cable or conductor shall be determined before said length is laid in the subway. In making this determination an electro-motive force of not less than 150 volts shall be employed and the minimum initial resistance as provided in section 5 shall not be diminished through and after an immersion of the conductor under test of at least sixty consecutive hours in salt water. All lines shall be tested for insulation resistance immediately after completion in the subway, and those carrying currents of over two amperes shall be tested thereafter at least weekly. A conductor shall be tested for insulation resistance immediately after any new connection with, addition or repair to, or alteration of any sort in, said conductor is made, and also whenever any other conductor is placed in the same duct; conductors conveying currents of less than two amperes at a pressure of less than one hundred (100) volts are excepted from the rule.

Reports to be filed with Commissioner and with the Subway Company.

8. All tests and determinations called for by these rules shall be made by the parties owning or controlling conductors. Duly authenticated records of the results of such tests and determinations, within twenty-four hours after the completion of same, shall be filed with the Commissioner, and also with the Subway Company, which shall have power to verify or repeat such tests or determination in its discretion.

Records must be kept, in writing, by the attendant in charge at central stations, of the operation of machines, condition of circuits as shown by tests, occurrence of "grounds," and copies of such daily records must be forwarded weekly, or more frequently if required, to the Commissioner.

Access to all central stations shall be accorded to any duly authorized agent of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, who shall have the right to examine the records of such station's operations at any time.

Immediately after any repairs or alterations are made to a conductor or conductors, a report giving them in detail shall be made to the Subway Company.

In addition to the initial and regular tests, hourly tests shall be made at the power-station while the circuits are in operation, and when such tests show the presence of "escape" or "grounds" on any conductor the operation of such conductors shall at once cease, as provided in section 5.

All alterations or additions to the subways for the purpose of connecting conductors therein with points outside shall be made by the Subway Company upon the request of the lessee desiring the same, provided the same have been authorized by the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and the expense of making such additions or alterations is satisfactorily guaranteed by the parties desiring them.

RENTALS.

9. Rentals shall be paid yearly in advance. Applicants are required to enter into a written contract with the Subway Company, and give satisfactory guarantee for its performance.

ACCESS TO SUBWAYS AND MANHOLES.

10. All manholes shall have the inner cover locked with a special manhole padlock of the Subway Company, the keys of which shall be kept in the possession of the Subway Company.

Access to the subways shall be limited to the authorized representatives:

Of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies;

Of the Subway Company; and

Of the lessees or occupants of the ducts.

Access to the subways shall be had upon application to the Subway Company or its regular inspector. Except in cases of emergency, access to the subway shall not be permitted between sunset and sunrise. The Subway Company may in its judgment deny access or postpone same.

11. Access to the subways shall only be had in the presence of an inspector of the Subway Company, who shall hold possession of the keys of the manhole; who shall see that the manholes are properly opened and closed by the tenant; who shall remain present during the operation of the tenants, and who is hereby charged with the duty of seeing that the Subway Company's property and the property of its tenants are not injured. The inspector is also charged with the enforcement of all rules relating to the use of the subway, and he may suspend any employee of the tenant engaged on the work connected with the subways who violate any of these rules and regulations.

The Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, or the Subway Company, by a properly authorized agent, shall have authority to require such alterations in conductors as may be deemed necessary for their safety or the safety of the subways or of the adjacent conductors; and also to cause the current in any conductor to be interrupted or reduced for such period of the time as may be requisite in the judgment of said agent for the proper protection or necessary convenience of persons working in the manholes, or upon the subways in the vicinity of said conductor.

Tags must be placed on all cables for identification.

MANHOLE GUARD FRAMES.

12. Whenever a manhole is opened, the tenant shall place an iron guard frame in the street opening. When manholes are opened, before commencing work the tenant shall satisfy himself that they are free from gas, and if not he shall ventilate the manholes. The Subway Company will provide for such purposes a fan or blower to be operated by the applicant for such time as may, in the judgment of his authorized representative, be sufficient to clear the manholes of gas to such an extent as to render it safe for his workmen to enter therein; and no light shall be used by the tenant in his operations in the manholes except when the above examination has shown the absence of gas. If, after the first ventilation, gas is noticed, the tenant shall cause the ventilation to be continued.

WATCHMEN ON THE SURFACE.

13. In all work conducted in the manholes, one man shall always be provided by the tenant to act as watchman on the surface at each manhole when open, who shall keep constant guard and warn pedestrians, drivers of carriages, trucks, street cars, etc., and who shall assist the subway inspector in whatever the latter requires in emergency.

Smoking in and around manholes is prohibited.

No one under the influence of liquor shall be allowed to engage in the work in the subway.

PROTECTION AGAINST DUST AND WIND.

14. No cover of any kind whatsoever shall be allowed by the tenant to be placed over the manhole opening; but a shield may be placed around the windward half of the iron frame to protect the workmen from dust and wind.



## RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR OVERHEAD WIRES, POLES, LAMPS, FIXTURES, ETC.

Wires are divided into two classes:

- 1st. Those for telegraph, telephone and signaling purposes.
- 2d. Those for electric light and power.

## POLES.

1. Two lines of poles bearing conductors of a like class shall not be erected in any street or avenue.
2. Two lines of poles shall not be erected on the same side of any street or avenue.
3. Poles shall be set in the sidewalk about twelve inches from the outside curb, and no pole shall be placed within ten feet of any lamp-post or other pole, except at street corners, where necessary in order to support wires running on the cross street.
4. All poles now standing, or erected hereafter, shall be branded or stamped with the initials of the company owning them, at a point not less than five nor more than seven feet from the street surface; and each group of cross-arms, or where necessary the support of a single wire of different ownership must be distinguished by some characteristic paint, mark or fastening.
5. Electric-light lamp-posts will conform with a design approved by the Commissioner.
6. All poles carrying more than four wires shall be at least forty-five feet high, uniform in size, straight and painted from top to bottom such colors as may be designated by the Commissioner.
7. All poles for carrying not more than two wires shall be twenty-five feet high, straight, uniform in size and painted such colors as may be designated by the Commissioner.
8. Cross-arms shall be uniform in length, strengthened by braces, and painted the same color as the poles, the cross-arms of each company being distinguished by some characteristic mark.
9. Each line of poles must be run on one side of the street only, except when absolutely necessary to change to the other side; but permission for such change must first be obtained from the Commissioner.
10. Poles shall be uniformly spaced, and about sixty to the mile.
11. Conductors must not be placed upon fixtures erected or maintained for supporting wires of another class, except at crossings when approved by the Commissioner.
12. All existing regulations in regard to the placing of poles and stringing of wires are to continue in force, except when in conflict with these rules; and the Rules and Regulations of the New York Board of Fire Underwriters must be strictly observed.
13. When any company is permitted to erect poles or other fixtures bearing lamps for the purpose of lighting the streets or public places of the city, the permission is subject to the following provisions, which are expressly made a condition of said permits, viz.:  
Whenever the contract for lighting any such public places shall be given to another company, the company owning said lamp-posts shall, on tender of the first cost thereof, yield possession of same to the company obtaining the new contracts, except in cases where the company owning the lamp-posts prefer to remove them.
14. All broken and "dead" wires, and all wires, poles and fixtures not actually in use (subject to Rule 27) must be removed. When a pole is taken down it must be removed from the streets the same day. New poles must not be brought upon any street more than two days in advance of erection. Any pole that shall lie in any street more than two days shall be removed by the Department of Highways at the expense of the owner thereof.

## WIRES.

15. All wires shall be fastened upon poles or other fixtures with glass, porcelain, rubber or other insulators, approved by the Commissioner, and must be stretched tightly and fastened with a strap of the same kind of wire or other fastening approved by him.
16. All wires which would normally pass within four inches of any pole, building or other object, must be attached to the same and insulated therefrom. Any company refusing permission to make such fastening to its poles shall be guilty of violating this rule. All wires strung on house-tops must be nine (9) feet clear of roof.
17. No wire shall be allowed to hang within twenty feet of pavement at the lowest point of sag between supports, except where required to reach a lamp or where otherwise necessary, and must be protected by extra covering and be rigidly fixed and out of the way.
18. Every line, pole, fixture, etc., must be kept in thorough order, repair and conformity with these Rules and Regulations and specifications in every case where possible under the general permit of repairs (Rule 31), upon penalty of forfeiture of all permits not actually acted upon and a refusal to grant new permits until the rule is complied with, but no additional poles or wires can be erected under cover of repairs, nor shall any route or location be changed without a permit.

## ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER WIRES.

19. All electric-light conductors shall be secured to insulating fastenings and covered with an insulation which is waterproof and not easily worn by abrasion. Whenever the insulation becomes impaired it must be renewed immediately.
20. All joints must be as well insulated as the conductors and the insulation of joints must be maintained.
21. Every wire must be distinguished by a number plainly marked on each cross-arm under the insulator. Day circuits must be conspicuously distinguished. All arc lamps must be so placed as to leave a space underneath of nine (9) feet clear between lamp and sidewalk.
22. Every wire entering a building shall be controlled by a cut-out placed near the entrance, in sight, and easily accessible.
23. In the construction of lines the insulation to be used must be approved by the Commissioner in writing, and when new the insulation must not be less than 30 megohms per mile per thousand volts. The insulation resistance must always be maintained above a minimum of one megohm per mile per thousand volts, and if any circuit falls below this standard the current must be discontinued until the insulation is restored. Under no circumstances shall underwriter's wire be used.
24. All connections with lines of electric-light conductors shall be made at right angles to the line where possible; and connections to buildings shall be run straight across to the building, and then down in front of the building.
25. The insulation must be preserved throughout the entire circuit, and if any portion of a lamp or fixture is part of the circuit and can be reached it must be insulated.
26. All circuits must be tested every hour, and when a ground occurs, efforts must be made to remove it at once. Failing in this, the current must be discontinued until the insulation is restored.
27. No unused loops from electric-light circuits shall be allowed to remain after lamps have been taken away, except in cases where it is positively known that the lamp will be required again within three months, and where there is no underground conduit for this class of circuit. When allowed to remain the joint in the loop must be as well insulated as the line itself.
28. No company shall do a business of electric-lighting in The City of New York without a certificate from the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies after the plant and lines have been inspected and found to comply with all the Rules and Regulations of the Department. Such certificate to remain in force only as long as the condition of the plant and lines remain unchanged, and notice of any alteration to the plant or lines must be made to said Commissioner and a permit obtained.

## GUARD WIRES.

All owners of overhead trolley or high-tension conductors must so protect them with guard wires, where required, so as to prevent other wires from coming in contact with them.

## LINEMEN.

29. Every lineman must wear rubber gloves while at work and must wear a badge in a conspicuous place, giving his number and the name of the company by which he is employed.

## PERMITS.

30. No electrical conductor shall be erected, maintained or placed overhead or underground without a permit in writing therefor being first obtained from the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies; and before such permit is issued the person or company wishing to place or maintain said wires shall make application to said Commissioner in writing, stating the size of said wire, the purpose or use for which the same is intended, and the character of the current intended to be conveyed by same.
31. All companies are authorized and directed to make necessary repairs to their lines of conductors. Permits for the same will be granted by the Commissioner upon application. In cases of emergency repairs may be made without this permit, but a full report of such repairs must be forwarded at once to said Commissioner. This permission does not, however, cover the erection in any street, avenue or highway of any additional wires, poles or other similar fixtures.
- In the case of such lines where notice has been given that underground accommodations have been provided and the notices of time required by law have elapsed, companies owning or operating such lines are not authorized to make any repairs or connections, or to go upon the poles bearing such lines for any purpose whatever, except to remove the said lines of electrical conductors in conformity with the direction of the said Commissioner.
32. The amount of wire allowable for lamp connections from subway subsidiaries to lamps or buildings shall not exceed one hundred feet, and from pole lines to lamps or buildings shall not exceed two hundred and twenty-five feet, and must conform in every way with the Rules and Regulations of this Department.
33. All permits of this Department for overhead wires and fixtures are granted only pending the providing of underground accommodations in the neighborhood of the street or avenue for which a permit is granted.
34. Any officer, employee of this Department, or any member of the Police Department of the city, shall be entitled to examine permits under which work of any kind is being done.
35. No permit shall be granted for the erection of any overhead structure, nor for the repairing of any lines already existing in any street in which underground accommodations for the service have been provided.

36. The violation of any of the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies shall operate ipso facto as a revocation of the permit held by the company or person guilty of such violation.

37. Every company or person erecting poles, wires or fixtures must make and leave, at least once in each week, at the office of the Commissioner, such record of the fixtures, etc., which they are erecting, and of all of the same that they have in use, as are required by the said Commissioner, and in such form as shall be described by him.

38. The company or persons owning or controlling poles in any street or avenue shall allow the same to be used by other companies or persons operating conductors of a similar electrical service when authorized to do so by the Commissioner, on tender of proper compensation, to be determined by agreement between the parties interested. In default of such an agreement, the amount of such compensation shall be determined by the Commissioner. This rule imports a contract on the part of each company or person owning or controlling the poles on any street or avenue, not only with this Department, but also with each company or person who shall, under its terms, be qualified to demand the privileges which it confers, to permit this joint use of poles. And in accepting any permit, the applicant hereby binds himself to this agreement.

## GENERAL PLAN GOVERNING THE ARRANGEMENT OF RULES.

- Class A.—Central stations, dynamo, motor and storage-battery rooms, transformer sub-stations, etc. Rules 1 to 11.
- Class B.—Outside work, all systems and voltages. Rules 12 and 13.
- Class C.—Inside work. Rules 14 to 39. Subdivided as follows:
- General Rules, applying to all systems and voltages. Rules 14 to 17.
- Constant-current systems. Rules 18 to 20.
- Constant-potential systems—
- All voltages. Rules 21 to 23.
- Voltage not over 300. Rules 24 to 31.
- Voltage between 300 and 3,500. Rules 32 to 37.
- Voltage over 3,500. Rules 38 and 39.
- Class D.—Specifications for wires and fittings. Rules 40 to 63.
- Class E.—Miscellaneous. Rules 64 to 67.
- Class F.—Marine wiring. Rules 68 to 80.

## GENERAL SUGGESTIONS.

In all electric work, conductors, however well insulated, should always be treated as bare, to the end that under no conditions, existing or likely to exist, can a grounding or short circuit occur, and so that all leakages, from conductor to conductor, or between conductor and ground, may be reduced to the minimum.

In all wiring special attention must be paid to the mechanical execution of the work. Careful and neat running, connecting, soldering, taping of conductors and securing and attaching of fittings, are specially conducive to security and efficiency, and will be strongly insisted on.

In laying out an installation, except for constant-current systems, the work should, if possible, be started from a centre of distribution, and the switches and cut-outs, controlling and connected with the several branches, be grouped together in a safe and easily accessible place, where they can be readily got at for attention or repairs. The load should be divided as evenly as possible among the branches, and all complicated and unnecessary wiring avoided.

The use of wire-ways for rendering concealed wiring permanently accessible is most heartily indorsed and recommended; and this method of accessible concealed construction is advised for general use.

Architects are urged, when drawing plans and specifications, to make provision for the channeling and pocketing of buildings for electric light or power wires, and in specifications for electric gas lighting to require a two-wire circuit, whether the building is to be wired for electric lighting or not, so that no part of the gas fixtures or gas piping be allowed to be used for the gas-lighting circuit.

Deviations from these rules and regulations may only be made by the Commissioner having jurisdiction.

Current must never be introduced on any electrical wiring, machinery or apparatus installed in any building in The City of New York without first obtaining a certificate from the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

## CLASS A—STATIONS AND DYNAMO ROOMS.

*Includes Central Stations, Isolated Plants, Dynamo, Motor and Storage Battery Rooms, Transformer Sub-stations, etc.*

1. Generators—
  - a. Must be located in a dry place.
  - b. Must never be placed in a room where any hazardous process is carried on, nor in places where they would be exposed to inflammable gases or flyings of combustible materials.
  - c. Must be insulated on floors or base frames, which must be kept filled to prevent absorption of moisture, and also kept clean and dry. Where frame insulation is impracticable, the Inspection Department having jurisdiction may, in writing, permit its omission, in which case the frame must be permanently and effectively grounded.
  - d. A high-potential machine which, on account of great weight, or for other reasons, can not have its frame insulated from the ground, must be surrounded with an insulated platform. This may be made of wood, mounted on insulating supports, and so arranged that a man must always stand upon it in order to touch any part of the machine.
  - In case of a machine having an insulated frame, if there is trouble from static electricity, due to belt friction, it should be overcome by placing near the belt a metallic comb connected with the earth, or by grounding the frame through a very high resistance.
  - NOTE.—It is recommended that the neutral of all central station systems be grounded.
  - e. Every constant-potential generator must be protected from excessive current by a safety fuse, or equivalent device of approved design in each lead wire, to be placed on the machine or as near it as possible.
  - f. Must each be provided with a name-plate, giving the maker's name, the capacity in volts and amperes, and normal speed in revolutions per minute.
  - g. Every generator used for lighting or power purposes must have in circuit on switchboard current and potential indicating devices.
2. Conductors—
  - From generators to switchboards, rheostats or other instruments, and thence to outside lines.
  - a. Must be in plain sight or readily accessible.
  - b. Must have an approved insulating covering, as called for by rules in Class "C" for similar work, except that in central stations, on exposed circuits, the wire which is used must have a heavy braided incombustible outer covering.
  - Bus bars may be made of bare metal.
  - c. Must be kept so rigidly in place that they can not come in contact.
  - d. Must in all other respects be installed under the same precautions as required by rules in Class "C" for wires carrying a current of the same volume and potential.
3. Switchboards—
  - a. Must be so placed as to reduce to a minimum the danger of communicating fire to adjacent combustible material, and must not be built down to floor or up to ceiling, but a space of at least 10 inches must be left between floor and board and 18 inches between board and ceiling, except where floor, ceiling, side-walls and adjacent material are fireproof.
  - b. Must be made of incombustible insulating material or of hard wood in skeleton form, filled to prevent absorption of moisture.
  - c. Must be accessible from all sides when the connections are on the back, but may be placed against a brick or stone wall when the wiring is entirely on the face.
  - d. Must be kept free from moisture.
  - e. Bus bars must be equipped in accordance with rules for placing conductors.
4. Resistance Boxes and Equalizers—
  - (For construction rules, see No. 60.)
  - a. Must be placed on a switchboard, or, if not thereon, at a distance of a foot from combustible material, or separated therefrom by a non-inflammable, non-absorptive insulating material.
5. Lightning Arresters—
  - (For construction rules, see No. 63.)
  - a. Must be attached to each side of every overhead circuit connected with the station, and also to be placed at intervals on the system in such numbers and so located as to prevent ordinary discharges entering (over the wires) buildings connected to the lines.
  - b. Must be located in readily accessible places away from combustible materials, and as near as practicable to the point where the wires enter the building.
  - Station arresters should generally be placed in plain sight on the switchboard.
  - In all cases kinks, coils and sharp bends in the wires between the arresters and the out-door lines must be avoided as far as possible.
  - c. Must be connected with a thoroughly good and permanent ground connection by metallic strips or wires having a conductivity not less than that of a No. 6 B. & S. copper wire, which must be run as nearly in a straight line as possible from the arresters to the earth connection.
  - Ground wires for lightning arresters must not be attached to gas-pipes within the buildings.
  - NOTE.—It is often desirable to introduce a choke coil in circuit between the arresters and the dynamo. In no case must the ground wire from a lightning arrester be put into iron pipes, as these would tend to impede the discharge.
6. Care and attendance—
  - a. A competent man must be kept on duty where generators are operating.
  - b. Oily waste must be kept in approved metal cans and removed daily.
  - Approved waste-cans shall be made of metal, with legs raising can three inches from the floor, and with self-closing covers.



**7. Testing of Insulation Resistance—**

a. All circuits must be provided with reliable ground detectors. Detectors which indicate continuously and give an instant and permanent indication of a ground are preferable. Ground wires from detectors must not be attached to gas-pipes within the building.

b. Where continuously indicating detectors are not feasible the circuits should be tested at least once per day, and preferably oftener.

c. Data obtained from all tests must be preserved for examination by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

**8. Motors—**

a. Must be insulated on floors or base frames, which must be kept filled to prevent absorption of moisture, and must be kept clean and dry. Where frame insulation is impracticable, the Inspection Department having jurisdiction may, in writing, permit its omission, in which case the frame must be permanently and effectively grounded.

b. A high-potential machine which, on account of great weight, or for other reasons, cannot have its frame insulated, must be surrounded with an insulated platform. This may be made of wood, mounted on insulating supports, and so arranged that a man must stand upon it in order to touch any part of the machine.

In case of a machine having an insulated frame, if there is trouble from static electricity, due to belt friction, it should be overcome by placing near the belt a metallic comb connected to the earth, or by grounding the frame through a very high resistance.

c. Must be wired under the same precautions as required by rules in Class "C" for wires carrying a current of the same volume and potential.

d. The motor and resistance box must be protected by a cut-out and controlled by a switch (see No. 17a), said switch plainly indicating whether "on" or "off." Where one-quarter horse-power or less is used on low-tension circuits a single-pole switch will be accepted. The switch and rheostat must be located within sight of the motor, except in such cases where special permission to locate them elsewhere is given, in writing, by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

e. Must have their rheostats or starting boxes located so as to conform to the requirements of Rule 4.

f. In connection with motors the use of circuit breakers, automatic starting boxes and automatic underload switches is recommended, and they must be used when required.

g. Must not be run in series-multiple or multiple-series.

h. Must, if deemed necessary by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction, be inclosed in an approved case.

NOTE.—From the nature of the question, the decision as to what is an approved case must be left to the Inspection Department having jurisdiction to determine in each instance.

i. Must, when combined with ceiling fans, be hung from insulated hooks, or else there must be an insulator interposed between the motor and its support.

j. Must each be provided with a name-plate, giving the maker's name, the capacity in volts and amperes and the normal speed in revolutions per minute.

k. All motors must be provided with an approved metal drip-pan, except where its omission is permitted by this Department.

**9. Railway Power Plants—**

a. Must be equipped in each feed-wire before they leave the station with an approved automatic circuit breaker (see No. 52) or other device, which will immediately cut off the current in case of a ground. This device must be mounted on a fireproof base and in full view and reach of the attendant.

**10. Storage or Primary Batteries—**

a. When current for light and power is taken from primary or secondary batteries the same general regulations must be observed as applied to similar apparatus fed from dynamo generators developing the same difference of potential.

b. Storage battery rooms must be thoroughly ventilated.

c. Special attention is directed to the rules for rooms where acid fumes exist (see No. 24 j and k).

d. All secondary batteries must be mounted on non-absorptive, incombustible insulators, such as glass or thoroughly vitrified and glazed porcelain.

e. The use of any metal liable to corrosion must be avoided in cell connections of secondary batteries.

**11. Transformers—**

(For construction rules, see No. 62.)

a. In central or sub-stations the transformers must be so placed that smoke from the burning out of the coils or the boiling over of the oil (where oil-filled cases are used) could do no harm.

b. Metal cases immediately surrounding converters, where located in readily accessible places, must be effectively grounded.

NOTE.—It is recommended that all secondaries of transformer systems be grounded at the neutral point.

**CLASS B—OUTSIDE WORK—ALL SYSTEMS AND VOLTAGES.****12. Wires—**

a. Service wires must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 41). Line wires, other than services, must have an approved weatherproof or rubber insulating covering (see Nos. 41 and 44). All tie wires must have an insulation equal to that of the conductors they confine.

b. Must be so placed that moisture can not form a cross connection between them, not less than a foot apart, and not in contact with any substance other than their insulating supports. Service blocks must be covered over their entire surface with at least two coats of waterproof paint.

c. Must be at least nine feet above the highest point of flat roofs, and at least one foot above the ridge of pitched roofs over which they pass or to which they are attached.

d. Must be protected by dead insulated guard iron or wires from possibility of contact with other conducting wires or substances to which current may leak. Special precautions of this kind must be taken where sharp angles occur, or where any wires might possibly come in contact with electric light or power wires.

e. Must be provided with petticoat insulators of glass or porcelain. Porcelain knobs or cleats and rubber hooks will not be approved.

f. Must be so spliced or joined as to be both mechanically and electrically secure without solder. The joints must then be soldered, to insure preservation, and covered with an insulation equal to that on the conductors.

g. Must, where they enter buildings, have drip loops outside, and the holes through which the conductors pass must be bushed with non-combustible, non-absorptive insulating tubes slanting upward toward the inside.

h. Telegraph, telephone and similar wires must not be placed on the same poles with electric light or power wires.

i. The metallic sheaths to cables must be permanently and effectively connected to "earth."

j. Conductors in conduit on the outside of any building must have a lead covering which must be continuous from end to end; where splices occur the lead covering must be joined by a lead coupling, soldered so as to make a water-tight joint.

**Trolley Wires.**

k. Must not be smaller than No. 6 B. & S. copper or No. 4 B. & S. silicon bronze, and must readily stand the strain put upon them when in use.

l. Must have a double insulation from the ground. In wooden pole construction the pole will be considered as one insulation.

m. Must be capable of being disconnected at the power plant, or of being divided into sections, so that, in case of fire on the railway route, the current may be shut off from the particular section and not interfere with the work of the firemen. This rule also applies to feeders.

n. Must be safely protected against accidental contact where crossed by other conductors.

**Ground Return Wires.**

o. For the diminution of electrolytic corrosion of underground metal work, ground return wires must be so arranged that the difference of potential between the grounded dynamo terminal and any point on the return circuit will not exceed twenty-five volts.

**13. Transformers—**

(For construction rules, see No. 62.)

a. Must not be placed inside of any building, excepting central stations, unless by special permission of the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

b. Must not be attached to the outside walls of buildings, unless separated therefrom by substantial supports.

**CLASS C—INSIDE WORK—ALL SYSTEMS AND VOLTAGES.****General Rules—All Systems and Voltages.****14. Wires—**

(For special rules, see Nos. 18, 24, 32, 38 and 39.)

a. Must not be of smaller size than No. 14 B. & S., except as allowed under Rules 24u and 45b.

b. Tie wires must have an insulation equal to that of the conductors they confine.

c. Must be so spliced or joined as to be both mechanically and electrically secure without solder; they must then be soldered to insure preservation, and the joint covered with an insulation equal to that on the conductors.

Stranded wires must be soldered before being fastened under clamps or binding screws, and whether stranded or solid, when they have a conductivity greater than No. 8 B. & S. copper wire, they must be soldered into lugs.

d. Must be separated from contact with walls, floors, timbers or partitions through which they may pass by incombustible, non-absorptive insulating tubes, such as glass or porcelain.

Bushings must be long enough to bush the entire length of the hole in one continuous piece, or else the hole must first be bushed by a continuous water-proof tube, which may be a conductor, such as iron pipe; the tube then is to have a non-conducting bushing pushed in at each end so as to keep the wire absolutely out of contact with the conducting pipe.

e. Must be kept free from contact with gas, water or other metallic piping, or any other conductors or conducting material which they may cross, by some continuous and firmly fixed non-conductor, creating a separation of at least one inch. Deviations from this rule may sometimes be allowed by special permission.

f. Must be so placed in wet places that an air space will be left between conductors and pipes in crossing, and the former must be run in such a way that they cannot come in contact with the pipe accidentally. Wires must when possible be run over, rather than under, pipes upon which moisture is likely to gather, or which, by leaking, might cause trouble on a circuit.

**15. Underground Conductors—**

a. Must be protected, when brought into a building, against moisture and mechanical injury, and all combustible material must be kept removed from the immediate vicinity.

b. Must not be so arranged as to shunt the current through a building around any junction box.

**16. Table of Carrying Capacity of Wires—**

| B. & S. G. | TABLE A.<br>RUBBER-<br>COVERED<br>WIRES.<br>See No. 41 | TABLE B.<br>WEATHER-<br>PROOF<br>WIRES.<br>See Nos. 42<br>to 44. | CIRCULAR<br>MILLS. |                 | TABLE A.<br>RUBBER-<br>COVERED<br>WIRES.<br>See No. 41. | TABLE B.<br>WEATHERPROOF<br>WIRES.<br>See Nos. 42<br>to 44. |
|------------|--|--|--------------------|-----------------|---|---|
|            | Amperes.   | Amperes.   |                    |                 | Amperes.  | Amperes.  |
|            |  |  |                    | Circular Mills. |   |   |
| 18.....    | 3  | 5  | 1,624              | 200,000.....    | 200   | 300   |
| 16.....    | 6  | 8  | 2,583              | 300,000.....    | 270   | 400   |
| 14.....    | 12   | 16   | 4,107              | 400,000.....    | 330   | 500   |
| 12.....    | 17   | 23   | 6,530              | 500,000.....    | 390   | 590   |
| 10.....    | 24   | 32   | 10,380             | 600,000.....    | 450   | 680   |
| 8.....     | 33   | 46   | 16,510             | 700,000.....    | 500   | 760   |
| 6.....     | 46   | 65   | 26,250             | 800,000.....    | 550   | 840   |
| 5.....     | 54   | 77   | 33,100             | 900,000.....    | 600   | 920   |
| 4.....     | 65   | 92   | 41,740             | 1,000,000.....  | 650   | 1,000   |
| 3.....     | 76   | 110  | 52,630             | 1,100,000.....  | 690   | 1,080   |
| 2.....     | 90   | 131  | 66,370             | 1,200,000.....  | 730   | 1,150   |
| 1.....     | 107  | 156  | 83,690             | 1,300,000.....  | 770   | 1,220   |
| 0.....     | 127  | 185  | 105,500            | 1,400,000.....  | 810   | 1,290   |
| 00.....    | 150  | 220  | 133,100            | 1,500,000.....  | 850   | 1,360   |
| 000.....   | 177  | 262  | 167,800            | 1,600,000.....  | 890   | 1,430   |
| 0000.....  | 210  | 312  | 211,600            | 1,700,000.....  | 930   | 1,490   |
|            |  |  |                    | 1,800,000.....  | 970   | 1,550   |
|            |  |  |                    | 1,900,000.....  | 1,010   | 1,610   |
|            |  |  |                    | 2,000,000.....  | 1,050   | 1,670   |

Leads from generators to switch-board and bus-bars on switchboards will be exempted from strict compliance with above tables.

The lower limit is specified for rubber-covered wires to prevent gradual deterioration of the high insulations by the heat of the wires, but not from fear of igniting the insulation. The question of drop is not taken into consideration in the above tables.

The carrying capacity of sixteen and eighteen wire is given, but no smaller than fourteen is to be used, except as allowed under Rules 24u and 45b.

**17. Switches, Cut-outs, Circuit Breakers, etc.—**

(For construction rules, see Nos. 51, 52 and 53.)

a. Must, whenever called for, unless otherwise provided (for exceptions see No. 8c and No. 22c), be so arranged that the cut-outs will protect, and the opening of the switch or circuit breaker will disconnect all of the wires; that is in a two-wire system the two wires, and in a three-wire system, the three wires must be protected by the cut-out and disconnected by the operation of the switch or circuit breaker.

b. Must not be placed in the immediate vicinity of easily ignitable stuff or where exposed to inflammable gases or dust or to flyings of combustible material.

c. Must, when exposed to dampness, either be inclosed in a waterproof box or mounted on porcelain knobs.

**Constant Current Systems—Principally Series Arc Lighting.****18. Wires—**

(See also Nos. 14, 15 and 16.)

a. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering. (See No. 41.)

b. Must be arranged to enter and leave the building through an approved double contact service switch (see No. 51), mounted in an incombustible case, kept free from moisture and easy of access to Police or Firemen. So-called "snap-switches" must not be used on high-potential circuits.

c. Must always be in plain sight and never incased, except when required by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

d. Must be supported on glass or porcelain insulators, which separate the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over, and must be kept rigidly at least eight inches from each other, except within the structure of lamps, on hanger-boards, in cut-out boxes or like places where a less distance is necessary.

e. Must, on side walls, be protected from mechanical injury by a substantial boxing, retaining an air space of one inch around the conductors, closed at the top (the wires passing through bushed holes), and extending not less than seven feet from the floor or placed in iron pipe having an approved insulated lining. When crossing floor timbers in cellars or in rooms where they might be exposed to injury wires must be attached by their insulating supports to the under side of a wooden strip not less than one-half an inch in thickness.

**19. Arc Lamps—**

(For construction rules, see No. 57.)

a. Must be carefully isolated from inflammable material.

b. Must be provided at all times with a glass globe surrounding the arc, securely fastened upon a closed base. No broken or cracked globes to be used.

c. Must be provided with a wire netting (having a mesh not exceeding one and one-quarter inches) around the globe, and an approved spark arrester (see No. 58), when readily inflammable material is in the vicinity of the lamps, to prevent escape of sparks, melted copper or carbon. It is recommended that plain carbons, not copper-plated, be used for lamps in such places.

d. Where hanger-boards (see No. 56) are not used, lamps must be hung from insulating supports other than their conductors.

**20. Incandescent Lamps in Series Circuits—**

a. Must have the conductors installed as provided in Rule No. 18, and each lamp must be provided with an automatic cut-out.

b. Must have each lamp suspended from a hanger-board by means of rigid tube.

c. No electro-magnetic device for switches and no system of multiple-series or series-multiple lighting will be approved.

d. Under no circumstances can they be attached to gas fixtures.

**Constant-Potential Systems—General Rules—All Voltages.****21. Automatic Cut-outs (Fuses and Circuit Breakers).**

(See No. 17, and for construction, Nos. 52 and 53.)

a. Must be placed on all service wires, either overhead or underground, as near as possible to the point where they enter the building and inside the walls, and arranged to cut off the entire current from the building.

b. Must be placed at every point where a change is made in the size of wire [unless the cut-out in the larger wire will protect the smaller]. (See No. 16.)

c. Must be in plain sight, or inclosed in an approved box (see No. 54), and readily accessible. They must not be placed in the canopies or shells of fixtures.

d. Must be so placed that no set of incandescent lamps, whether grouped on one fixture or several fixtures or pendants, requiring more than 660 watts shall be dependent upon one cut-out.



Special permission may be given in writing by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction for departure from this rule in case of large chandeliers, stage borders and illuminated signs.

c. Must be provided with fuses, the rated capacity of which does not exceed the allowable carrying capacity of the wire, and, when circuit breakers are used, they must not be set more than about thirty per cent. above the allowable carrying capacity of the wire, unless a fusible cut-out is also installed in the circuit (see No. 16).

## 22. Switches—

(See No. 17, and for construction, No. 51.)

a. Must be placed on all service wires, either overhead or underground, in a readily accessible place, as near as possible to the point where the wires enter the building, and arranged to cut off the entire current.

b. Must always be placed in dry, accessible places, and be grouped as far as possible. Knife switches must be so placed that gravity will tend to open rather than close the switches.

c. Must not be single pole, except when the circuits which they control supply not more than three amperes, or where attached to arc lamps or hanger-boards or otherwise as approved by this Department.

d. Where flush switches are used, whether with conduit systems or not, the switches must be inclosed in boxes, constructed of or lined with fire-resisting material. No push buttons for bells, gas-lighting circuits or the like shall be placed in the same wall plate with switches controlling electric light or power wiring.

e. Where possible at all switch or fixture outlets a seven-eighth-inch block must be fastened between studs or floor timbers, flush with back of lathing, to hold outlet tubings and to support switches or fixtures. When this cannot be done, wooden base blocks not less than three-quarters inch in thickness, securely screwed to lathing, must be provided for switches, also for fixtures which are not attached to gas-pipes or conduit tubing.

*Electric Heating and Cooking Apparatus; also Glue Pots, Sad Irons, Curling Irons, etc., etc.*

## 23. Electric Heaters, Ranges and Stoves—

a. These must be placed in safe situation (out of easy reach of inflammable materials) and separated from and supported on non-conducting and incombustible standards or bases so as to be at least four inches from woodwork of any description or other inflammable material, unless protected by incombustible materials, such as sheet metal and asbestos, or the like, so combined as to prevent appreciable transmission of heat, while securing full insulation. The heating wires or resistances of these heaters, etc., must be inclosed in incombustible cases adapted to prevent accidental contact with any exterior object or material.

These electric heaters, stoves, etc., must never be concealed, but must be at all times in plain sight.

b. They must have double-pole switches, cut-outs, etc., arranged as required for electric lights or power apparatus employing the same current and potential.

c. The attachments of feed wires to "heaters," etc., must be in plain sight, easily accessible and protected from interference, accidental or otherwise.

d. Attachment of conductors to "heaters," etc., must be securely made in the same manner that conductors are attached to motors or generators dealing with currents equal to those employed in these devices, and such conductors must be continuous from the "heaters," etc., to the switch or cut-out, which must not be within two feet of said "heaters," etc. These conductors must be thoroughly well insulated and also covered with a good mechanical protection.

*Portable Cooking Apparatus, Glue Pots, Curling Irons, etc.*

a. The heating coils or resistances of these instruments must be inclosed in incombustible cases, which in turn must be mounted on non-conducting and incombustible bases, raising the same at least one inch from any surface on which they stand.

b. These instruments must not be attached to lamp sockets, and when current of more than ten amperes is required they must conform to the same rules as heaters, ranges, etc.

c. Where currents of ten amperes or less are required, these instruments may be connected by specifically approved flexible double or twin wire conductors, provided such conductor is composed of two multi-strand conductors, each of which is insulated by a waterproof material and asbestos, while both are surrounded by a covering affording adequate mechanical protection. These flexible cords must also be connected to "plug switches" having double-pole fuses in their sockets which will cut out the circuits if a cross-connection should occur in the flexible conductors. Moreover, such "plug switch" must be so arranged that the plug will pull out and break the connection if an abnormal mechanical strain is brought on the flexible conductor.

The leading in wires of these flexible cords must be connected to heaters or the like at the point of lowest temperature, and where such wires are detachable at the heater, their terminals must be arranged with female ends protected by porcelain, extending at least one-eighth-inch beyond the metal terminals.

If the connection at the heater is fixed, a separable double-pole connector must be placed in the circuit so that in case an undue strain is brought on the conductors the device will be automatically cut out and disconnected.

Flexible cord connections longer than six feet will not be permitted.

Receptacles for plug attachments must be placed at least six inches above the floor.

Where switches are provided they must conform to the rules laid down in Rule 51 of the General Requirements.

Where a number of utensils are grouped for general cooking service, installation to be approved must be provided with slate, soapstone or other approved slab or table for utensils to rest upon. Plug receptacles mounted on slate or other approved materials shall be attached to mains running at least six inches above the working service of the table.

Sad irons and other heating appliances that are intended to be applied to inflammable articles, such as clothing, must be arranged as above as far as connections, etc., are concerned, and must also be provided with approved attachments which will cut off current when they are not in actual use.

The leading in wires to these forms of apparatus must be connected through porcelain connecting blocks, and the cable or cord of the same must be passed through an insulated elastic spiral or spring so arranged as to protect the same from kinking, chafing or like injury at or near the point of connection.

These conductors must be so placed that they will at all times be at least four feet from the floor and well protected against contact with water-pipes or other possible ground connections.

The use of no flexible cord will be permitted, unless specifically approved by this Department.

*Low-potential Systems—300 Volts or Less.*

Any circuit attached to any machine, or combination of machines, which develops a difference of potential between any two wires of over ten volts and less than 300 volts, shall be considered as a low-potential circuit, and as coming under this class, unless an approved transforming device is used, which cuts the difference of potential down to ten volts or less. The primary circuit not to exceed a potential of 3,000 volts.

## 24. Wires—

GENERAL RULES.

(See also Nos. 14, 15 and 16.)

a. Must not be laid in plaster, cement or similar finish.

b. Must never be fastened with staples.

c. Must not be fished for any great distance, and only in places where the inspector can satisfy himself that the rules have been complied with.

d. Twin wires must never be used except in conduits, or where flexible conductors are necessary.

e. Must be protected on side walls from mechanical injury. When crossing floor timbers in cellars or in rooms, where they might be exposed to injury, wires must be attached by their insulating supports to the under side of a wooden strip, not less than one-half inch in thickness and not less than three inches in width.

f. When run immediately under roofs, or in proximity to water tanks or pipes, will be considered as exposed to moisture.

SPECIAL RULES.

For open work:

In dry places:

g. Must have an approved rubber or weatherproof insulation (see Nos. 41 and 42).

h. Must be rigidly supported on non-combustible, non-absorptive insulators, which separate the wire at least one-half inch from the surface wired over, and they must be kept apart at least two and one-half inches.

In damp places, such as breweries, packing houses, stables, dye houses, paper or pulp mills, or buildings specially liable to moisture or acid or other fumes liable to injure the wires or their insulation, except where used for pendants:

i. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 41).

j. Must be rigidly supported on non-combustible, non-absorptive insulators which separate the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over, and they must be kept apart at least two and one-half inches.

k. If conduit is used it must be made water-tight and the ends of the conduit properly sealed.

For moulding work:

l. Must have approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 41).

m. Must never be placed in moulding in concealed or damp places.

For conduit work:

n. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 47).

o. Must not be drawn in until all mechanical work on the building has been, as far as possible, completed.

p. Must, for alternating systems, have the two or more wires of a circuit drawn in the same conduit.

For so-called concealed work:

r. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 41).

s. Must be rigidly supported on non-combustible, non-absorptive insulators which separate the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over; must be kept at least ten inches apart, and, when possible, must be run singly on separate timbers or studding; must be separated from contact with walls, floors, timbers or partitions through which they may pass by non-combustible, non-absorptive insulating tubes, such as glass or porcelain. In running down walls in knob and tube work where iron conduit is used, the wires must enter conduit through a three-way outlet box screwed to the conduit with a cover; the wires to be protected from the last knob into box and to the conduit by approved flexible insulating tubing.

t. When, from the nature of the case, it is impossible to place concealed wiring on incombustible insulating supports of glass or porcelain, the wires, if not exposed to moisture, may be fished on the loop system if encased throughout in approved continuous flexible tubing or conduit, or if an extra insulated or protected wire that has received the approval of this Department is used.

For fixture work:

u. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 46), and shall not be less in size than No. 18 B. & S.

v. Supply conductors, and especially the splices to fixture wires, must be kept clear of the grounded part of gas-pipes, and where shells are used the latter must be constructed in a manner affording sufficient area to allow this requirement.

w. Must, when fixtures are wired outside, be so secured as not to be cut or abraded by the pressure of the fastenings or motion of the fixture.

## 25. Interior Conduits—

(See also, Nos. 24, 41 to 49, and 49.)

a. No conduit tube having an internal diameter of less than one-half inch shall be used.

b. Must be continuous from one junction box to another or to fixtures, and the conduit tube must properly enter all fittings.

c. Must be first installed as a complete conduit system, without the conductors.

d. Must be equipped at every outlet with an approved outlet box.

e. Metal conduits, where they enter junction boxes, and at all other outlets, etc., must be provided with an approved bushing fitted so as to protect wire from abrasion.

f. Must have the metal of the conduit permanently and effectually grounded.

## 26. Fixtures—

(See also No. 24, 41 to 49.)

a. Must, when supported from the gas piping of a building, be insulated from the gas-pipe system by means of approved insulating joints (see No. 59) placed as close as possible to the ceiling.

It is required that the gas outlet pipe be protected above the insulating joint by an incombustible, non-absorptive insulating tube, having a flange at the lower end where it comes in contact with the insulating joint, and that, where outlet tubes are used, they be of sufficient length to extend below the insulating joint, and that they be so secured that they will not be pushed back when the canopy is put in place. Where iron ceilings are used care must be taken to see that the canopy is thoroughly and permanently insulated from the ceiling.

b. Must have all burrs or fins removed before the conductors are drawn into the fixture.

c. No combination fixture in which the conductors are concealed in a space less than one-fourth inch between the inside pipe and the outside casing will be approved.

d. Ceiling blocks of fixtures must be made of insulating material; or, the wires in passing through the plate must be surrounded with incombustible, non-absorptive insulating material, such as glass or porcelain.

## 27. Sockets—

(For construction rules, see No. 55.)

a. In rooms where inflammable gases may exist the incandescent lamp and socket must be inclosed in a vapor-tight globe, and supported on a pipe-hanger, wired with approved rubber covered wire (see No. 41) soldered directly to the circuit.

b. In damp or wet places, or over specially inflammable stuff, waterproof sockets must be used.

## 28. Flexible Cord—

a. Must have an approved insulation and covering (see No. 45).

b. Must not be used as a support for clusters.

c. Must not be used except for pendants, wiring of fixtures and portable lamps or motors.

d. Must not be used in windows, except for fixtures.

e. Must be protected by insulating bushings where the cord enters the socket.

f. Must be so suspended that the entire weight of the socket and lamp will be borne by knots under the bushing in the socket, and above the point where the cord comes through the ceiling block or rosette, in order that the strain may be taken from the joints and binding screws.

g. Must not be used on walls, partitions or other places where standard methods of wiring can be employed.

## 29. Arc Lamps on Low-potential Circuits—

a. Must have a cut-out (see 17) for each lamp or each series of lamps.

b. Must only be furnished with such resistances or regulators as are inclosed in incombustible material, such resistances being treated as sources of heat. Incandescent lamps must not be used for resistance devices.

c. Must be supplied with globes and protected by spark arresters, as in the case of arc lights on high-potential circuits. (See Nos. 19 and 58.)

## 30. Economy Coils—

a. Economy and compensator coils for arc lamps must be mounted on incombustible, non-absorptive insulating supports, such as glass or porcelain, allowing an air space of at least one inch between frame and support, and in general to be treated like sources of heat.

## 31. Decorative Series Lamps—

a. Incandescent lamps run in series shall not be used for decorative purposes inside of buildings, except by special permission in writing.

## Signs:

a. All signs where receptacles and wiring are not mounted on the face must be constructed entirely of metal.

b. All receptacles with lug connections used in the construction of signs must be soldered to conductors and the exposed metal parts taped and compounded.

*High-potential Systems—300 to 3,000 Volts.*

Any circuit attached to any machine, or combination of machines, which develops a difference of potential, between any two wires, of over 300 volts and less than 3,000 volts shall be considered as a high-potential circuit, and as coming under this class, unless an approved transforming device is used, which cuts the difference of potential down to 300 volts or less.

## 32. Wires—

(See also Nos. 14, 15 and 16.)

a. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering. (See No. 41.)

b. Must be always in plain sight and never incased, except where required by this Department.

c. Must be rigidly supported on glass or porcelain insulators, which raise the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over, and must be kept apart at least four inches for voltages up to 750, and at least eight inches for voltages over 750.

d. Must be protected on side walls from mechanical injury by a substantial boxing, retaining an air space of one inch around the conductors, closed at the top (the wires passing through bushed holes) and extending not less than seven feet from the floor, or placed in iron pipe having an approved insulated lining. When crossing floor timbers, in cellars or in rooms, where they might be exposed to injury, wires must be attached by their insulating supports to the under side of a wooden strip not less than one-half inch in thickness.

## 33. Transformers (where permitted inside buildings, see No. 13)—

(For construction rules, see No. 62.)

a. Must be located at a point as near as possible to that at which the primary wires enter the building.

b. Must be placed in an inclosure constructed of or lined with fire-resisting material; where possible, the inclosure to be ventilated to the out-door air, and the inclosure to be kept securely locked.

## 34. Car Wiring—

a. Must be always run out of reach of the passengers, and must have an approved rubber insulating covering. (See No. 41.)

## 35. Car Houses—

a. Must have the trolley wires securely supported on insulating hangers.

b. Must have the trolley hangers placed at such a distance apart that in case of a break in the trolley wire, contact cannot be made with the floor.

c. Must have cut-out switch located at a proper place outside of the building, so that all trolley circuits in the building can be cut out at one point, and line circuit breakers must be installed, so that when this cut-out switch is open the trolley wire will be dead at all points within the building. The current must be cut out of the building whenever the same is not in use or the road not in operation.

d. Must have all lamps and stationary motors installed in such a way that one main switch can control the whole of each installation—lighting or power—independently of main feeder switch. No portable incandescent lamps or twin wire allowed, except that portable incandescent lamps may be used in the pits, connections to be made by two approved rubber-covered flexible wires (see No. 41), properly protected against mechanical injury; the circuit to be controlled by a switch placed outside of the pit.



- e. Must have all wiring and apparatus installed in accordance with the rules under Class "C" for constant potential systems.
- f. Must not have any system of feeder distribution centering in the building.
- g. Must have the rails bonded at each joint with not less than No. 2 B. & S. annealed copper wire; also a supplementary wire to be run for each track.
- h. Must not have cars left with trolley in electrical connection with the trolley wire.
36. Lighting and Power from Electric Railway Circuits or Wires—
- a. Lighting and power from electric railway circuits or wires, having a ground return, will not be permitted except in electric railway cars, electric car houses, and their power stations.
37. Series Lamps—
- a. No system of multiple-series or series-multiple for light or power will be approved.
- b. Under no circumstances can lamps be attached to gas fixtures.

#### Extra High-potential Systems—Over 3,000 Volts.

- Any circuit attached to any machine or combination of machines, which develops a difference of potential, between any two wires, of over 3,000 volts, shall be considered as an extra high-potential circuit, and as coming under that class, unless an approved transforming device is used, which cuts the difference of potential down to 3,000 volts or less.
38. Primary Wires—
- Must not be brought into or over buildings, except power and substations.
39. Secondary Wires—
- a. Must be installed under Rules for high-potential systems, when their immediate primary wires carry a current at a potential of over 3,000 volts.

#### CLASS D—FITTINGS, MATERIALS AND DETAILS OF CONSTRUCTION.

##### All Systems and Voltages—Insulated Wires—Rules 40 to 48.

40. General Rules—
- a. Copper for insulated conductors must never vary in diameter so as to be more than two-thousandths of an inch less than the specified size.
- b. Wires and cables of all kinds designed to meet the following specifications must be plainly tagged or marked as follows:
1. The maximum voltage at which the wire is designed to be used.
  2. The words "National Electrical Code Standard."
  3. Name of the manufacturing company and, if desired, trade name of the wire.
  4. Month and year when manufactured.
41. Rubber Covered—
- a. Copper for conductors must be thoroughly tinned.
- Insulation for voltages between 0 and 600:
- b. Must be of rubber or other approved substance, and be of a thickness not less than that given in the following table for B. & S. gauge sizes:
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|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| From 18 to 16, inclusive,         | $\frac{3}{32}$ inch. |
| From 14 to 8, inclusive,          | $\frac{3}{16}$ inch. |
| From 7 to 2, inclusive,           | $\frac{1}{8}$ inch.  |
| From 1 to 0000, inclusive,        | $\frac{5}{32}$ inch. |
| From 0000 to 500,000, C. M.,      | $\frac{3}{16}$ inch. |
| From 500,000 to 1,000,000, C. M., | $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.  |
| Larger than 1,000,000, C. M.,     | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.  |
- Measurements of insulating wall are to be made at the thinnest portion of the dielectric.
- c. The completed coverings must show an insulation resistance of at least 100 megohms per mile during thirty days' immersion in water at 70 degrees Fahrenheit.
- d. Each foot of the completed covering must show a dielectric strength sufficient to resist throughout five minutes the application of an electro-motive force of 3,000 volts per one-sixty-fourth of an inch thickness of insulation under the following conditions:
- The source of alternating electro-motive force shall be a transformer of at least one kilowatt capacity. The application of the electro-motive force shall first be made at 4,000 volts for five minutes, and then the voltage increased by steps of not over 3,000 volts, each held for five minutes, until the rupture of the insulation occurs. The tests for dielectric strength shall be made on a sample of wire which has been immersed for seventy-two hours in water, one foot of which is submerged in a conducting liquid held in a metal trough, one of the transformer terminals being connected to the copper of the wire and the other to the metal of the trough.
- Insulation for voltages between 600 and 3,500:
- e. The thickness of the insulating walls must not be less than those given in the following table for B. & S. gauge sizes:
- |                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| From 14 to 1 inclusive,     | $\frac{3}{16}$ inch.                              |
| From 0 to 500,000, C. M.,   | $\frac{3}{8}$ inch, covered by a tape or a braid. |
| Larger than 500,000, C. M., | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, covered by a tape or a braid. |
- f. The requirements as to insulation and break-down resistance for wires for low-potential systems shall apply, with the exception that an insulation resistance of not less than 300 megohms per mile shall be required.
- Insulations for voltages over 3,500:
- g. Wire for arc-light circuits exceeding 3,500 volts potential shall have an insulating wall not less than six-thirty-seconds of an inch in thickness, and shall withstand a break-down test of at least 30,000 volts and have an insulation of at least 500 megohms per mile.
- The tests on this wire to be made under the same conditions as for low-potential wires.
- h. All of the above insulations must be protected by a substantial braided covering thoroughly saturated with a preservative compound and sufficiently strong to withstand all the abrasion likely to be met with in practice, and sufficiently elastic to permit all wires smaller than No. 7 B. & S. gauge to be bent around a cylinder with twice the diameter of the wire, without injury to the braid.

42. Slow-burning Weatherproof—
- a. The insulation shall consist of two coatings, the inner one to be fireproof in character, the outer to be weatherproof. The inner fireproof coating must comprise at least six-tenths of the total thickness of the wall. The completed covering must be of a thickness not less than that given in the following table for B. & S. gauge sizes:
- |                                   |                     |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| From 14 to 8 inclusive,           | $\frac{3}{8}$ inch. |
| From 7 to 2, inclusive,           | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. |
| From 2 to 0000, inclusive,        | $\frac{5}{8}$ inch. |
| From 0000 to 500,000, C. M.,      | $\frac{3}{4}$ inch. |
| From 500,000 to 1,000,000, C. M., | $\frac{7}{8}$ inch. |
| Larger than 1,000,000, C. M.,     | 1 inch.             |
- Measurements of insulating wall are to be made at the thinnest portion of the dielectric.
- b. The inner fireproof coating shall be layers of cotton or other thread, the outer one of which must be braided. All the interstices of these layers are to be filled with the fireproofing compound. This is to be material whose solid constituent is not susceptible to moisture and which will not burn even when ground in an oxidizable oil, making a compound which, while proof against fire and moisture, at the same time has considerable elasticity, and which, when dry, will suffer no change at a temperature of 250 degrees Fahrenheit, and which will not burn at even higher temperature.
- c. The weatherproof coating shall be a stout braid thoroughly saturated with a dense moisture-proof compound thoroughly slicked down, applied in such manner as to drive any atmospheric moisture from the cotton braiding, thereby securing a covering to a great degree waterproof and of high insulating power. This compound to retain its elasticity at zero Fahrenheit, and not to drip at 160 degrees Fahrenheit.

43. Slow-burning—
- a. The insulation shall be the same as the "slow-burning weatherproof," except that the outer braiding shall be impregnated with a fireproofing compound similar to that required for the interior layers, and with the outer surface finished smooth and hard.
- This "slow-burning" ("Underwriters") wire shall only be used with special permission of this Department.
44. Weatherproof—
- a. The insulating covering shall consist of at least three braids thoroughly impregnated with a dense moisture repellent, which will not drip at a temperature lower than 180 degrees Fahrenheit. The thickness of insulation shall be not less than that of "slow-burning weatherproof." The outer surface shall be thoroughly slicked down.

- NOTE.—This wire is for outdoor use where moisture is certain and where fireproof qualities are not necessary.
45. Flexible Cord—
- a. Must be made of stranded copper conductors, each strand to be not larger than No. 26 or smaller than No. 30 B. & S. gauge, and each stranded conductor must be covered by an approved insulation and protected from mechanical injury by a tough, braided outer covering.

- For pendant lamps—
- In this class is to be included all flexible cord which, under usual conditions, hangs freely in air, and which is not likely to be moved sufficiently to come in contact with surrounding objects.
- b. Each stranded conductor must have a carrying capacity equivalent to not less than a No. 18 B. & S. gauge wire, unless special permission of this Department is first obtained.
- c. The covering of each stranded conductor must be made up as follows:
1. A tight, close wind of fine cotton.
  2. The insulation proper, which shall be either waterproof or slow-burning.
  3. An outer cover of silk or cotton.

- d. Waterproof insulation must be solid, at least one-thirty-second of an inch thick, and must show an insulation resistance of fifty megohms per mile throughout two weeks' immersion in water at 70 degrees Fahrenheit, and stand the tests prescribed for low-tension wires as far as they apply.

- e. Slow-burning insulation must be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness and composed of substantial, elastic, slow-burning materials, which will suffer no damage at a temperature of 250 degrees Fahrenheit.

- f. The outer protecting braiding must, when required, be so put on and sealed in place that when cut it will not fray out, and where cotton is used, it must be impregnated with a flameproof paint, which will not have an injurious effect on the insulation.

#### For portables—

- In this class is included all cord used on portable lamps, small portable motors, etc.
- g. Flexible cord for portable use must have waterproof insulation as required in section d for pendant cord, and in addition be provided with a reinforcing cover especially designed to withstand the abrasion it will be subject to in the uses to which it is to be put.

#### For portable heating apparatus—

- h. Must be made up as follows:
1. A tight, close wind of fine cotton.
  2. A thin layer of rubber about one-one-hundredth of an inch thick, or other cementing material.
  3. A layer of asbestos insulation at least three-sixty-fourths of an inch thick.
  4. A stout braid of cotton.
  5. An outer reinforcing cover especially designed to withstand abrasion.

#### 46. Fixture Wire—

- a. Must have a solid insulation, with a slow-burning, tough, outer covering, the whole to be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and show an insulation resistance between conductors and between either conductor and the ground of at least one megohm per mile, after one week's submersion in water at 70 degrees Fahrenheit, and after three minutes' electrification with 550 volts.

#### 47. Conduit Wire—

- Conduit wire must comply with the following specifications:

- a. Single wires for lined conduits must comply with requirements as laid down in Rule 41. For unlined conduits, must comply with the same requirements, except that tape may be substituted for braid, and in addition there must be a second outer fibrous covering at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and sufficiently tenacious to withstand the abrasion of being hauled through the metal conduit.

- b. For twin or duplex wires in lined conduits, each conductor must comply with requirements in Rule 41, except that tape may be substituted for braid, and must have a substantial braid covering the whole. For unlined conduits each conductor must comply with requirements in Rule 41, except that tape may be substituted for braid, and in addition must have a braid covering the whole at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and sufficiently tenacious to withstand the abrasion of being hauled through the metal conduit.

- c. For concentric wires, the inner conductor must comply with the requirements in Rule 41, except that tape may be substituted for braid, and there must be outside of the outer conductor the same insulation as on the inner, the whole to be covered with a substantial braid, which for unlined conduit must be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and sufficiently tenacious to withstand the abrasion of being hauled through the metal conduit.

#### 48. Armored Cable—

- a. The armor of such cables must be at least equal in thickness and of equal strength to resist penetration by nails, etc., as the armor of metal coverings of metal conduits (see No. 49 b).

- b. The conductors in same, single wire or twin conductors, must have an insulating covering as required by No. 41, any filler used to secure a round exterior must be impregnated with a moisture repellent, and the whole bunch of conductors and fillers must have a separate exterior covering of insulating material at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, conforming to the insulation standard given in No. 41, and covered with a substantial braid.

#### 49. Interior Conduits—

(For wiring rules, see Nos. 24 and 25.)

- a. Each length of conduit, whether insulated or uninsulated, must have the maker's name or initials stamped in the metal or attached thereto in a satisfactory manner, so that the inspectors can readily see the same.

#### Metal Conduits with Lining of Insulating Material:

- b. The metal covering or pipe must be equal in strength to the ordinary commercial forms of gas-pipe of the same size, and its thickness must be not less than that of standard gas-pipe, as shown by the following table:

| SIZE.               | THICKNESS OF WALL. | SIZE.                | THICKNESS OF WALL. |
|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Inches.             | Inches.            | Inches.              | Inches.            |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ ..... | .109               | $1\frac{1}{4}$ ..... | .140               |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ ..... | .111               | $1\frac{1}{2}$ ..... | .145               |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ ..... | .113               | 2.....               | .154               |
| 1.....              | .134               |                      |                    |

- An allowance of two-one-hundredths of an inch for variation in manufacturing and loss of thickness by cleaning will be permitted.

- c. Must not be seriously affected externally by burning out a wire inside the tube when the iron pipe is connected to one side of the circuit.

- d. Must have the insulating lining firmly secured to the pipe.

- e. The insulating lining must not crack or break when a length of the conduit is uniformly bent at temperature of 212 degrees Fahrenheit to an angle of 90 degrees, with a curve having a radius of 15 inches for pipes of one inch and less and fifteen times the diameter of pipe for larger pipes.

- f. The insulating lining must not soften injuriously at a temperature below 212 degrees Fahrenheit and must leave water in which it is boiled practically neutral.

- g. The insulating lining must be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and the material of which it is composed must be of such a nature as will not have a deteriorating effect on the insulation of the conductor, and be sufficiently tough and tenacious to withstand the abrasion test of drawing in and out of same long lengths of conductors.

- h. The insulating lining must not be mechanically weak after three days' submersion in water, and, when removed from the pipe entire, must not absorb more than 10 per cent. of its weight of water during 100 hours of submersion.

- i. All elbows or bends must be so made that the conduit or lining of same will not be injured. The radius of the curve of the inner edge of any elbow not to be less than three and one-half inches. Must have not more than the equivalent of four quarter bends from outlet to outlet, the bends at the outlets not being counted.

#### Uninsulated Metal Conduits—

- j. Plain iron or steel pipes of equal thickness, or of equal strength, specified for lined conduits in No. 49 b, may be used as conduits, provided their interior surfaces are smooth and free from burrs; pipe to be galvanized, or the interior surfaces coated or enameled to prevent oxidation, with some substance which will not soften so as to become sticky and prevent wire from being withdrawn from the pipe.

- k. All elbows or bends must be so made that the conduit will not be injured. The radius of the curve of the inner edge of any elbow not to be less than three and one-half inches. Must have not more than the equivalent of four quarter bends from outlet to outlet, the bends at the outlet not being counted.

#### 50. Wooden Mouldings—

(For wiring rules, see No. 24.)

- a. Must have, both outside and inside, at least two coats of waterproof paint, or be impregnated with a moisture repellent.

- b. Must be made of two pieces, a backing and capping, so constructed as to thoroughly incase the wire, and provide a one-half inch tongue between the conductors and a solid backing, which, under grooves, shall not be less than three-eighths of an inch in thickness, and must afford suitable protection from abrasion.

- It is recommended that only hardwood moulding be used.

#### 51. Switches—

(See Nos. 17 and 22.)

- a. Must be mounted on incombustible, non-absorptive, insulating bases, such as slate or porcelain.

- b. Must have carrying capacity sufficient to prevent undue heating.

- c. Must, when used for service switches, indicate, on inspection, whether the current be "on" or "off."

- d. Must be plainly marked, where it will always be visible, with the name of the maker and the current and voltage for which the switch is designed.

- e. Must, for constant potential systems, operate successfully a 50 per cent. overload in amperes, with 25 per cent. excess voltage under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice.

- f. Must, for constant potential systems, have a firm and secure contact; and for snap switches, must make and break readily, and not stop when motion has once been imparted by the handle.

- g. Must, for constant current systems, close the main circuit and disconnect the branch wires when turned "off"; must be so constructed that they shall be automatic in action, not stopping between points when started, and must prevent an arc between the points under all circumstances. They must indicate, upon inspection, whether the current be "on" or "off."



4. The following table shows minimum break distance and separation of nearest metal parts of opposite polarity of plain knife switches for different voltages and different currents. The values given refer to the marked capacities of the switches and include the safety factors required by rule No. 512. The values given are correct for switches to be used on direct-current systems and can, therefore, be safely followed in devices designed for alternating currents.

| 125 VOLTS OR LESS.                  | SEPARATION OF NEAREST METAL PARTS OF OPPOSITE POLARITY. | MINIMUM BREAK DISTANCE. | OVER 125 VOLTS.          | SEPARATION OF NEAREST METAL PARTS OF OPPOSITE POLARITY. | MINIMUM BREAK DISTANCE. |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| <i>For Switch and Panel Boards.</i> |   |                         | 125 to 250 Volts—        |   |                         |
|                                     |   |                         | <i>For all Switches.</i> |   |                         |
| 15 amperes or less.....             | 3/4 inch.....   | 1/4 inch.               | 15 amperes or less.....  | 1 1/2 inch.....   | 1 1/4 inch.             |
| 16-25 amperes.....                  | 1 ".....  | 3/4 "                   | 16-35 amperes.....       | 1 3/4 ".....  | 1 1/2 "                 |
| 26-50 ".....                        | 1 1/4 ".....  | 1 "                     | 36-100 ".....            | 2 1/4 ".....  | 2 "                     |
| <i>For Individual Switches.</i>     |   |                         | 101-300 ".....           | 2 1/2 ".....  | 2 1/4 "                 |
| 15 amperes or less.....             | 1 inch.....   | 3/4 inch.               | 301-1,000 ".....         | 3 ".....  | 2 3/4 "                 |
| 16-35 amperes.....                  | 1 1/4 ".....  | 1 "                     | 250 to 600 Volts—        |   |                         |
| 36-100 ".....                       | 1 1/2 ".....  | 1 1/4 "                 | <i>For all Switches.</i> |   |                         |
| 101-300 ".....                      | 2 1/4 ".....  | 2 "                     | 15 amperes or less.....  | 3 1/2 inch.....   | 3 inch.                 |
| 301-1,000 ".....                    | 3 ".....  | 2 3/4 "                 | 16-35 amperes.....       | 4 ".....  | 3 1/2 "                 |
|                                     |   |                         | 36-100 ".....            | 4 1/2 ".....  | 4 "                     |

Auxiliary breaks or equivalent are recommended for switches designed for over 300 volts and less than 100 amperes, and will be required on switches designed for use in breaking currents over 100 amperes, at a pressure of more than 300 volts.

#### Snap Switches—

Flush, push-button, door, fixture and other snap switches used on constant potential systems must be constructed in accordance with the following specifications:

i. Must "make" and "break" with a quick snap, and not stop when motion has once been imparted by the button or handle.

j. All switches must have ample metal for stiffness and to prevent rise in temperature of any part of over 50 degrees Fahrenheit at full load, the contacts being arranged so that a thoroughly good bearing at every point is obtained. The whole device to be mechanically well made throughout.

k. Pieces carrying contact jaws must be secured to the base by at least two screws, or else made with a square shoulder, or provided with dowel pins, or otherwise arranged, to prevent possible turnings; and the nuts or screw heads on the under side of the base must be countersunk not less than one-eighth inch, and covered with a waterproof compound which will not melt below 150 degrees Fahrenheit.

l. Current-carrying parts must be mounted on non-combustible, non-absorptive insulating bases, such as slate or porcelain, and the holes for supporting screws should be countersunk not less than one-eighth inch; and in no case must there be less than three-sixty-fourths inch space between supporting screws and current-carrying parts.

m. Any material used for insulating current-carrying parts must retain its insulating and mechanical strength when subject to continued use, and must not soften at a temperature of 212 degrees Fahrenheit.

n. Binding posts must be substantially made, and the screws must be of such size that the threads will not strip when set up tight with a screwdriver.

o. Covers made of conducting material, except face plates for flush switches, must be lined on sides and top with insulating, tough and tenacious material at least one-thirty-second inch in thickness, firmly secured so that it will not fall out with ordinary handling. Side lining should extend slightly beyond the lower edge of the cover.

p. The handle or button of any exposed parts must not be in electrical connection with the circuit.

q. Must be plainly marked where it may be readily seen after the device is installed, with the name or trade-mark of the maker and the current and voltage for which the switch is designed.

r. Must operate successfully at 50 per cent. overload in amperes and 25 per cent. excess voltage under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice.

s. When slowly turned "on and off" at the rate of about two or three times per minute, must "make and break" the circuit 6,000 times before failing, while carrying the rated current.

#### 52. Cut-outs and Circuit Breakers—

(For installation rules, see Nos. 17 and 21.)

a. Must be supported on bases of incombustible, non-absorptive insulating material.

b. Cut-outs must be provided with covers when not arranged in approved cabinets, so as to obviate any danger of the melted fuse metal coming in contact with any substance which might be ignited thereby.

c. Cut-outs must operate successfully, under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice, on short circuits with fuses rated at 50 per cent. above and with a voltage of 25 per cent. above the current and voltage for which they are designed.

d. Circuit breakers must operate successfully under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice, on short circuits when set at 50 per cent. above the current, and with a voltage of 25 per cent. above that for which they are designed.

e. Must be plainly marked, where it will always be visible, with the name of the maker and current and voltage for which the device is designed.

#### 53. Fuses—

(For installation rules, see Nos. 17 and 21.)

a. Must have contact surfaces or tips of harder metal having perfect electrical connection with the fusible part of the strip.

b. Must be stamped with about 80 per cent. of the maximum current they can carry indefinitely, thus allowing about 25 per cent. overload before fuse melts.

c. Fuse terminals must be stamped with the maker's name, initials or some known trade-mark.

#### 54. Cut-out Cabinets—

a. Must be so constructed, and cut-outs so arranged, as to obviate any danger of the melted fuse metal coming in contact with any substance which might be ignited thereby.

b. A box or cabinet inclosing cut-outs must be constructed of or lined with fire-resisting material. The cover to same must be hung on strong hinges and held closed by a hook or catch.

#### 55. Sockets—

(See No. 27.)

Sockets of all kinds, including wall receptacles, must be constructed in accordance with the following specifications:

a. Standard Sizes—The standard lamp socket shall be suitable for use on any voltage not exceeding 250 and with any size lamp up to 50 candle-power. For lamps larger than 50 candle-power a standard keyless socket may be used, or if a key is required, a special socket designed for the current to be used must be made. Any special sockets must follow the general spirit of these specifications.

b. Marking—The standard socket must be plainly marked fifty candle-power, 250 volts, and with either the manufacturer's name or registered trademark. Special large sockets must be marked with the current and voltage for which they are designed.

c. Shell—Metal used for shells must be moderately hard, but not hard enough to be brittle or so soft as to be easily dented or knocked out of place. Brass shells must be at least 0.013 inch in thickness, and shells of any other material must be thick enough to give the same stiffness and strength of brass.

d. Lining—The inside of the shells must be lined with insulating material, which shall absolutely prevent the shell from becoming a part of the circuit, even though the wires inside the socket should start from their position under binding screws.

The material used for lining must be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and must be tough and tenacious. It must not be injuriously affected by the heat from the largest lamp permitted in the socket, and must leave the water in which it is boiled practically neutral. It must be so firmly secured to the shell that it will not fall out with ordinary handling of the socket. It is preferable to have the lining in one piece.

e. Cap—Caps, when of sheet brass, must be at least 0.013 inch in thickness, and when cast or made of other metals, must be of equivalent strength. The inlet piece, unless for special sockets, must be tapped and threaded for ordinary one-eighth-inch pipe. It must contain sufficient metal for a full, strong thread, and, when not of the same piece as the cap, must be joined to it in a way to give the strength of a single piece.

f. There must be sufficient room in the cap to enable the ordinary wireman to easily and quickly make a knot in the cord and push it into place in cap without crowding. All parts of the cap upon which the knot is likely to bear must be smooth and well insulated.

g. Frame and Screws—The frame holding moving parts must be sufficiently heavy to give ample strength and stiffness.

Brass pieces containing screw threads must be at least 0.06 of an inch in thickness.

Binding-post screws must not be smaller than No. 5 wire and about 40 threads per inch.

g. Spacing—Points of opposite polarity must everywhere be kept not less than three-sixty-fourths of an inch apart, unless separated by a reliable insulation.

h. Connections—The connecting points for the flexible cord must be made to very securely grip a No. 16 or 18 B. & S. conductor. A turned-up lug, arranged so that the cord may be gripped between the screw and the lug in such a way that it cannot possibly come out, is strongly advised.

i. Lamp Holder—The socket must firmly hold the lamp in place so that it cannot be easily jarred out, and must provide a contact good enough to prevent undue heating with maximum current allowed. The holding pieces, springs and the like, if a part of the circuit, must not be sufficiently exposed to allow them to be brought in contact with anything outside of lamp and socket.

j. Base—The inside parts of the socket, which are of insulating material, except the lining, must be made of porcelain.

k. Key—The socket key-handle must be of such a material that it will not soften from the heat of a 50-candle-power lamp hanging downward in air, at 70 degrees Fahrenheit, from the socket, and must be securely, but not necessarily rigidly, attached to the metal spindle it is designed to turn.

l. Sealing—All screws in porcelain pieces which can be firmly sealed in place must be so sealed by a water-proof compound which will not melt below 200 degrees Fahrenheit.

m. Putting Together—The socket must, as a whole, be so put together that it will not rattle to pieces. Bayonet joints or equivalent are recommended.

n. Test—The socket, when slowly turned "on and off" at the rate of about two or three times per minute, must "make and break" the circuit 6,000 times before failing, when carrying a load of one ampere at 220 volts.

o. Keyless Sockets—Keyless sockets of all kinds must comply with requirements for key sockets as far as they apply.

p. Sockets of Insulating Materials—Sockets made of porcelain or other insulating material must conform to the above requirements as far as they apply, and all parts must be strong enough to withstand a moderate amount of hard usage without breaking.

q. Inlet Bushing—When the socket is not attached to fixtures, the threaded inlet must be provided with a strong insulating bushing having a smooth hole of at least fifteen-sixty-fourths of an inch in diameter. The corners of the bushing must be rounded and all inside fins removed, so that in no place will the cord be subjected to the cutting or wearing action of a sharp edge.

#### 56. Hanger-boards—

a. Hanger-boards must be so constructed that all wires and current-carrying devices thereon shall be exposed to view and thoroughly insulated by being mounted on a non-combustible, non-absorptive insulating substance. All switches attached to the same must be so constructed that they shall be automatic in their action, cutting off both poles to the lamp, not stopping between points when started and preventing an arc between points under all circumstances.

#### 57. Arc Lamps—

(For installation rules, see No. 19.)

a. Must be provided with reliable stops to prevent carbons from falling out in case the clamps become loose.

b. Must be carefully insulated from the circuit in all their exposed parts.

c. Must, for constant current systems, be provided with an approved hand switch, also an automatic switch that will shunt the current around the carbons, should they fail to feed properly. The hand switch, to be approved, if placed anywhere except on the lamp itself, must comply with requirements for switches on hanger-boards as laid down in No. 56.

#### 58. Spark Arresters—

(See No. 19.)

a. Spark arresters must so close the upper orifice of the globe that it will be impossible for any sparks thrown off by the carbons to escape.

#### 59. Insulating Joints—

(See No. 26a.)

a. Must be entirely made of material that will resist the action of illuminating gases and will not give way or soften under the heat of any ordinary gas flame or leak under a moderate pressure. They shall be so arranged that a deposit of moisture will not destroy the insulating effect, and shall have an insulating resistance of at least 250,000 ohms between the gas-pipe attachments, and be sufficiently strong to resist the strain they will be liable to be subjected to in being installed.

b. Insulating joints having soft rubber in their construction will not be approved.

#### 60. Resistance Boxes and Equalizers—

(For installation rules, see No. 4.)

a. Must be equipped with metal or with other incombustible frames.

NOTE.—The word "frame" in this section relates to the entire case and surroundings of the rheostat, and not alone to the upholding supports.

#### 61. Reactive Coils and Condensers—

a. Reactive coils must be made of incombustible material, mounted on incombustible bases, and treated, in general, like sources of heat.

b. Condensers must be treated like apparatus operating with equivalent voltage and currents. They must have incombustible cases and supports, and must be isolated from all combustible materials, and, in general, treated like sources of heat.

#### 62. Transformers—

(For installation rules, see Nos. 11, 13 and 33.)

a. Must not be placed in any but metallic or other incombustible cases.

#### 63. Lightning Arresters—

(For installation rules, see No. 5.)

a. Must be mounted on incombustible bases, and must be so constructed as not to maintain an arc after the discharge has passed, and must have no moving parts.

#### CLASS E.—MISCELLANEOUS.

#### 64. Insulation Resistance—

The wiring in any building must test free from grounds, i.e., the complete installation must have an insulation between conductors and between all conductors and the ground (not including attachments, sockets, receptacles, etc.) of not less than the following:

| Up to | 5 amperes |           |
|-------|-----------|-----------|
| "     | 10 "      | 4,000,000 |
| "     | 25 "      | 2,000,000 |
| "     | 50 "      | 800,000   |
| "     | 100 "     | 400,000   |
| "     | 200 "     | 200,000   |
| "     | 400 "     | 100,000   |
| "     | 800 "     | 50,000    |
| "     | 1,600 "   | 25,000    |
| "     | and over  | 12,500    |

All cut-outs and safety devices in place in the above.

Where lamp sockets, receptacles and electroliers, etc., are connected, one-half of the above will be required.

#### 65. Protection against Foreign Currents—

a. Where telephone, telegraph or other wires, connected with outside circuits, are bunched together within any building, or where inside wires are laid in conduits or ducts with electric light or power wires, the covering of such wires must be fire resisting, or else the wires must be inclosed in an air-tight tube or duct.

b. All aerial conductors and underground conductors which are directly connected to aerial wires, connecting with telephone, telegraph, district messenger, burglar-alarm, watch-clock, electric-time and other similar instruments must be provided near the point of entrance to the building with some approved protective device which will operate to shunt the instruments in the case of a dangerous rise of potential, and will open the circuit and arrest any abnormal current flow. Any conductor normally forming an innocuous circuit may become a source of fire hazard if crossed with another conductor charged with a relatively high pressure.

Protectors must have an incombustible insulating base, and the cover to be provided with a lock similar to the lock now placed on telephone apparatus, or some equally secure fastening, and to be installed under the following requirements:

1. The protector to be located at the point where the wires enter the building, either immediately inside or outside of the same. If outside, the protector to be inclosed in a metallic, waterproof case.

2. If the protector is placed inside of building, the wires of the circuit, from the support outside to the binding posts of the protector, to be of such insulation as is approved for service wires of electric light and power (see No. 41), and the holes through the outer wall to be protected by bushing the same, as required for electric light and power service wires.

3. The wire from the point of entrance to the protector to be run in accordance with rules for high-potential wires, i.e., free of contact with building and supported on non-combustible insulators.

4. The ground wire shall be insulated, not smaller than No. 16 B. & S. gauge copper wire. This ground wire shall be kept at least three inches from all conductors, and shall never be secured by uninsulated double-pointed tacks, and must be run in as straight a line as possible to the ground connection.

5. The ground wire shall be attached to a water-pipe, if possible, otherwise may be attached to a gas-pipe. The ground wire shall be carried to and attached to the pipe outside of the first joint or coupling inside of the foundation walls, and the connection shall be made by soldering,



if possible. In the absence of other good ground, the ground shall be made by means of a metallic plate or a bunch of wires buried in a permanently moist earth.

#### 66. Electric Gas Lighting—

- Where electric gas lighting is to be used on the same fixture with the electric light:
- No part of the gas-piping or fixture shall be in electric connection with the gas-lighting circuit.
  - The wires used with the fixtures must have a non-inflammable insulation, or where concealed between the pipe and shell of the fixture, the insulation must be such as required for fixture wiring for the electric light.
  - The whole insulation must test free from "grounds."
  - The two installations must test perfectly free from connection with each other.

#### 67. Soldering Fluid—

- The following formula for soldering fluid is suggested:
- |  |          |
|--|----------|
| Saturated solution of zinc chloride..... | 5 parts. |
| Alcohol.....                             | 4 parts. |
| Glycerine.....                           | 1 part.  |

#### Materials:

The following are given as a list of incombustible, non-absorptive, insulating materials, and are listed here for the benefit of those who might consider hard rubber, fibre, wood and the like as fulfilling the above requirements. Any other substance which it is claimed should be accepted must be forwarded for testing before being put on the market:

- Glass.
- Marble (filled).
- Slate without metal veins.
- Porcelain, thoroughly glazed and vitrified.
- Pure sheet mica.
- Lava (certain kinds of).
- Alberene stone.

This Department will require that all iron-armored insulated or uninsulated conduits shall be at least equal in thickness, or of equal strength to resist penetration by nails, etc., as is the ordinary commercial form of gas pipe of the same size.

Brass-armored tubing may be used in short lengths in exposed places for decorative purposes, upon obtaining special permission from this Department.

Brass-armored tubing shall not be used in concealed work.

#### CLASS F.—MARINE WORK.

#### 68. Generators—

- Must be located in a dry place.
- Must have their frames insulated from their bed-plates.
- Must each be provided with a water-proof cover when required.
- Must each be provided with a name-plate, giving the maker's name, the capacity in voltage and amperes and normal speed in revolutions per minute.

#### 69. Wires—

- Must have an approved insulating covering.

NOTE.—The insulation for all conductors, except for portables, to be approved, must be at least one-eighth inch in thickness and be covered with a substantial water-proof and flame-proof braid. The physical characteristics shall not be affected by any change in temperature up to 200 degrees Fahrenheit. After two weeks' submersion in salt water at 70 degrees Fahrenheit it must show an insulation resistance of one megohm per mile after three minutes' electrification, with 550 volts.

*b.* Must have no single wire larger than No. 12 B. & S. Wires to be stranded when greater carrying capacity is required. No single solid wire smaller than No. 14 B. & S., except in fixture wiring, to be used.

NOTE.—Stranded wires must be soldered before being fastened under clamps or binding screws, and when they have a conductivity greater than No. 10 B. & S. copper wire they must be soldered into lugs.

- Must be supported in approved mouldings, except at switchboards and portables.

NOTE.—Special permission may be given for deviation from the rule in dynamo rooms.

*d.* Must be bushed with hard rubber tubing one-eighth inch in thickness when passing through beams and non-water-tight bulkheads.

*e.* Must have, when passing through water-tight bulkheads and through all decks, a metallic stuffing tube lined with hard rubber. In case of deck tubes they shall be boxed near deck to prevent mechanical injury.

*f.* Splices or taps in conductors must be avoided as far as possible. Where it is necessary to make them they must be so spliced or joined as to be both mechanically and electrically secure without solder. They must then be soldered, to insure preservation, covered with an insulating compound equal to the insulation of the wire, and further protected by a water-proof tape. The joint must then be coated or painted with a water-proof compound.

#### 70. Portable Conductors—

*a.* Must be made of two stranded conductors, each having a carrying capacity equivalent to not less than No. 14 B. & S. wire and each covered with an approved insulation and covering.

NOTE.—Where not exposed to moisture or severe mechanical injury, each stranded conductor must have a solid insulation at least one thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and must show an insulation resistance between conductors, and between either conductor and the ground, of at least one megohm per mile after one week's submersion in water at 70 degrees Fahrenheit and after three minutes' electrification, with 500 volts, and be protected by a slow-burning, tough-braided outer covering.

NOTE.—Where exposed to moisture and mechanical injury—as for use on decks, holds and fire-rooms—each stranded conductor shall have a solid insulation, to be approved, of at least one thirty-second of an inch in thickness and protected by a tough braid. The two conductors shall then be stranded together, using a jute filling. The whole shall then be covered with a layer of flax, either woven or braided, at least one thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and treated with a non-inflammable, water-proof compound. After one week's submersion in water at 70 degrees Fahrenheit, with 550 volts and a three minutes' electrification, must show an insulation between the two conductors, or between either conductor and the ground, of one megohm per mile.

#### 71. Bell or Other Wires—

- Shall never be run in same duct with lighting or power wires.

#### 72. Table of Capacity of Wires—

| B. & S. G. | AREA ACTUAL<br>C. M. | NO. OF STRANDS. | SIZE OF STRANDS<br>B. & S. G. | AMPERES. |
|------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| 10         | 1,288                | ..              | ..                            | ..       |
| 18         | 1,624                | ..              | ..                            | 3        |
| 17         | 2,048                | ..              | ..                            | ..       |
| 16         | 2,583                | ..              | ..                            | 6        |
| 15         | 3,257                | ..              | ..                            | ..       |
| 14         | 4,107                | ..              | ..                            | 12       |
| 12         | 6,530                | ..              | ..                            | 17       |
| ..         | 9,016                | 7               | 19                            | 21       |
| ..         | 11,368               | 7               | 18                            | 25       |
| ..         | 14,336               | 7               | 17                            | 30       |
| ..         | 18,081               | 7               | 16                            | 35       |
| ..         | 22,799               | 7               | 15                            | 40       |
| ..         | 30,856               | 19              | 18                            | 50       |
| ..         | 38,912               | 19              | 17                            | 60       |
| ..         | 49,077               | 19              | 16                            | 70       |
| ..         | 60,088               | 37              | 18                            | 85       |
| ..         | 75,776               | 37              | 17                            | 100      |
| ..         | 99,064               | 61              | 18                            | 120      |
| ..         | 124,928              | 61              | 17                            | 145      |
| ..         | 157,563              | 61              | 16                            | 170      |
| ..         | 198,677              | 61              | 15                            | 200      |
| ..         | 250,527              | 61              | 14                            | 235      |
| ..         | 296,387              | 91              | 15                            | 270      |
| ..         | 373,737              | 91              | 14                            | 320      |
| ..         | 413,639              | 127             | 15                            | 340      |

When greater conducting area than that of 12 B. & S. G. is required, the conductor shall be stranded in a series of 7, 19, 37, 61, 91 or 127 wires, as may be required; the strand consisting of one central wire, the remainder laid around it concentrically, each layer to be twisted in the opposite direction from the preceding.

#### 73. Switchboards—

- Must be made of incombustible, non-absorptive, insulating material, such as marble or slate.

- Must be kept free from moisture, and must be located so as to be accessible from all sides.
- Must have a main switch, main cut-out and ammeter for each generator.
- Must also have a voltmeter and ground detector.
- Must have a cut-out and switch for each side of each circuit leading from board.

#### 74. Resistance Boxes—

- Must be made of incombustible material.
- Must be located on switchboard or away from combustible material. When not placed on switchboard they must be mounted on non-inflammable, non-absorptive insulating material.
- Must be so constructed as to allow sufficient ventilation for the uses to which they are put.

#### 75. Switches—

- Must have incombustible, non-absorptive, insulating bases.
- Must operate successfully at fifty per cent. overload in amperes with twenty-five per cent. excess voltage under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice, and must be plainly marked where it will always be visible, with the name of the maker and the current and voltage for which the switch is designed.
- Must be double-pole when circuits which they control supply more than six 16-candle-power lamps or their equivalent.
- When exposed to dampness they must be inclosed in a water-tight case.

#### 76. Cut-outs—

- Must have incombustible, non-absorptive, insulating bases.
- Must operate successfully, under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice, on short circuit with fuse rated at fifty per cent. above, and with a voltage twenty-five per cent. above the current and voltage they are designed for, and must be plainly marked, where they will always be visible, with the name of the maker and current and voltage for which the device is designed.
- Must be placed at every point where a change is made in the size of the wire (unless the cut-out in the larger wire will protect the smaller).
- In places such as upper decks, holds, cargo spaces and fire-rooms a water-tight and fire-proof cut-out may be used, connecting directly to mains when such cut-out supplies not more than six 16-candle-power lamps or their equivalent.
- When placed anywhere except on switch-boards and certain places, as cargo spaces, holds, fire-rooms, etc., where it is impossible to run from centre of distribution, they shall be in a cabinet lined with fire-resisting material.
- Except for motors, search-lights and diving lamps shall be so placed that no group of lamps requiring a current of more than six amperes shall ultimately be dependent upon one cut-out.

NOTE.—A single-pole covered cut-out may be placed in the moulding when same contains conductors supplying current for not more than two 16-candle power lamps or their equivalent.

#### 77. Fixtures—

- Shall be mounted on blocks made from well-seasoned lumber treated with two coats of white lead or shellac.
- Where exposed to dampness the lamp must be surrounded by a vapor-proof globe.
- Where exposed to mechanical injury the lamp must be surrounded by a globe protected by a stout wire guard.
- Shall be wired with same grade of insulation as portable conductors, which are not exposed to moisture or mechanical injury.

#### 78. Sockets—

- No portion of the lamp socket or lamp base exposed to contact with outside objects shall be allowed to come into electrical contact with either of the conductors.

#### 79. Wooden Mouldings—

- Must be made of well-seasoned lumber, and be treated inside and out with at least two coats of white lead or shellac.
- Must be made of two pieces, a backing and a capping, so constructed as to thoroughly incase the wire and provide a one-half-inch tongue between the conductors, and a solid backing which, under grooves, shall not be less than three-eighths-inch in thickness.
- Where moulding is run over rivets, beams, etc., a backing strip must first be put up and the moulding secured to this.
- Capping must be secured by brass screws.

#### 80. Motors—

- Must be wired under the same precautions as with a current of same volume and potential for lighting. The motor and resistance box must be protected by a double-pole cut-out and controlled by a double-pole switch, except in cases where one-quarter horse-power or less is used.

NOTE.—The leads or branch circuits should be designed to carry a current at least fifty per cent. greater than that required by the rated capacity of the motor to provide for the inevitable overloading of the motor at times.

*b.* Must be thoroughly insulated. Where possible, should be set on base frames made from filled, hard dry wood and raised above surrounding deck. On hoists and winches they shall be insulated from bed-plates by hard rubber, fibre or similar insulating material.

- Shall be covered with a waterproof cover when not in use.

*d.* Must each be provided with a name-plate giving maker's name, the capacity in volts and amperes and the normal speed in revolutions per minute.

#### SCOPE AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOREGOING RULES AND REGULATIONS AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

Nothing in this ordinance contained shall be considered as constituting a franchise or granting any corporate rights or privileges.

Wherever the word "Commissioner" is used in the foregoing ordinance, it shall be taken to mean the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

The violation of any of the foregoing rules or regulations shall be deemed to be a violation of the provisions of the Department of Buildings of The City of New York, and shall subject the person or corporation committing the same to the penalties described in the Greater New York Charter, or, in the absence of any specific penalty, shall be deemed a misdemeanor and be punishable as such.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately and be considered to contain presumptively all the municipal rules and regulations relating to the subject matter in force in The City of New York, and all ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into The City of New York, and all other ordinances or parts thereof, inconsistent or conflicting herewith, are hereby repealed; and any of the foregoing provisions, so far as they may be substantially the same as ordinances, rules or regulations existing at the time this general ordinance goes into effect, shall be considered as a continuance of such ordinance, modified or amended according to the language employed in the foregoing ordinance and not as new enactments.

ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, FRANK J. GOODWIN, BENJAMIN J. BODINE,  
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Law Department.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, January 7, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 3d instant, entitled "An ordinance enacting rules and regulations for the construction, care, maintenance and operation of poles, wires, conduits, subways and other electrical appliances in, on, over or under the streets or in buildings in The City of New York."

This ordinance is intended as a substitute for and to take the place of the one approved by this Board on February 28, 1900, and transmitted to your Honorable Body under date of March 19, 1900.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Councilman Wise moved that this matter be referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was adopted.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Councilman Doyle moved that the Council do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Williams, and the President—12.  
Negative—Councilmen French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Murray, Owens, Van Nostrand, and Wise—8.

And the President declared that the Council stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 16, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.



## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

## STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, April 9, 1901,  
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

## PRESENT:

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

## ALDERMEN

John T. McCall,  
Vice-President,  
Charles Alt,  
James J. Bridges,  
George A. Burrell,  
Francis J. Byrne,  
Louis F. Cardani,  
John V. Coggey,  
Jeremiah Cronin,  
Charles W. Culkin,  
William H. C. Delano,  
John Diemer,  
Frank L. Dowling,  
Robert F. Downing,  
Joseph A. Flinn,  
Frank Gass,  
Henry Geiger,  
Joseph Geiser,  
William H. Gledhill,Elias Goodman,  
Frank Hennessy,  
Peter Holler,  
David M. Holmes,  
William Keegan,  
Patrick S. Keely,  
Michael Kennedy,  
Francis P. Kenney,  
Michael Ledwith,  
Isaac Marks,  
Armitage Mathews,  
Thomas F. McCaul,  
Edward F. McEaney,  
Lawrence W. McGrath,  
James H. McInnes,  
Stephen W. McKeever,  
Robert Muh,  
Owen J. Murphy,Emil Neufeld,  
Joseph Oatman,  
Luke Otten,  
Herbert Parsons,  
Henry J. Rottmann,  
Bernard Schmitt,  
William F. Schneider, Jr.,  
Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr.,  
James J. Smith,  
John J. Twomey,  
John J. Vaughan, Jr.,  
Jacob J. Velten,  
Alexander F. Wacker,  
Moses J. Wafer,  
Joseph E. Welling,  
William Wentz,  
John Wirth,  
Henry W. Wolf.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes.  
Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes be dispensed with and that they be approved as printed.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the City Clerk:  
No. 2535.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 8, 1901.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Esq., Clerk to the Board of Aldermen:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith documents relative to matters which were adopted by the Council at their meeting on Tuesday, April 2, 1901, as scheduled below:  
Int. Nos. 686, 1201, 2281, 115, 176, 236, 241, 243, 279, 294, 298, 299, 377, 378, 387, 412, 413, 428, 460, 462, 463, 464, 465, 471.

Very respectfully,  
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The papers above referred to are as follows:

No. 2536.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Christopher avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 94, Minutes, April 10, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Christopher avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of Christopher avenue, between Pitkin and Sutter avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curb, paving of the sidewalks with cement where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being ten thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and one thousand six hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, April 2, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board on the 28th day of March, 1900, providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Christopher avenue, between Pitkin and Sutter avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn. I also inclose copy of the resolution of the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 22, 1900.

## Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on January 20, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 20th day of January, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Christopher avenue with asphalt pavement, between Pitkin avenue and Sutter avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and pave sidewalks with cement of said street where not already done."

Christopher avenue, between Pitkin avenue and Sutter avenue, is in that part of the Twenty-sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn known as the "Brownsville" district, the sanitary condition of which is such that it is necessary to have the street graded and paved in order that it may be kept properly cleaned by the Street Cleaning Department. I request that this proceeding be given precedence over those for other assessable improvements, and that in recommending to the Municipal Assembly an ordinance authorizing the improvement the Board of Public Improvements call the attention of the Municipal Assembly to the necessity for prompt action.

Inclosed is copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2537.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the north line of Jennings street, Borough of The Bronx (page 16, Minutes, July 10, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to change north line of Jennings street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 27th day of June, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to

alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the north line of Jennings street, from Edgewater road to the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to change the line of the aforesaid street as follows:  
"To change the lines of Jennings street, between Edgewater road and the Bronx river, so as to show the north line of Jennings street, to be 20 feet northerly of the south line of the Freeman property, the street to be 60 feet in width and parallel with said property line."

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,  
MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, June 28, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 27th day of June, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the north line of Jennings street, from Edgewater road to the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of The Bronx and on the report of the Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 27th day of June, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 13th day of June, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the north line of Jennings street, from Edgewater road to the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 27th day of June, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of line would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of line would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 27th day of June, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 27th day of June, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of line who have appeared, and such proposed change of line was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the north line of Jennings street, from Edgewater road to the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to change the line of the aforesaid street as follows:  
"To change the lines of Jennings street between Edgewater road and the Bronx river so as to show the north line of Jennings street to be 20 feet northerly of the south line of the Freeman property, the street to be 60 feet in width and parallel with said property line."

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the line of Jennings street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2538.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Grote street, Borough of The Bronx (page 2073, Minutes, December 26, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Grote street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 19th day of December, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Grote street (Kingsbridge road), between Belmont avenue and Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, building approaches, and erecting of fences where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is fifty-eight thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,  
MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, December 24, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 19th instant providing for the regulating and grading of Grote street, between Belmont avenue and Southern Boulevard.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the regulating and grading of Grote street, as above.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Copy.)

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, February 15, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting February 15, 1900, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of John Armstrong and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 15th day of February, 1900, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Grote street (Kingsbridge road), between Belmont avenue and Southern Boulevard, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2539.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of title 15 of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$1,800,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the following purposes:

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| "For lands required for the 48-inch pipe conduit now under contract; for pumping stations and for storage reservoirs at Massapequa creek and East Meadow creek | \$300,000 00 |
| "For the construction of storage reservoirs on Massapequa and East River creeks  | 1,200,000 00 |
| "For improvements to pumping stations  | 200,000 00   |
| "For coal-houses, hoisting machinery, store-house, etc., at Millburn Pumping Station   | 100,000 00 " |



A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 18, 1901.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 18, 1901, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of title 15 of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$1,800,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the following purposes:

"For lands required for the 48-inch pipe conduit now under contract; for pumping stations and for storage reservoirs at Massapequa creek and East Meadow creek..... \$300,000 00  
 "For the construction of storage reservoirs on Massapequa and East River creeks..... 1,200,000 00  
 "For improvements to pumping stations..... 200,000 00  
 "For coal-houses, hoisting machinery, store-house, etc., at Millburn Pumping Station..... 100,000 00"

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in the said resolution and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$1,800,000), the proceeds of which shall be applied to the payment of the expenses aforesaid.

BROOKLYN BOROUGH, March 9, 1901.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Municipal Council of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned Committees, representing the Manufacturers' Association of New York, the Brooklyn League, Committee of Fifty of Brooklyn, Real Estate Exchange of Brooklyn and Committee of Conference of Insurance Interests, on behalf of the citizens of Brooklyn, respectfully and urgently request immediate and favorable action upon the resolutions pending before your Honorable Body authorizing an appropriation for the improvement and extension of the water supply of the Borough of Brooklyn, as approved and requested by the Water Department and passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to wit: Seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) for additional pumping service at Millburn, eighteen hundred thousand dollars (\$1,800,000) for new reservoirs at East Massapequa and East Meadow streams, and additional pumps, wells, etc.

These are all parts of a general plan to relieve the immediate and pressing necessities of the people of Brooklyn for water.

(Signed)  
 COMMITTEE OF MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION.  
 Charles N. Chadwick. Alden S. Swan. Ludwig Nissen.  
 Wm. Harkness. F. H. Stillman. James T. Hoile.  
 COMMITTEE OF BROOKLYN LEAGUE.  
 H. F. Gunnison. Wm. Harkness. James McKeen.  
 Willis L. Ogden. D. S. Ramsay. J. Warren Greene.  
 Samuel Rowland. Horace R. Steele.  
 J. Hampden Dougherty. Alfred T. White.  
 COMMITTEE OF BROOKLYN COMMITTEE OF FIFTY.  
 J. W. Brown. R. W. Bainbridge. Wm. McCarroll.  
 Henry E. Hutchinson. David A. Boody.  
 COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE OF INSURANCE MEN.  
 C. H. Dutcher. E. B. Vanderveer. Sherman Esselstyn.  
 B. C. Thorn.  
 COMMITTEE OF REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.  
 E. J. Granger. George W. Chauncey.  
 Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 2540.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 353, Minutes, February 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 23d day of January, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1901.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
 NEW YORK, January 25, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 23d instant providing for the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply. The estimated cost of the work is \$600.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2541.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of providing for the construction, etc., of school buildings and for the acquisition of sites therefor and authorizing the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock to defray expenses incurred (page 1162, Minutes, February 19, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted. AN ORDINANCE to provide for the construction, equipping and improving of school buildings, and for the acquisition of sites therefor, and to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide means to defray the expenses thereby incurred.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in and approves of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted February 7, 1901, reading as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 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 three million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000), to provide means for the construction, equipping and improving of school buildings and additions thereto, and the acquisition of sites therefor in The City of New York, as follows:

For the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... \$2,000,000 00  
 For the Borough of Brooklyn..... 1,200,000 00  
 For the Borough of Queens..... 300,000 00  
 \$3,500,000 00

—and that the Comptroller be authorized, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, 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 million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Sec. 2. Pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Municipal Assembly by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time, as may be required, Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding three million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the expenses authorized to be incurred by the first section of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. The proceeds of the bonds authorized to be issued by the second section of this ordinance shall be paid into the following funds created on the books of the corporation by the ordinance of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor March 7, 1899:

"School Building Fund—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx;"  
 "School Building Fund—Borough of Brooklyn;"  
 "School Building Fund—Borough of Queens;"

—as and when such proceeds may be, in the judgment of the Comptroller, required to provide for the liabilities to be incurred, chargeable against said funds as in the next section provided.

Sec. 4. Whenever the Board of Education, by resolutions adopted in conformity with law and the by-laws of said Board, shall make requisition on the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the application of the proceeds of such sales of bonds to purposes set forth in said resolutions, and said requisitions shall be approved by a majority of the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the manner provided by chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the said amounts shall be deemed appropriated to the purposes described in said requisitions, and the said Board of Education shall thereupon become authorized to incur liability for and on behalf of The City of New York, in respect to such purposes; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to limit or affect the provisions of section 149 of the Greater New York Charter relating to the certification of contracts by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 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 three million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000), to provide means for the construction, equipping and improving of school buildings and additions thereto, and the acquisition of sites therefor in The City of New York, as follows:

For the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... \$2,000,000 00  
 For the Borough of Brooklyn..... 1,200,000 00  
 For the Borough of Queens..... 300,000 00  
 \$3,500,000 00

—and that the Comptroller be authorized, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, 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 million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 7, 1901.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, STEWART M. BRICE, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 February 14, 1901.

Hon. FRANK C. GOODWIN, Chairman, Finance Committee of the Council:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith two certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held February 7, 1901, authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, as follows:

1. \$3,500,000 to provide means for the construction, equipping and improving of school buildings and additions thereto and the acquisition of sites therefor in The City of New York.  
 2. \$200,000 to provide means for the acquisition of a site and the construction and equipping of a high school in the Borough of Richmond.

I also transmit herewith two forms of ordinance for introduction in the Council to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Deputy Comptroller.

Alderman Schneider moved that the report be substituted in place of S. O. 193, and be taken up for consideration at 2.30 o'clock.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently, the hour of 2.30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman Schneider called up the foregoing Councilmanic report and ordinance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Coggey, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wirth, Wolf, and the President—52.

On motion of Alderman Schneider, S. O. 193 was then taken from the list of special orders and placed on file.

No. 2542.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Audubon avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and One Hundred and Eightieth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 1166, Minutes, February 19, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for water-mains in Audubon avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and One Hundred and Eightieth street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of February, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets, Borough of Manhattan, and in One Hundred and Eightieth street, between the Southern Boulevard and Mapes avenue, Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1901.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
 NEW YORK, February 16, 1901.

Mr. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—Your communication of the 14th instant received, with the form of ordinance for water-mains in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets, Borough of Manhattan, and One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Southern Boulevard and Mapes avenue, approved by this Board on the 6th instant, and which you have returned for correction by order of the Council.

As the ordinance which was forwarded to the Municipal Assembly is proper in every respect, and was passed in this manner at the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, I retransmit same to you for the action of that Body.

The appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1901, is one appropriation for both boroughs. The Council may have been under the erroneous impression that we were combining two appropriations; if such had been the case their action would have been proper.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
 NEW YORK, February 13, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 6th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, and in One Hundred and Eightieth street, between the Southern Boulevard and Mapes avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that there are seventeen houses and a school on Audubon avenue and seven houses on One Hundred and Eightieth street requiring water supply. The estimated cost is \$2,500.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2543.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Boston road, Borough of The Bronx (page 1168, Minutes, February 19, 1901), respectfully



## REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., Boston road, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 13th day of February, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Boston road, from Tremont avenue (One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) to Kingsbridge road, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twelve thousand three hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and thirty-two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, February 18, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Boston road, from Tremont avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Borough of The Bronx, which ordinance was approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 13th instant.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending that said street be improved.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, April 12, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting April 12, 1900, viz. :

Resolved, That on petition of Bernard Byrne and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 12th day of April, 1900, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Boston road, from (One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street) Tremont avenue to Kingsbridge road, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid (approaches built and fences erected where necessary), and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2544.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing issue of Corporate Stock (\$200,000) for payment of awards, etc., certified by Change of Grade Damage Commission (page 1273, Minutes, March 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, of February 19, 1901, adopted the following resolution :

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be 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 the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide for the payment of awards, costs, charges and expenses as certified by the Change of Grade Damage Commission, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894 ;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution and that 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 the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized ;

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be 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 the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide for the payment of awards, costs, charges and expenses as certified by the Change of Grade Damage Commission, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894.

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 19, 1901.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, STEWART M. BRICE, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 2545.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Hoffman street, Borough of The Bronx (page 1285, Minutes, March 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., Hoffman street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of February, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Hoffman street, from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks, erecting fences where necessary, planting trees on the sidewalks and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and seventy-three thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 20th instant, in pursuance of resolution adopted by the Local Board of the 21st District (copy of which is also inclosed), providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Hoffman street, from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, April 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting April 13, 1899, viz. :

Resolved, That on petition of A. Gruschler and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 13th day of April, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Hoffman street, from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway be paved with telford macadam, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2546.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Beck street, in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and in Fox street, Borough of The Bronx (page 1290, Minutes, March 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Beck street, etc., Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of February, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Beck street, between Leggett and Longwood avenues ; in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Beck street and the Southern Boulevard, and in Fox street, between Leggett and Longwood avenues, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1901."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—In accordance with resolution adopted by this Board at the meeting held on the 20th instant, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the said meeting providing for the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of The Bronx :

Beck street, between Leggett and Longwood avenues ;

One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Beck street and Southern Boulevard ;

Fox street, between Leggett and Longwood avenues.

I also inclose copies of resolutions of the Local Board recommending that said mains be laid.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, January 10, 1901.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting January 10, 1901, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of George F. Johnson & Sons, submitted the 10th day of January, 1901, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a water-main be laid in Beck street, from Leggett avenue to Longwood avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, January 10, 1901.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President of the Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting January 10, 1901, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of George F. Johnson & Sons, submitted the 21st day of January, 1901, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from the Southern Boulevard to Beck street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, January 10, 1901.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting January 10, 1901, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of George F. Johnson & Sons, submitted the 10th day of January, 1901, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a water-main be laid in Fox street, from Leggett avenue to Longwood avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2547.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing repairs to boilers at Washington Bridge Pumping Station, Borough of Manhattan (page 1292, Minutes, March 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize repairs to four boilers at the Washington Bridge Pumping Station, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 27th day of February, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the making of a contract for repairs to four (4) boilers at the boiler-house of the High Service Pumping Station at Washington Bridge, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for Croton Water System, Maintenance, for 1901.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 4, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on February 27, on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, providing for repairing four boilers at the High Service Pumping Station at Washington Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The estimated cost of the repairs is \$3,500.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2548.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Walton avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 1371, Minutes, March 12, 1901), respectfully



## REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-main in Walton avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of March, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a water-main in Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,' for 1901."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 11, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 6th instant, providing for the laying of water-mains in Walton avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District recommending that said main be laid.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Copy.)

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, February 7, 1901.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting February 7, 1901, viz. :

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a water-main be laid in Walton avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2549.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Jerome avenue, Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, etc., Borough of The Bronx (page 1372, Minutes, March 12, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay new distributing water-mains in the Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of March, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains to distribute the water supply which will be obtained from a new high-service pumping station at Jerome Park Reservoir, in the Borough of The Bronx, viz. :

A 48-inch main from the standpipe at the new high-service pumping station to Jerome avenue; a 36-inch main in Jerome avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; a 20-inch main in Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Jerome and Webster avenues, and in Moshulu avenue, between Jerome and Riverdale avenues, and in Kingsbridge road, between Jerome and Sedgwick avenues, with necessary connections, stop-cocks, hydrants and other appurtenances, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 11, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—Inclosed herewith please find form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 6th instant, which is forwarded for the action of your Honorable Body.

The ordinance provides for the laying of water-mains in the Borough of The Bronx, in order to distribute the water to be obtained from a new high-service pumping station at Jerome Park Reservoir, now in course of construction, and was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply. The estimated cost of the work is \$200,000.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2550.

The Special Committee appointed to take charge of the arrangements on the part of the Council for the obsequies of the late Hon. Herman Sulzer, formerly Councilman from the Fourth District (page 1404, Minutes, March 19, 1901, respectfully

REPORT :

That your Committee authorized the draping of the Council Chamber and the furnishing of badges by C. H. Koster, No. 5 Park place, Borough of Manhattan, at an expense not to exceed the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars (\$270).

That Benjamin Solomon, No. 22 Attorney street, Borough of Manhattan, was authorized to furnish eight coaches for the members of the Council attending the funeral at a cost not to exceed the sum of forty dollars (\$40).

That Nicholas J. Lales, No. 2528 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, was authorized to furnish a floral piece at a cost not to exceed the sum of fifty dollars (\$50).

That John Wanamaker was authorized to furnish gloves at a cost not to exceed the sum of seventy-nine dollars and fifty cents (\$79.50).

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he hereby is authorized and requested to draw warrants for the following amounts, to be paid for expenses incurred on the occasion of the funeral of the late Hon. Herman Sulzer, Councilman from the Fourth District :

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| C. H. Koster (according to itemized bill attached).....     | \$270 00       |
| Benjamin Solomon, eight coaches at \$5 (bill attached)..... | 40 00          |
| Nicholas J. Lales, floral piece (bill attached).....        | 50 00          |
| John Wanamaker, gloves (bill attached).....                 | 79 50          |
|   | <hr/> \$439 50 |

—the above amounts to be paid out of the appropriation "City Contingencies, 1901."

EUGENE A. WISE, HENRY FRENCH and FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Special Committee on Arrangements for the Obsequies of the late Hon. Herman Sulzer.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 2551.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Eightieth, One Hundred and Fifty-fourth, One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth streets, Borough of The Bronx (page 1426, Minutes, March 26, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth, One Hundred and Eightieth, One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of March, 1901,

be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Mapes and Prospect avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between Railroad and Morris avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Beach and Robbins avenues; One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Railroad and Valentine avenues; all in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,' for 1901."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 22, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 20th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of The Bronx, viz. :

One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Mapes and Prospect avenues;  
One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between Railroad and Morris avenues;  
One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Beach and Robbins avenues;  
One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Railroad and Valentine avenues.

The laying of these mains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that there are twenty-seven houses along the lines of the proposed mains requiring water supply and fire protection. The estimated cost is \$4,000.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2552.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Gouverneur lane and Edgcombe avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 1427, Minutes, March 26, 1901), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Gouverneur lane and Edgcombe avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of March, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Gouverneur lane, between South and Front streets, and in Edgcombe avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,' for 1901."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 20, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at a meeting held on the 20th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Gouverneur lane, between South and Front streets, and in Edgcombe avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The laying of these mains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply. The estimated cost is \$900.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 2452.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Rogaliner [Bruno W. Berger] to place, erect and keep bay-windows in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Thirty-third street and Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2553.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Barber Asphalt Company to lay a narrow-gauge surface tramway on and across Sixth street, First Ward, Borough of Queens, as requested in the petition hereto annexed, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

NEW YORK, March , 1901.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

Your petitioner asks permission of your Honorable Body to lay a narrow-gauge surface tramway across Sixth street, in the Borough of Queens, beginning on the south side of said street, about seventy-five (75) feet east of the bulkhead at the west end of Sixth street and terminating on the north side of Sixth street about one hundred and sixty (160) feet east of said bulkhead. Your petitioner further requests permission to lay another narrow-gauge surface tramway across said Sixth street, beginning on the south side of said street about three hundred and sixty (360) feet east of the bulkhead aforesaid and terminating on the north side of said street about four hundred feet (400) east of said bulkhead.

Your petitioner respectfully states that said street has its western terminus at the bulkhead above mentioned and that at that point it makes no connection with any other street. Your petitioner further states that it owns or leases all the lands adjoining said street on both sides from the aforesaid bulkhead easterly to points beyond the place where it is desired to construct said tramways. Your petitioner further states that the portion of said street upon which it desires to lay the aforesaid tramways is now, and will continue to be, entirely disused by the general public, and is used and will continue to be used only by your petitioners and persons having business relations with it. Therefore your petitioner respectfully requests your Honorable Body to grant to it the permission to construct the tramways above described.

Respectfully submitted,

THE BARBER ASPHALT PAVING COMPANY,  
L. S. KASSON, Assistant Superintendent.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2554.

Resolved, That the Board of Education be and it is hereby respectfully requested to ask the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of special revenue bonds of The City of New York, in accordance with the provisions of section 188, subdivision 8, of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million (1,000,000) dollars, for the erection of school-houses on a number of sites that have been already acquired for that purpose in the Borough of Brooklyn.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, March 30, 1901.

To the Honorable the Common Council, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—In view of the fact that in the Borough of Brooklyn a number of sites have been acquired for school purposes, by the Board of Education, for the erection of school-houses, and for lack of accommodations there are 43,000 children in the Borough of Brooklyn deprived of their right to an education because of the lack of sufficient school-houses;

We, the undersigned citizens, therefore respectfully petition your Honorable Body to take some action that will relieve this deplorable condition in our borough, and would suggest that the remedy should be a special bond issue sufficiently large to enable the proper authorities to at once build school-houses on those sites that are practically useless at the present time :

Henry P. Schmidt, 564A Monroe street.  
John S. Mowry, 142 McDonough street.  
Andrew B. Martin, 1086 Bushwick.

C. W. K. Phipps, 941A Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.  
Fredk. Walker, 55 Clifton place, Brooklyn.



Wm. L. Gardner, 1007 Hancock street.  
 Chas. A. Shaw, 10 First place.  
 F. W. Stafford, 1191 Fulton street.  
 W. A. Waitz, 302 Sumner avenue.  
 Philip M. Dow, 875 Gates avenue.  
 H. C. Magruder, 437 Putnam avenue.  
 F. D. King, 455 Gold street.  
 Saml. B. Benn, 614 Madison street.  
 Fred. B. Vail, 609 Monroe street.  
 Geo. Warrin, 380 McDonough street.  
 Geo. W. Sackett, 437 Monroe street.  
 Jos. P. Holland, 730 Macon street.  
 Albert G. T. Adler, 485 Herkimer street.  
 William F. Rogers, 1222 St. Mark's avenue.  
 Ferd. Young, 326 Macon street.  
 P. C. Clark, 622 Quincy street.  
 L. D. Pearsall, Jr., 156 Decatur street.  
 Wm. H. Cornell, 15 Louis place, Brooklyn.  
 Joseph B. Nosworthy, 306 Halsey street, Brooklyn.  
 Claudius F. Beatty, 14 Brevoort place, Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2555.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Directors of Mount Sinai Hospital to erect a temporary stand at the northerly side of One Hundredth street, commencing one hundred feet east of Fifth avenue and running east two hundred and fifty feet, for the purpose of accommodating those who will be present at the ceremony of the laying of the corner-stone of the said Mount Sinai Hospital, on May 22, 1901, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for one week, commencing May 17, 1901.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2556.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to N. Sheldon & Co., whose place of business is at Nos. 134 and 136 West Eighteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, to distribute ice-water, free of charge, to the women and children at Coney Island during the months of June, July and August, 1901, the work to be done and material supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Alderman of the district.

No. 2557.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. C. Warshawer to erect, keep and maintain an awning in front of his premises No. 106 West street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2558.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
 No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
 NEW YORK CITY, October 26, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, The City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Buildings held October 24, 1900, a resolution, of which the following is a copy:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Department of Buildings of The City of New York that the fire limits be extended in the Eighth Ward to include the territory between the south side of Forty-fifth street and the north side of Sixtieth street and the easterly side of Sixth avenue and the westerly side of Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

Respectfully,

T. J. BRADY,  
 President, Board of Buildings, and Commissioner of Buildings,  
 boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 143 of the Building Code, relating to the fire limits of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. That section 143 of the Building Code be and the same is hereby amended by adding to the boundaries enumerated in the section allotted to the Borough of Brooklyn the following: Also in that part of the Eighth Ward bounded by the southerly side of Forty-fifth street, the northerly side of Sixtieth street, the easterly side of Sixth avenue and the westerly side of Seventh avenue.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Road Drivers' Association of New York:

No. 2559.

THE ROAD DRIVERS' ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK (INC.),  
 NEW YORK, April 1, 1901.

To the President of the Board of Aldermen, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I beg to say that at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Road Drivers' Association of this city, held some time since, the matter of the driving of delivery wagons by minors received long and careful discussion, was heartily condemned, and I was appointed a committee of one to urge the enforcement of any existing laws, and if none existed to see that one was formed, and if possible passed.

I note with great pleasure the article in to-day's "Herald" relative to this matter, and would say that if your body gives a public hearing it will afford our Association great pleasure to be represented and speak in favor of such a measure.

Thanking you for the very liberal manner in which your members have always treated our Association, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

H. H. KANE, M. D.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Out-door Recreation League:

No. 2560.

OUT-DOOR RECREATION LEAGUE,  
 No. 45 UNIVERSITY PLACE, NEW YORK, April 5, 1901.

Hon. THOS. F. WOODS:

DEAR SIR—I inclose a copy of resolution passed at a special meeting of the Outdoor Recreation League. We feel that the subject of library sites has not been thoroughly investigated, and that a more careful examination will show that sufficient sites can easily be secured by the City without using space set apart for playgrounds.

Yours respectfully,

E. W. ORDWAY, Secretary.

Whereas, An offer to donate to the City a large sum for library purposes has been made by Andrew Carnegie on condition that the City should furnish sites for sixty-five libraries; and Whereas, The Board of Education offers land adjacent to public schools for such library sites; Resolved, That the Out-door Recreation League most emphatically protests against the alienation of any grounds adjacent to schools for any purpose other than those for which such grounds were originally acquired and set apart, namely, to give to the children a modicum of air, light and recreation.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be transmitted to the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Board of Education, the Municipal Assembly and to the press.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Education.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx:

No. 2561.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
 MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,  
 April 1, 1901.

Hon. THOS. F. WOODS, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I hereby beg to notify you that the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on the 28th of March, 1901, recommended that its resolution adopted on September 6, 1900, for regulating, etc., Two Hundred and Third street, between Briggs avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, be amended by striking out the words "and that the roadway be paved."

Yours truly,

MICHAEL J. GARVIN, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

#### REPORTS.

No. 155.—(S. O. 199.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was recommended on February 19, 1901, the annexed report and ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock of \$644,495.63 for bridge over Newtown creek, between Brooklyn and Queens boroughs, respectfully

#### REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be adopted.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., HENRY GEIGER, BERNARD SCHMITT, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was recommended on March 20, 1900 (Minutes, page 364), the annexed report and ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock (\$644,495.63) for construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, Queens, respectfully

#### REPORT:

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

They therefore again recommend that the said report and ordinance be adopted.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., EMIL NEUFELD, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, HENRY GEIGER, BERNARD SCHMITT, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred on January 30, 1900 (Minutes, page 119), the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock to provide for necessary expenses, constructing bridge, etc., over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, Queens, respectfully

#### REPORT:

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

They recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), the proceeds whereof shall be paid into the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, which shall be available for the purpose of providing means to defray all necessary expenses incurred in constructing a bridge, with the necessary approaches, over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance, as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 17, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide for the necessary expenses to be incurred in constructing a bridge and approaches across the Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly, as follows:

Section 1. That the Municipal Assembly concurs in and approves of the resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 17, 1899, reading as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), the proceeds whereof shall be paid into the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, which shall be available for the purpose of providing means to defray all necessary expenses incurred in constructing a bridge, with the necessary approaches, over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance, as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 2. That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof, together with the cash balance in the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, shall be applied by the Comptroller in liquidation of the expenses mentioned and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., THOMAS F. MCCAUL, EMIL NEUFELD, ROBERT F. DOWNING, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Byrne, Coggey, Culkin, Diemer, Downing, Geiser, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, McGrath, McKeever, Murphy, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Vaughan, Veltin, Wafer, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—27.

Negative—Aldermen Alt, Cardani, Cronin, Delano, Dowling, Gledhill, Hennessy, Holmes, Kennedy, Mathews, McEneaney, McInnes, Muh, Oatman, Twomey, Welling, and Wentz—17.

Excused—Aldermen Goodman, Holler, and Neufeld—3.

Alderman Schneider moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then, on motion of Alderman Schneider, made a special order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock.

#### MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 2562.

By Alderman Byrne—

Whereas, The congestion of traffic and serious menace to life and limb at the Manhattan terminal of the Brooklyn Bridge has proven a constant worry to the City authorities and has enlisted the attention of many prominent citizens who take interest in the public welfare; and

Whereas, Many ideas have been suggested, neither of which has thus appeared to suggest a solution of the problem or shown to possess any merit wherein might be found some measure of relief; and

Whereas, There has been submitted by Mr. Thomas Brabson a map or plan the idea of which seems to suggest a way whereby the present dangers may be obviated, and which idea seems to have merit and is deserving of consideration; therefore

Resolved, That the said map or plan is hereby referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, with instructions to hold a public hearing thereon, to which shall be invited all railroad and bridge officials and such other persons whose interest therein will warrant attendance, said Committee to report the results of said public hearing to the Municipal Assembly as speedily as careful study of the question will allow.

Alderman Bridges moved that the resolution be amended by substituting the "Committee on Streets and Highways" in place of the "Committee on Bridges and Tunnels."

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

Which was decided in the negative.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.



## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived, Alderman Muh called up S. O. 192, being a report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:

No. 2234.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 13, 1901 (Minutes, page 359), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$2,254,955.36, for lands for public park, Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Suffolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway, Manhattan, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two million two hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty-six cents (\$2,254,955.36), the proceeds to be used for the payment of the expenses in the proceeding to acquire title to a public park, bounded by Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Suffolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 30, 1901, and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Estimate appointed by the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, to acquire title to a public park bounded by Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Suffolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 10, 1901, and filed January 11, 1901; and

Whereas, The awards made to property-owners, the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of the proceeding not yet provided for, amount in the aggregate to the sum of two million two hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty-six cents; and

Whereas, Said sum of two million two hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty-six cents exceeds the balance of the bonds provided for by said chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, to wit, three million dollars, not yet authorized to be issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the sum of one million five hundred and ninety-six thousand three hundred and thirty-six dollars and sixty-four cents;

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses of this proceeding, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and authorizes, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the issue by the Comptroller of Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two million two hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty-six cents, as follows:

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, the sum of six hundred and fifty-eight thousand six hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy-two cents;

Pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the sum of one million five hundred and ninety-six thousand three hundred and thirty-six dollars and sixty-four cents; the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the awards and expenses in above proceedings."

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Estimate appointed by the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, to acquire title to a public park bounded by Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Suffolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 10, 1901, and filed January 11, 1901; and

Whereas, The awards made to property-owners, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of the proceeding not yet provided for, amount in the aggregate to the sum of \$2,254,955.36; and

Whereas, Said sum of \$2,254,955.36 exceeds the balance of the bonds provided for by said chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, to wit, \$3,000,000, not yet authorized to be issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the sum of \$1,596,336.64.

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses of this proceeding, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and authorizes, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the issue by the Comptroller of Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$2,254,955.36, as follows:

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, the sum of \$658,618.72.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the sum of \$1,596,336.64, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the awards and expenses in above proceeding.

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 30, 1901.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

ROBERT MUH, JOSEPH GEISER, ELIAS GOODMAN, MICHAEL KENNEDY, JOHN T. McMAHON, JACOB J. VELTEN, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Coggey, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Kennedy, Kenney, Marks, Mathews, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—50.

The hour of 2:15 o'clock having arrived, the President called up S. O. 187, being a report of the Committee on Public Health, as follows:

No. 2442.

The Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred on March 25, 1901 (Minutes, page 670), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioners of the Department of Health to contract, without public letting, for erection of additional pavilion to hospital, North Brother Island, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Health be and they are hereby authorized to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the erection of an additional pavilion at Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, for the care of persons sick with contagious diseases, said work to be done in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the said Commissioners of the Department of Health, the work to be done at a cost not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the same to be charged to and made payable out of the proper appropriation therefor.

STEPHEN W. MCKEEVER, ROBERT MUH, ARMITAGE MATHEWS, Committee on Public Health.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 11, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

SIRS—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held March 9, 1901, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, This Department requires an additional pavilion at Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, for the care of persons sick with contagious diseases, with as little delay as possible; and

Whereas, Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, provides that the method of procuring supplies exceeding in aggregate cost the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) shall be by contract, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of three-fourths of the members elected to the Municipal Assembly; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Honorable the Municipal Assembly be and are hereby respectfully requested to order, under the provisions of law above quoted, that one pavilion, required by this Department to care for patients sick with contagious diseases, may be procured by the Department of Health in the open market, and in such manner as the Commissioners may deem necessary and for the best interests of the public, at an expense not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

A true copy:

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Coggey, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—53.

At this point Alderman Wafer took the chair.

## REPORTS RESUMED.

No. 2504.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on April 2, 1901, the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Forty-first street, First avenue to the East river, Manhattan, respectfully

## REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, MOSES J. WAFER, LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Forty-first street, from First avenue to the East river, Borough of Manhattan (page 1366, Minutes, March 12, 1901), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate Forty-first street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of March, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Forty-first street, from First avenue to the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks four feet in width, and the paving of the carriageway of said street with granite block on a concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is four hundred and twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

MARTIN ENGEL, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, JAMES OWENS, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 11, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 6th instant providing for the regulating and grading of Forty-first street, from First avenue to the East river, Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK CITY, March 5, 1901.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Fourteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan held March 5, 1901, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Fourteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Forty-first street, from First avenue to the East river, be regulated, graded and paved with granite block on a concrete foundation, that curbstones be set and flagging four feet in width be laid on sidewalks.

Respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Coggey, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, the Vice-President, and the President—49.

## MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 2563.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Drieser to erect and maintain a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 577 First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and the water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2564.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Carroll to erect and maintain a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 349 East Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

## REPORTS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 824.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was recommitted on April 2, 1901, the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$500,000, for repairing, etc., storage reservoir, near Millburn Pumping Station, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., OWEN J. MURPHY, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, GEORGE A. BURRELL, FRANK GASS, LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Water Supply.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred on June 12, 1900 (Minutes, page 378), the annexed report and ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$500,000, for repairing, etc., storage reservoir near Millburn Pumping Station, respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be adopted.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., GEORGE A. BURRELL, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, FRANK GASS, Committee on Water Supply.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 8, 1900 (Minutes, page 217), the annexed resolution in favor of providing for an issue of Corporate Stock, \$500,000, for repairing, etc., storage reservoir near the Millburn Pumping Station, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution on May 1, 1900:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of title XV. of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to repairing, reconstructing and improving the storage reservoir near the Millburn Pumping Station, by the Department of Water Supply."



Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby 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 the amount of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of title XV. of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to repairing, reconstructing and improving the storage reservoir near the Millburn Pumping Station by the Department of Water Supply.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 1, 1900.  
CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

ROBERT MUH, MICHAEL KENNEDY, ELIAS GOODMAN, PATRICK S. KEELY, JACOB J. VELTEN, JOHN T. McMAHON, Committee on Finance.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Murphy, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, and the Vice-President—46.

Negative—Aldermen Muh, Welling, and Wolf—3.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

The hour of 2.45 having arrived, Alderman Wacker called up S. O. 194, being a report of the Committee on Parks, as follows:

No. 1828.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred on December 4, 1901 (Minutes, page 756), the annexed ordinance and report of the Council in favor of laying out a public place at Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleecker street, Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., FRANK HENNESSY, STEPHEN W. McKEEVER, DAVID M. HOLMES, JOHN J. TWOMEY, Committee on Parks.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out a public place bounded by Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleecker street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 439, Minutes, May 22, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out a public place in the Twenty-eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 16th day of May, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public place, bounded by Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleecker street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out the aforesaid public place as follows:

Beginning at the southeast house corner of Myrtle avenue and Knickerbocker avenue;  
1st. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of Myrtle avenue for 69.13 feet to the southwest house corner of Myrtle avenue and Bleecker street;

2d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of Bleecker street for 48.53 feet, to the northwest house corner of Bleecker street and Knickerbocker avenue, as shown on the Commissioners' Map of Bushwick;

3d. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of Knickerbocker avenue for 49.24 feet to the point of beginning.

WILLIAM J. HYLAND, JOHN J. MURPHY, PATRICK J. RYDER, CHARLES H. EBBETS, Committee on Parks.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, May 17, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 16th day of May, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public place bounded by Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleecker street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners, and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Brooklyn, and on the report of the Assistant Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 16th day of May, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 25th day of April, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public place bounded by Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleecker street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 16th day of May, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the day of May, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record and of the publishers of the corporation newspapers that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of May, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public place bounded by Myrtle avenue, Knickerbocker avenue and Bleecker street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out the aforesaid public place as follows:

Beginning at the southeast house-corner of Myrtle avenue and Knickerbocker avenue;

1st. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of Myrtle avenue for 69.13 feet to the southwest house corner of Myrtle avenue and Bleecker street;

2d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of Bleecker street for 48.53 feet to the northwest house corner of Bleecker street and Knickerbocker avenue, as shown on the Commissioners' Map of Bushwick;

3d. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of Knickerbocker avenue for 49.24 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the above-named public place, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Alderman Byrne moved that the report and ordinance be referred to the Alderman of the district.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Rottmann called up S. O. No. 47, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 1225.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 109), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of Manhattan (page 27, Minutes, April 3, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a guarantee of maintenance for five years from the contractor, of the carriageway of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to Edgecombe avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, and the laying of crosswalks at each intersecting avenue, where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being eight thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy-eight thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McGrath, McInnes, Muh, Murphy, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—48.

Alderman Geiger called up S. O. 123, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 1830.—(S. O. 123.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on December 4, 1900 (Minutes, page 760), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, THOMAS F. McCAUL, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 268, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Lafontaine to Hughes avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, and the laying of crosswalks where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being two thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is eighteen thousand four hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith find, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, relative to regulating, grading, etc., of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Lafontaine to Hughes avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a letter from the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, December 1, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting December 1, last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Henry F. Hofer and others, duly advertised, and submitted this the 1st day of December, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Lafontaine to Hughes avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof and crosswalks laid where necessary, after the City has acquired title to this street between the limits mentioned, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof.

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Downing, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Neufeld, Otten, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wafer, Wolf, and the Vice-President—37.

Negative—Aldermen Oatman, Parsons, and Wentz—3.



Alderman Geiger moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then, on motion of Alderman Geiger, restored to its place on special orders.

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived, Alderman McInnes called up S. O. 190, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 2272.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on February 19, 1901 (Minutes, page 397), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the names of various streets and thoroughfares in the Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the names of the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn be and they are hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as follows, and the Commissioners of Highways is hereby authorized to make the necessary changes on the maps and records of The City of New York:

Avenue C, from Flatbush avenue to Coney Island road, to be changed to Cortelyou road.

Avenue C, from Flatbush avenue to Remsen avenue, to be changed to Clarendon road.

Avenue D, from Flatbush avenue to Coney Island road, to be changed to Dorchester road.

Clarkson street, from Flatbush avenue to New York avenue, to be changed to Woodruff avenue.

Avenue E, east of Flatbush avenue, to be changed to Foster avenue.

Avenue G, on the east side of Flatbush avenue, to be changed to Glenwood road.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, CHARLES METZGER, LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Kennedy, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—45.

Negative—Aldermen Byrne, Kenney, and Velten—3.

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived, Alderman McInnes called up S. O. 191, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 2329.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on March 5, 1901 (Minutes, page 508), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Franklin avenue, from Gravesend avenue to Coney Island avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, to Eighteenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the name of Franklin avenue, from Gravesend avenue to Coney Island avenue (Parkville), in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known as Eighteenth avenue, and the Commissioner of Highways is hereby authorized to make the necessary change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, CHARLES METZGER, LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keegan, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—46.

Negative—Alderman Byrne—1.

Alderman McInnes called up G. O. 213, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 1699.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on October 23, 1900 (Minutes, page 437), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Court street, from Bryant street to Gowanus creek, Brooklyn, to "Robinson street," respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the name of Court street, from Bryant street to the Gowanus creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known as Robinson street.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keegan, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—45.

Alderman McInnes called up G. O. 214, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 943.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on May 29, 1900 (Minutes, page 328), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Mill street, from Hamilton avenue to Columbia street, Brooklyn, to "Garnet street," respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the name of Mill street, from Hamilton avenue to Columbia street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known as Garnet street, and the Commissioner of Highways is hereby authorized to change the numbers of said street accordingly.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—45.

The Vice-President called up G. O. 269, being a report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:

No. 2487.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 26, 1901, report of the Council (Minutes, page 695), the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of authorizing the Police Department to draw upon the Comptroller for contingent expenses, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution and report be concurred in.

ROBERT MUH, JOSEPH GEISER, PATRICK S. KEELY, MICHAEL KENNEDY, ELIAS GOODMAN, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Police Department in relation to a contingent fund for said department (page 1276, Minutes, March 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Police Department, the Police Commissioner may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, and the said Commissioner may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for contingencies of the Police Department, but no such renewal may be made until the

money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of voucher or vouchers, certified by the said Commissioner, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, Committee on Finance.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 1, 1901.

To the Honorable Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—I am directed by the Police Commissioner to respectfully present for your favorable consideration for adoption the following:

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Police Department, the Police Commissioner may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, and the said Commissioner may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for contingencies of the Police Department, but no such renewal may be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of voucher or vouchers, certified by the said Commissioner, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Dowling, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the Vice-President—46.

Alderman Cardani called up G. O. 267, being a report of the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, as follows:

No. 2397.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the Presbyterian Hospital to build a tunnel under East Seventy-first street, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they offer the annexed substitute resolution for adoption.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Presbyterian Hospital to build a tunnel under East Seventy-first street, Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Substitute Resolution.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Trustees of the Presbyterian Hospital to place, erect and build a tunnel under East Seventy-first street, between Madison and Park avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, on payment of such fee as shall be deemed an adequate compensation by the Sinking Fund Commission, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., HENRY GEIGER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, BERNARD SCHMITT, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Otten called up G. O. 261, being a report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:

No. 2367.—(S. O. 200.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 5, 1901 (Minutes, page 519), the annexed resolution of the Council in favor of authorizing the District Attorney of Queens County to draw upon the Comptroller for contingent expenses, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be concurred in. Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the office of the District Attorney of Queens County, the said District Attorney may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding three hundred (300) dollars, provided, however, that before each of such drafts following the first requisition the said District Attorney shall file vouchers with the said Comptroller for the expenditure of the sum theretofore had pursuant to this resolution; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to honor said requisition upon the compliance hereof by the said District Attorney.

This resolution is a substitute for Resolution Number 66 adopted by the Municipal Assembly January 22, 1901, which is hereby repealed.

ROBERT MUH, JOSEPH GEISER, ELIAS GOODMAN, MICHAEL KENNEDY, JOHN T. McMAHON, JACOB J. VELTEN, Committee on Finance.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Hennessy, Holler, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, and Wolf—42.

Alderman Otten moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and resolution was lost be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then, on motion of Alderman Otten, made a special order for the next meeting at 2:30 o'clock.

REPORTS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 1285.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of requesting the Commissioner of Highways to have the Long Island Railroad Company to depress its tracks in Twenty-sixth Ward, Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Whereas, The Long Island Railroad Company has, without the consent of the proper authorities, elevated its tracks above the grade of streets in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, This elevation of said tracks has operated to the disadvantage of pedestrians and drivers of vehicles at the various crossings of said company's tracks; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby requested to investigate by what authority the said tracks have been so elevated, and to compel the Company, if possible, to depress their tracks so that pedestrians and drivers of vehicles may have no difficulty in crossing the same, and to conform in all respects with the established grade of the streets in that section.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. then put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1989.—(S. O. 201.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on December 26, 1901, the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., St. Mark's avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 1137, Minutes, November 20, 1900), respectfully



## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., St. Mark's avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of November, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of St. Mark's avenue, between Howard avenue and a point two hundred and seventy-five feet from the westerly line of Rockaway avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curb, laying of crosswalks, paving of gutters and flagging or reflagging of sidewalks where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being sixteen thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirty-five thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, November 19, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 9th day of November, 1900, in relation to the regulating, grading, etc., of St. Mark's avenue, between Howard avenue and a point 275 feet from the westerly line of Rockaway avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, May 15, 1900.

## Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held this 4th day of May, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 4th day of May, 1900, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to regulate and grade St. Mark's avenue, between Howard avenue and a point two hundred and seventy-five feet from the westerly line of Rockaway avenue, in the Eighth Local Improvement District of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb, lay crosswalks, pave gutters, and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Inclosed are the following:

Copy of petition.

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

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

No. 2083.—(G. O. 272.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 1020, Minutes, October 30, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of October, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite-block pavement on a sand foundation, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for one (1) year, of the carriage-way of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between St. Ann's avenue and Trinity avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being six thousand six hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-two thousand six hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, October 26, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the paving with granite-block pavement of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between St. Ann's and Trinity avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, which was approved by this Board on the 24th instant.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, recommending said improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, February 1, 1900.

## Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting February 1, 1900, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Charles Nienaber and others, duly advertised and submitted the 1st day of February, 1900, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street be paved with granite blocks, between St. Ann's avenue and Trinity avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was laid over.

No. 2310.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of designating Hillside avenue, from Madison avenue, Jamaica, to Flushing avenue, Hollis, Borough of Queens, as a speedway, respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted. AN ORDINANCE designating Hillside avenue, from Madison avenue, Jamaica, easterly to Flushing avenue, Hollis, in the Borough of Queens, as a speedway.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The thoroughfare known as Hillside avenue, from Madison avenue, Jamaica, easterly to Flushing avenue, Hollis, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as a speed-

way, and the driving of horses thereon at any rate of speed is hereby allowed between the hours of two o'clock P. M. and six o'clock P. M.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. then put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Goodman, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, and Wolf—33.

No. 2374.—(G. O. 273.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on March 12, 1901 (Minutes, page 532), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Seventy-first street, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Seventy-first street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 250, Minutes, January 15, 1901), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate Seventy-first street, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of January, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Seventy-first street, between Third avenue and the Shore road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, setting or resetting of the curb, paving gutters, paving the sidewalks with cement where not already done, and the paving of the carriage-way of said street with macadam pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-nine thousand six hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and nine thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, January 15, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board on the 9th day of January, 1901, relative to the regulating, grading, etc., of Seventy-first street, between Third avenue and the Shore road, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, November 24, 1900.

## Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on November 22, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 22d day of November, 1900, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to regulate, grade and pave Seventy-first street with macadam pavement, between Third avenue and the Shore road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb, pave gutters and pave the sidewalks with cement, of said street where not already done."

Inclosed are the following:

Copy of petition.

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

As Seventy-first street is the approach to a new school building erected on that street, I request that immediate consideration be given to the above recommendation of the Local Board.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was laid over.

No. 2296.—(G. O. 274.)

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of preventing the sale of cigarettes to minors, respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JACOB J. VELTEN, OWEN J. MURPHY, ISAAC MARKS, JOSEPH A. FLINN, Committee on Law.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of preventing the sale of tobacco or cigarettes to minors (page 73, Minutes, January 16, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the sale of tobacco or cigarettes to minors in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Any person or persons who sells or causes to be sold or gives away tobacco or cigarettes, whether composed of tobacco or any other substance, to any child or minor under the age of eighteen years within the limits of the territory embraced in The City of New York as now constituted, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of ten dollars or ten days' imprisonment in the City Prison, or both, within the discretion of the magistrates trying such offense.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance will take effect immediately.

ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, CHARLES H. EBBETS, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, JOHN J. MCGARRY, FRANK J. GOODWIN, Committee on Law Department.

Which was laid over.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 2565.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for The City of New York:

By the President—

John J. Stapleton, No. 94 Elm street, Manhattan.

Stephen O'Brien, No. 150 Nassau street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Alt—

H. B. Reynolds, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.

James C. Mar, No. 128 Miller avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Burrell—

Abraham A. Joseph, No. 302 Broadway, Manhattan.



By Alderman Cardini—  
Helen L. Faulkner, No. 162 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan.  
Dorcas G. Sullivan, No. 322 West Twenty-eighth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Coggey—  
Thomas McGrath, No. 161 East Fifty-seventh street, Manhattan.  
Henry N. Steinert, No. 10 Wall street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Cronin—  
Joseph B. Reilly, No. 59 Madison street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Delano—  
J. Percival Hunting, No. 454 Classon avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Diemer—  
Julius W. Buttner, No. 278 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn.  
Fred. Brunnemer, No. 897 Grand street, Brooklyn.  
James M. Vance, No. 797 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Downing—  
Luther G. Billings, Jr., No. 27 Pierrepont street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Flinn—  
Isidore Burns, No. 11 West One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gaffney—  
John A. Brown, No. 504 East Seventeenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gass—  
Robert Wettje, Matilda street, Wakefield, Bronx.

By Alderman Geiser—  
Ernest Pomwecke, Glendale, Queens.  
Charles Metz, Richmond Hill, Queens.

By Alderman Gledhill—  
Robert Montgomery, No. 448 West Fortieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—  
Nicholas Knox, No. 19 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Manhattan.  
William Haupt, No. 141 Broadway, Manhattan.  
Abraham Brekstone, No. 91 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Keegan—  
Henry F. Hunter, No. 333 Seventy-seventh street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kennedy—  
Giovanni B. Mastrangelo, No. 32 Thompson street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kenney—  
John L. Murphy, No. 268 Bond street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Ledwith—  
Francis J. Donnelly, No. 600 Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—  
Samuel Aronson, No. 159 Monroe street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McEneaney—  
Charles D. Donohue, No. 153 Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.  
Robert J. McKeon, No. 953 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.  
George F. Ritz, Jr., No. 106 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McInnes—  
Matthew M. White, No. 260 Skillman street, Brooklyn.  
Frederick P. Davison, No. 354 Greene avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McKeever—  
William J. Daily, No. 381 Union street, Brooklyn.  
Theodore R. Brown, No. 77 Cooper street, Brooklyn.  
Herbert G. Andrews, No. 815 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McMahon—  
John Stich.

By Alderman Muh—  
R. D. Steele, No. 97 Cedar street, Manhattan.  
Frank E. Gallagher, No. 127 East One Hundredth street, Manhattan.  
Leonard I. Roe, No. 160 Broadway, Manhattan.  
Edward Henry Simmons, No. 145 Nassau street, Manhattan.  
Lawrence J. Braun, No. 529 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan.  
Matthew Stripp, Jr., County Clerk's Office, Manhattan.  
Thomas J. Harrah, No. 255 West Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Murphy—  
John B. Dolan, No. 645 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Porges—  
Sol. Peyser, No. 338 East Eighth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Schmitt—  
Edward Spuller, No. 633 Hart street, Brooklyn.  
James Van de Wyngaard, No. 64 Ten Eyck street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Seebeck—  
Hugh T. Cain, No. 590 Pacific street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Twomey—  
Stephen J. Feist, No. 407 West Fifty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Vaughan—  
William T. Croak, Port Richmond, Richmond.

By Alderman Velten—  
Albert J. Robertson, No. 286 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wafer—  
Albert C. McKenzie, No. 135 Sackett street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—  
George A. Wilson, No. 787 Hancock street, Brooklyn.  
The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McGrath, McInnes, Murphy, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, and Wolf—35.  
No. 2566.

By the President—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose application for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By the President—  
Fruit Stands—Sabbatino Genaro, No. 467 Third avenue, Manhattan; Frederick Levitt, No. 414 East Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Alt—  
Fruit Stand—Simon May, No. 1751 Pitkins avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cronin—  
Fruit Stands—Lugi Arato, No. 40 Fulton street, Manhattan; Antonio Ferero, No. 32 Beaver street, Manhattan.  
Soda-water Stand—Vincenzo Silvestri, No. 82 Mulberry street, Manhattan.  
Bootblack Stand—Guisepe Cupolo, No. 27 Whitehall street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Culklin—  
Bootblack Stand—Thomas McPartland, No. 137 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Cardani—  
Fruit Stand—A. F. Beckmann, No. 1286 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Coggey—  
Fruit Stands—Nicholas Anselino, No. 1002 Second avenue, Manhattan; Cracco Jurelo, No. 1196 Second avenue, Manhattan; Sam Ribando, No. 1116 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dowling—  
Fruit Stands—Vito Cannavaccinolo, No. 230 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Jacob Lowenstein, No. 254 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.  
Bootblack Stand—Tony Bias, No. 322 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—  
Newspaper Stand—John Reichter, No. 835 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Gaffney—  
Newspaper Stands—James G. Bennett, northwest corner Third avenue and Fourteenth street, Manhattan; Ignatz Rosenfeld, No. 398 Second avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Charles Muhler, No. 165 Third avenue, Manhattan; Tony Magrino, No. 398 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—  
Fruit Stand—Angelo Manfredi, No. 1440 Fifth avenue, Manhattan.  
Newspaper Stand—Isaac Rosenthal, No. 144 Lenox avenue, Manhattan.  
Bootblack Stand—Frank Rochio, No. 1747 Madison avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gass—  
Newspaper Stand—Haymann Kommissor, northwest corner White Plains and Olin avenues, Williamsbridge, The Bronx.

By Alderman Holmes—  
Fruit Stand—Conway Brothers, No. 155 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Holler—  
Soda-water Stand—J. Rosenthal, No. 176 Harrison avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kennedy—  
Fruit Stands—Augustino Costa, No. 94 Murray street, Manhattan; Catino Munichio, Nos. 243 and 245 Church street, Manhattan; Joseph Robilatto, No. 272 West street, Manhattan; Joseph Canepa, No. 270 West street, Manhattan; Lorenzo Bozzo, No. 149 West Broadway, Manhattan.  
Soda-water Stands—Cord Bosch, No. 271 West street, Manhattan; Charles Volk, No. 190 West street, Manhattan.  
Boot-black Stands—Joseph Verone, No. 66 Franklin street, Manhattan; Vincenzo Mintano, No. 271 West street, Manhattan; Vincenzo Marchesno, No. 272 West street, Manhattan.  
Newspaper Stands—Michael Brannan, southeast corner Greenwich and Desbrosses streets, Manhattan; Jacob Lucashnisky, No. 1 Harrison street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—  
Soda-water Stands—Samuel Lestoff, No. 21 Gouverneur street, Manhattan; Max Meisel, No. 54 Rutgers street, Manhattan; Solomon Segal, No. 116 East Broadway; Henry Wolf, No. 173 Madison street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Muh—  
Fruit Stand—Peter Mayorga, No. 731 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McGrath—  
Fruit Stand—John Tobias, No. 212 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McEneaney—  
Fruit Stands—Francesco Savarese, No. 1197 Third avenue, Manhattan; John Mamola, No. 1321 Second avenue, Manhattan.  
Soda-water Stands—Sam I. Lederer, No. 400 East Seventy-third street, Manhattan; Benjamin Maskowitz, No. 1431 Second avenue, Manhattan.  
Bootblack Stand—Isaac Luff, 1265 Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Neufeld—  
Soda-water Stands—Carl Fredericks, No. 481 East Houston street, Manhattan; Abraham Hosman, No. 394 East Houston street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Oatman—  
Bootblack Stands—Nicolla Franscella, Grand Central Depot, Manhattan; Otto L. Schlobohm, No. 833 Sixth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Parsons—  
Newspaper Stands—William Efron, No. 30 Fourth avenue, Manhattan; Hyman Fass, No. 50 Union Square, Manhattan.  
Bootblack Stands—Angelo Busso, No. 113 West Twenty-third street, Manhattan; Francesco Petrino, No. 289 Fourth avenue, Manhattan; J. Supoint, No. 50 Union Square, Manhattan.

By Alderman Porges—  
Soda-water Stands—Isaac Goldman, No. 10 Orchard street, Manhattan; William Schoe, No. 21 Eldridge street, Manhattan; Abraham Grell, No. 168 Forsyth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Rottmann—  
Bootblack Stand—Michael Maglione, No. 1728 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.  
Newspaper Stand—John Fine, No. 2315 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Schneider—  
Soda-water Stands—Abraham Leventhal, No. 1947 Second avenue, Manhattan; Jacob Tammenbaum, No. 2001 Second avenue, Manhattan; Ernest Schmolenberg, No. 1218 Fifth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Twomey—  
Fruit Stand—Angelo Vergone, No. 891 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Velten—  
Soda-water Stand—Mrs. Hattie Murphy, No. 80 Leonard street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Welling—  
Fruit Stands—Joseph Fanelli, No. 64 West Houston street, Manhattan; Pasquale Fanelli, No. 59 West Houston street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wolf—  
Soda-water Stand—Harris Sibener, No. 138 Essex street, Manhattan.  
The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2567.

By Alderman Velten—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nathan Prenskey to erect, keep and maintain an iron stairway on the Moore street side of his premises on the northeast corner of Graham avenue and Moore street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, said stairway to be a means of ingress to and egress from the first floor of the said premises, to be erected wholly within the stoop-line and not to exceed three feet in width, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.  
The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2568.

By Alderman Vaughan—  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Richmond Beach Railway Company to lay tracks across the highway known as the Amboy road, in the Borough of Richmond, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the rails to be of a pattern approved by the Commissioner of Highways, and to be laid and maintained flush with the surface of the street so as not to interfere with the free use thereof by the public; all the work of laying the tracks, paving between the tracks and two feet outside the outside rails of the same and maintaining the said pavement in good order, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Highways, to be done at the expense of the said Richmond Beach Railway Company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.  
Which was, on motion, referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2569.

By Alderman Neufeld—  
Whereas, The near approach of the summer season makes it necessary to prepare our recreation piers for the uses for which they are intended; and  
Whereas, The Recreation Pier at the foot of East Third street requires, as was demonstrated during the last season, more adequate protection from the rowdiness of many of the boys of the neighborhood; therefore  
Resolved, That the Dock Commissioners be and they are hereby respectfully requested to give special attention to this matter, with a view of securing from the Police Department a sufficient number of officers to insure order and decency, at, about and on said Recreation Pier.  
The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2570.

By Alderman Muh—  
Resolved, That G. O. 257, being a report of the Committee on Finance, in favor of adopting a resolution providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and eighty thousand and twenty-nine dollars, to provide for the purchase, acquisition or construction of stock or plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, a similar matter being received from the Council and made a special order, be and the same is hereby taken from the list of general orders and placed on file.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2571.

By Alderman Mathews—  
Resolved, That the resolution, and the license granted thereunder, permitting James Seidman to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southwest corner of Ninety-third street and Columbus avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 6, 1901, by the Council on March 13, 1901, and which was received from his Honor the Mayor without his approval or objections thereto on March 27, 1901, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.  
The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.



No. 2572.

By Alderman McGrath—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. F. Smyth to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street and Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2573.

By the same—

Resolved, That Martin W. Hall, of No. 595 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 2574.

By Alderman McCaul—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit of a display on First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, by St. Francis Society on the 25th day of April, 1901.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2575.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended in the Borough of Manhattan, from May 7, 1901, to May 9, 1901, inclusive.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2576.

By Alderman Kennedy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward A. Murphy to erect and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the northwest corner of Greenwich and Desbrosses streets, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718, Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2577.

By the same—

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on January 15, 1901, by the Council on January 22, 1901, and received from his Honor the Mayor on February 5, 1901, without his approval or disapproval thereof, permitting Giovanni De Franceschi to keep a fruit stand at No. 179 Greenwich street, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the figures "179," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "174," so that said resolution when so amended shall read "174 Greenwich street."

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2578.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Carli to erect and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of his premises, No. 264 Bergen street, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2579.

By Alderman Geiger—

Resolved, That Special Order No. 120, being a report and ordinance for repairing and replacing the Lorelei Fountain, in the Borough of The Bronx, be amended by striking from said ordinance the words "without public letting."

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2580.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Clausen to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the southeast corner of Melrose avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2581.

By Alderman Flinn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Marks & Benson Company to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of Nos. 116 and 118 East Fourteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the said lamp-post and lamp shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, and shall not be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2582.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. Courtney to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises at the northwest corner of Twenty-first street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2583.

By Alderman Cardani—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Miss M. F. and C. W. Ogden to erect, keep and maintain bay-windows in front of their premises on East Seventy-ninth street, about one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Madison avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, said bay-windows not to extend over two feet nine inches beyond the building line, and the entire structure, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, to be within the stoop-line, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL RESUMED.

The President pro tem. laid before the Board the following communications transmitted from the Council:

No. 2584.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of fruit and for bootblacking purposes within the stoop-line at the locations set respectively opposite their names and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

Fruit Stand—Alfred German, No. 381 Eighth avenue;

Bootblack Stand—Henry W. Von Glahn, No. 235 Tenth avenue, all in the Borough of Manhattan.

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2585.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Regina Music Box Company to remove the ornamental clock now in front of their premises on the northwest corner of Twenty-second street and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and erect, place and keep the same

in front of the premises to be occupied by them at No. 11 East Twenty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, subject to the conditions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; and provided, further, that neither the said clock or post be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 2586.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,  
April 4, 1901.

## Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 28, 1901, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York that the names of the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn be changed as follows:

"Avenue F, from Ocean avenue eastward, be changed to Farragut road.

"East Twenty-first street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Kenmore place.

"East Twenty-second street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Elmore place.

"East Twenty-third street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Delamere place.

"East Twenty-fourth street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Mansfield place."

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Resolved, That the names of the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn be changed as follows:

Avenue F, from Ocean avenue eastward, be changed to Farragut road;

East Twenty-first street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Kenmore place;

East Twenty-second street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Elmore place;

East Twenty-third street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Delamere place;

East Twenty-fourth street, from the Twenty-ninth Ward line southward, be changed to Mansfield place.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 2587.—(S. O. 202.)

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 22, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—At the meeting of this Board, held on the 20th instant, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements approves the changing of the name of the avenue now known as 'Marcher' avenue, lying between Jerome avenue and Featherbed lane, Borough of The Bronx, to 'Shakespeare' avenue; and that the Municipal Assembly be requested to authorize such change in accordance with the provisions of section 49 of the Greater New York Charter."

In accordance with the above resolution, I transmit herewith a form of ordinance authorizing such change, and would respectfully request that your Honorable Body will give the same favorable consideration.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to change the name of Marcher avenue, Borough of The Bronx, to Shakespeare avenue.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 49 of the Greater New York Charter, the name of the avenue now known as "Marcher" avenue, lying between Jerome avenue and Featherbed lane, Borough of The Bronx, be and the same hereby is changed to "Shakespeare" avenue.

Which was, on motion of Alderman Geiger, made a special order for the next meeting at 2.30 o'clock.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Marks moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President pro tem. declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 16, 1901, at 1 o'clock P. M.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING, NO. 346 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, April 8, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with the provisions of the law, I herewith submit to you a list of the appointments, promotions, etc., in the various City Departments for the past week.

Yours respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## APPOINTMENTS.

## Department of Highways, Brooklyn.

March 28, 1901, Richard W. Burchell, No. 844 Hancock street, Brooklyn, Rodman, \$1,200.

## Rapid Transit, Manhattan.

April 1, 1901, Edmund P. Ramsey, No. 174 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, Assistant Engineer, \$1,200.

April 1, 1901, Eugene McLaughlin, No. 712 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Inspector of Masonry, \$4 per day.

March 22, 1901, Charles W. Powell, No. 300 Lincoln street, Flushing, Assistant Engineer, \$1,200.

March 26, 1901, Henry B. Machen, No. 231 West Ninety-sixth street, Assistant Engineer, \$1,200.

March 27, 1901, Leicester Durham, No. 404 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Assistant Engineer, \$1,200.

March 22, 1901, Edward F. Fitzgerald, White Plains, Axeman, \$720.

March 25, 1901, Frank C. Fox, No. 224 East One Hundred and Seventh street, Axeman, \$720.

March 22, 1901, William F. Mercer, White Plains, Axeman, \$720.

March 25, 1901, Otto E. Bernhardt, No. 2594 Third avenue, Axeman, \$720.

March 25, 1901, Charles A. Wood, No. 847 Union avenue, Axeman, \$720.

April 1, 1901, Charles E. Richards, Katonah, N. Y., Inspector of Masonry, \$4 per day.

April 1, 1901, Donato Cuozzo, No. 39 Sherman street, Brooklyn, Inspector of Masonry, \$4 per day.

## Department of Water Supply, Brooklyn.

March 26, 1901, John A. Reid, No. 270 Roebling street, Brooklyn, Junior Clerk, \$600.

March 26, 1901, Samuel Cohen, No. 125 Manhattan avenue, Junior Clerk, \$600.

TRANSFERRED FROM DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, QUEENS.

March 27, 1901, Fred. H. Dewey, No. 912 West End avenue, Building Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry.

## PROMOTION.

## Department of Education.

March 27, 1901, William A. Baumann, No. 513 East Sixth street, Office Boy, at \$300, to Junior Clerk, at \$540.

## Civil Service.

April 1, 1901, Mildred G. Smith, No. 251 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Examiner, at \$900, to \$1,200.



## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., APRIL 6, 1901.

| BOROUGH.           | POPULATION<br>U. S. CEN-<br>SUS 1900. | ESTIMATED<br>POPULATION<br>MIDDLE OF<br>YEAR<br>1901. | DEATHS. |       | BIRTHS. | MAR-<br>RIAGES. | STILL-<br>BIRTHS. | DEATH-RATE. |       |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---------|-------|---------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|-------|
|                    |                                       |   | 1900.   | 1901. |         |                 |                   | 1900.       | 1901. |
| Manhattan.....     | 1,850,093                             | 1,873,562   | 935     | 775   | 838     | 235             | 59                | 26.35       | 21.58 |
| *The Bronx.....    | 200,507                               | 222,124   | 79      | 96    | 96      | 8               | 10                | 20.40       | 22.55 |
| Brooklyn.....      | 1,166,582                             | 1,209,664   | 544     | 438   | 373     | 107             | 35                | 24.25       | 18.90 |
| Queens.....        | 152,999                               | 162,834   | 53      | 53    | 107     | 8               | 5                 | 17.99       | 16.98 |
| Richmond.....      | 67,021                                | 68,933  | 36      | 24    | 21      | 1               | 1                 | 27.97       | 18.17 |
| City of New York.. | 3,437,202                             | 3,536,517   | 1,647   | 1,386 | 1,435   | 359             | 110               | 24.93       | 20.45 |

\* Many large institutions raise the death-rate.

## Cases of Infections and Contagious Diseases Reported.

|                   | WEEK ENDING— |             |             |             |            |            |             |             |            |            |             |             |             |             | Apr.<br>6. |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
|                   | Jan.<br>5.   | Jan.<br>12. | Jan.<br>19. | Jan.<br>26. | Feb.<br>2. | Feb.<br>9. | Feb.<br>16. | Feb.<br>23. | Mar.<br>2. | Mar.<br>9. | Mar.<br>16. | Mar.<br>23. | Mar.<br>30. | Mar.<br>30. |            |
| Phthisis.....     | 229          | 249         | 272         | 331         | 282        | 280        | 250         | 267         | 320        | 327        | 278         | 286         | 269         |             |            |
| Diphtheria.....   | 283          | 277         | 302         | 332         | 361        | 260        | 296         | 257         | 293        | 261        | 324         | 300         | 266         |             |            |
| Croup.....        | 8            |             |             |             |            |            |             |             |            |            |             |             |             |             |            |
| Measles.....      | 82           | 99          | 102         | 110         | 116        | 145        | 159         | 198         | 167        | 274        | 234         | 319         | 313         | 289         |            |
| Scarlet Fever.... | 187          | 170         | 302         | 349         | 336        | 369        | 404         | 437         | 541        | 562        | 608         | 607         | 709         | 725         |            |
| Small-pox.....    | 13           | 17          | 9           | 11          | 50         | 17         | 25          | 43          | 64         | 54         | 37          | 41          | 41          | 42          |            |
| Typhoid Fever.... | 62           | 56          | 44          | 33          | 27         | 27         | 20          | 28          | 23         | 22         | 19          | 23          | 25          | 29          |            |
| Typhus Fever....  | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..          | ..          |            |
| Total.....        | 864          | 958         | 1,031       | 1,146       | 1,179      | 1,100      | 1,184       | 1,213       | 1,355      | 1,493      | 1,549       | 1,568       | 1,642       | 1,620       |            |

## Deaths by Principal Causes, According to Locality and Age.

| BOROUGH.       | Infectious Dis-<br>eases detailed<br>elsewhere. | Malarial<br>Diseases. | Whooping<br>Cough. | Diarrhoeal<br>Diseases. | Diarrhoeal Dis-<br>eases Under<br>5 Years. | Phthisis. | Bronchitis. | Pneumonia. | Congenital<br>Debility. | Suicides. | Homicides. | Accidents. | Under 1 Year. | Under 5 Years. | 5-15 Years. | 15-25 Years. | 25-45 Years. | 45-65 Years. | 65 Years<br>and over. |
|----------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|---------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|
|                |   |                       |                    |                         |  |           |             |            |                         |           |            |            |               |                |             |              |              |              |                       |
| Manhattan..... | 49  | 1                     | 2                  | 29                      | 26   | 69        | 26          | 91         | 32                      | 7         | 2          | 33         | 134           | 251            | 426         | 98           |              |              |                       |
| The Bronx..... | 12  | ..                    | ..                 | 2                       | 2  | 17        | 4           | 10         | 3                       | ..        | ..         | 2          | 18            | 26             | 49          | 21           |              |              |                       |
| Brooklyn.....  | 43  | ..                    | 1                  | 9                       | 7  | 56        | 12          | 72         | 19                      | ..        | ..         | 15         | 67            | 126            | 246         | 66           |              |              |                       |
| Queens.....    | 3   | 1                     | ..                 | ..                      | ..   | 6         | 1           | 8          | 1                       | ..        | ..         | 7          | 10            | 31             | 12          |              |              |              |                       |
| Richmond.....  | 5   | ..                    | ..                 | ..                      | ..   | ..        | 3           | 1          | ..                      | ..        | 1          | 4          | 6             | 14             | 4           |              |              |              |                       |
| Total.....     | 117   | 2                     | 3                  | 40                      | 35   | 148       | 43          | 184        | 56                      | 8         | 2          | 51         | 230           | 419            | 766         | 201          |              |              |                       |

## Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

|   | Total Deaths. | Deaths in Corre-<br>sponding Week<br>of 1900. | Males. |     | Females. | Under 1 Year. | 1 Year and<br>Under 2. | 2 and Under 5. | Under 5 Years. | 5-15. | 15-25. | 25-45. | 45-65. | 65 and Over. |
|---|---------------|---|--------|-----|----------|---------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------------|
|   |               |   |        |     |          |               |                        |                |                |       |        |        |        |              |
| Total, all causes.....                    | 1,386         | 1,647   | 721    | 665 | 230      | 86            | 103                    | 419            | 61             | 90    | 307    | 308    | 201    |              |
| Diphtheria and Croup....                  | 48            | 47  | 25     | 23  | 6        | 9             | 24                     | 39             | 7              | 1     | ..     | 1      | ..     |              |
| Malarial Fevers.....                      | 2             | 4   | 2      | ..  | 1        | ..            | 1                      | 2              | ..             | ..    | ..     | ..     | ..     |              |
| Measles.....                              | 6             | 31  | 4      | 2   | 1        | 3             | 2                      | 6              | ..             | ..    | ..     | ..     | ..     |              |
| Scarlet Fever.....                        | 44            | 14  | 19     | 25  | 2        | 4             | 21                     | 27             | 15             | ..    | 2      | ..     | ..     |              |
| Small-pox.....                            | 8             | ..  | 6      | 2   | 2        | ..            | ..                     | 4              | ..             | 2     | 2      | ..     | ..     |              |
| Typhoid Fever.....                        | 11            | 7   | 7      | 4   | 1        | ..            | ..                     | 1              | 2              | 2     | 3      | 3      | ..     |              |
| Typhus Fever.....                         | ..            | ..  | ..     | ..  | ..       | ..            | ..                     | ..             | ..             | ..    | ..     | ..     | ..     |              |
| Whooping Cough.....                       | 3             | 22  | ..     | 3   | 2        | ..            | ..                     | 2              | 1              | ..    | ..     | ..     | ..     |              |
| Diarrhoeal Diseases.....                  | 40            | 12  | 19     | 21  | 25       | 8             | 2                      | 35             | ..             | ..    | 2      | 1      | 2      |              |
| Other Diseases of Digestive System.....   | 58            | 114   | 32     | 26  | 5        | ..            | 2                      | 7              | 1              | 5     | 18     | 19     | 8      |              |
| Phthisis.....                             | 148           | 207   | 89     | 59  | ..       | 2             | ..                     | 2              | 5              | 25    | 88     | 23     | 5      |              |
| Other Tuberculous Diseases                | 26            | 28  | 16     | 10  | 7        | 6             | 7                      | 20             | 2              | 1     | 2      | 1      | ..     |              |
| Diseases of the Nervous System.....       | 127           | 109   | 73     | 54  | 23       | 8             | 4                      | 35             | 4              | 2     | 11     | 44     | 31     |              |
| Heart Diseases.....                       | 108           | 85  | 54     | 54  | 2        | ..            | 1                      | 3              | 5              | 6     | 19     | 39     | 36     |              |
| Bronchitis.....                           | 43            | 69  | 22     | 21  | 20       | 5             | 7                      | 32             | ..             | ..    | 1      | 5      | 5      |              |
| Pneumonia.....                            | 184           | 360   | 91     | 93  | 30       | 18            | 10                     | 58             | 7              | 19    | 39     | 40     | 21     |              |
| Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs..... | 105           | 39  | 59     | 46  | 34       | 13            | 10                     | 57             | 2              | 4     | 14     | 16     | 12     |              |
| Diseases of Urinary System                | 125           | 126   | 60     | 65  | 4        | 1             | 6                      | 11             | 2              | 6     | 30     | 47     | 29     |              |
| *Congenital Debility.....                 | 56            | 87  | 32     | 24  | 54       | 1             | 1                      | 56             | ..             | ..    | ..     | ..     | ..     |              |
| Old Age.....                              | 28            | 17  | 7      | 21  | ..       | ..            | ..                     | ..             | ..             | ..    | ..     | 4      | 24     |              |
| Suicides.....                             | 8             | 11  | 5      | 3   | ..       | ..            | ..                     | ..             | ..             | ..    | 6      | 2      | ..     |              |
| Other violent deaths.....                 | 53            | 44  | 37     | 16  | 2        | 3             | 3                      | 8              | 4              | 4     | 25     | 10     | 2      |              |
| †All other causes.....                    | 155           | 214   | 62     | 93  | 9        | 3             | 2                      | 14             | 4              | 13    | 45     | 53     | 2      |              |

\* Including Premature Births, Preterm Births, Inanition, Marasmus and all Congenital Defects.

† *Viz.*: Syphilis, 2; Cancer, 49; Rheumatism, 5; Diabetes, 13; Embolism, 3; Alcoholism, 9; Erysipelas, 3; Influenza, 22; Diseases of Uterus, 2; Puerperal Fever, 9; Miscarriage, 3; Child-birth, 1; Puerperal Convulsions, 1; Rickets, 1; Purpura, 1; Dentition, 2; Dysentery, 1; Scurvy, 1; Opium Poisoning, 1; Otitis, 1; Pelvic Abscess, 4; Cellulitis, 1; Gangrene, 1; Addison's Disease, 1; Septicæmia, 3; Aneurism, 2; Arterio-sclerosis, 1; Ovarian Diseases, 5; Uterine Hemorrhage, 1; Post-partum Hemorrhage, 2; Metritis, 1; Carbuncle, 1; Enlarged Glands, 1; Abscesses, 1.

## Deaths by Violence in Detail:

Fractures and Contusions, 27; Burns and Scalds, 6; Poison, 3; Suffocation, 7; Drowning, 5; Wounds, 2; Surgical Operation, 1; Homicide, 2.

## Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

|   | WEEK ENDING— |             |             |            |            |             |             |            |            |             |             |             |             |             | Apr.<br>6. |
|---|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
|   | Jan.<br>12.  | Jan.<br>19. | Jan.<br>26. | Feb.<br>2. | Feb.<br>9. | Feb.<br>16. | Feb.<br>23. | Mar.<br>2. | Mar.<br>9. | Mar.<br>16. | Mar.<br>23. | Mar.<br>30. | Mar.<br>30. | Mar.<br>30. |            |
| Total deaths.....                         | 1,606        | 1,649       | 1,482       | 1,332      | 1,289      | 1,389       | 1,371       | 1,410      | 1,434      | 1,459       | 1,497       | 1,409       | 1,386       |             |            |
| Annual death-rate.....                    | 23.69        | 24.33       | 21.87       | 19.65      | 19.02      | 20.49       | 20.23       | 20.80      | 21.16      | 21.53       | 22.09       | 20.79       | 20.45       |             |            |
| Diphtheria and Croup..                    | 69           | 49          | 52          | 40         | 40         | 50          | 37          | 36         | 44         | 58          | 59          | 47          | 48          |             |            |
| Malarial Fevers.....                      | 5            | 1           | 3           | ..         | 2          | 1           | 1           | 4          | 1          | 2           | 1           | 1           | 2           |             |            |
| Measles.....                              | 2            | 3           | 2           | 2          | 5          | 7           | 5           | 8          | 6          | 6           | 4           | 8           | 6           |             |            |
| Scarlet Fever.....                        | 12           | 22          | 22          | 14         | 30         | 24          | 24          | 30         | 32         | 29          | 40          | 38          | 44          |             |            |
| Small-pox.....                            | 3            | 5           | 1           | 2          | 6          | 6           | 9           | 11         | 10         | 6           | 6           | 10          | 8           |             |            |
| Typhoid Fever.....                        | 13           | 11          | 12          | 15         | 9          | 11          | 5           | 11         | 12         | 10          | 5           | 11          | 11          |             |            |
| Typhus Fever.....                         | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..          | ..          |             |            |
| Whooping Cough.....                       | 4            | 1           | 6           | 8          | 3          | 4           | 3           | 6          | 5          | 4           | 2           | 3           |             |             |            |
| Diarrhoeal Diseases....                   | 24           | 23          | 37          | 45         | 31         | 52          | 28          | 34         | 31         | 41          | 43          | 34          | 40          |             |            |
| Diarrhoeal Diseases (under 5 years.....)  | 21           | 20          | 32          | 36         | 28         | 45          | 22          | 29         | 21         | 35          | 38          | 27          | 35          |             |            |
| Phthisis.....                             | 182          | 191         | 185         | 190        | 165        | 189         | 179         | 161        | 170        | 189         | 165         | 195         | 148         |             |            |
| Bronchitis.....                           | 56           | 68          | 41          | 41         | 30         | 39          | 49          | 48         | 51         | 43          | 56          | 48          | 43          |             |            |
| Pneumonia.....                            | 328          | 273         | 215         | 166        | 134        | 149         | 159         | 192        | 207        | 213         | 189         | 195         | 184         |             |            |
| Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs..... | 107          | 90          | 81          | 95         | 84         | 101         | 84          | 95         | 95         | 85          | 89          | 100         | 105         |             |            |
| Violent Deaths.....                       | 69           | 60          | 62          | 50         | 74         | 46          | 56          | 60         | 47         | 62          | 52          | 45          | 61          |             |            |
| Under one year.....                       | 235          | 234         | 246         | 210        | 198        | 258         | 251         | 242        | 274        | 259         | 257         | 242         | 230         |             |            |
| Under five years.....                     | 393          | 377         | 390         | 352        | 331        | 417         | 392         | 400        | 450        | 432         | 464         | 422         | 419         |             |            |
| Five to sixty-five.....                   | 898          | 947         | 806         | 747        | 767        | 757         | 765         | 769        | 760        | 846         | 793         | 786         | 766         |             |            |
| Sixty-five years and over                 | 315          | 325         | 286         | 233        | 191        | 215         | 214         | 241        | 224        | 181         | 240         | 201         | 201         |             |            |
| In Public and Private Institutions.....   | 389          | 398         | 319         | 306        | 348        | 297         | 306         | 333        | 355        | 302         | 378         | 335         | 328         |             |            |
| Inquest Cases.....                        | 207          | 205         | 175         | 180        | 188        | 175         | 156         | 175        | 188        | 178         | 156         | 165         | 173         |             |            |
| Mean barometer.....                       | 29.956       | 29.749      | 29.892      | 29.629     | 29.831     | 29.719      | 29.659      | 29.870     | 29.947     | 29.772      | 29.975      | 29.692      | 29.612      |             |            |
| Mean humidity.....                        | 62.          | 73.         | 76.         | 80.        | 75.        | 68.         | 76.         | 69.        | 71.        | 76.         | 72.         | 78.         | 79.         |             |            |
| Inches of rain and snow                   | 1.44         | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..          | ..          |             |            |
| Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....        | 37.1°        | 33.4°       | 32.7°       | 27.4°      | 24.4°      | 25.8°       | 28.8°       | 30.5°      | 33.5°      | 38.6°       | 41.6°       | 40.5°       | 42.8°       |             |            |
| Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....     | 48.0°        | 53.0°       | 46.0°       | 35.0°      | 36.0°      | 41.0°       | 40.0°       | 47.0°      | 50.0°      | 52.0°       | 53.0°       | 52.0°       | 50.0°       |             |            |
| Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....     | 21.0°        | 8.0°        | 8.0°        | 20.0°      | 17.0°      | 14.0°       | 19.0°       | 16.0°      | 12.0°      | 30.0°       | 25.0°       | 30.0°       | 31.0°       |             |            |

## Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

|                        | WILLARD PARKER<br>HOSPITAL. |             |        | RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL. |          |                |            |        |             | KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL. |                |            |        |  |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--------|---------------------|----------|----------------|------------|--------|-------------|---------------------------|----------------|------------|--------|--|
|                        | Scarlet Fever.              | Diphtheria. | Total. | Diphtheria.         | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Small-pox. | Total. | Diphtheria. | Measles.                  | Scarlet Fever. | Small-pox. | Total. |  |
| Remaining March 30.... | 39                          | 33          | 72     | ..                  | ..       | 127            | 139        | 266    | 8           | 19                        | 65             | ..         | 92     |  |
| Admitted .....         | 4                           | 20          | 24     | ..                  | ..       | 4              | 48         | 52     | 3           | 17                        | 35             | ..         | 55     |  |
| Discharged .....       | 8                           | 11          | 19     | ..                  | ..       | 16             | 36         | 52     | 2           | ..                        | 2              | ..         | 4      |  |
| Died.....              | 4                           | 8           | 12     | ..                  | ..       | ..             | 6          | 6      | ..          | ..                        | 2              | ..         | 2      |  |
| Remaining April 6..... | 31                          | 34          | 65     | ..                  | ..       | 115            | 145        | 260    | 9           | 36                        | 96             | ..         | 141    |  |
| Total treated.....     | 43                          | 53          | 96     | ..                  | ..       | 131            | 187        | 318    | 11          | 36                        | 100            | ..         | 147    |  |



Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

|            | WARDS.              | SICKNESS.             |          |                |            |                | DEATHS REPORTED.      |          |                |            |                | All Causes. |
|------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------|----------------|------------|----------------|-------------|
|            |                     | Diphtheria and Croup. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Small-pox. | Typhoid Fever. | Diphtheria and Croup. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Small-pox. | Typhoid Fever. |             |
| Manhattan. | Fifteenth.....      | 3                     | 2        | 8              | 1          | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 5           |
|            | Sixteenth.....      | 2                     | 4        | 12             | ..         | 1              | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 30          |
|            | Seventeenth.....    | 8                     | 24       | 43             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | 58          |
|            | Eighteenth.....     | 3                     | 5        | 24             | 1          | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | 32          |
|            | Nineteenth.....     | 19                    | 13       | 107            | 6          | 3              | 2                     | ..       | 4              | ..         | ..             | 114         |
| The Bronx. | Twentieth.....      | 8                     | 16       | 17             | 2          | 1              | 2                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | 2              | 43          |
|            | Twenty-first.....   | 6                     | 1        | 24             | ..         | 1              | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 34          |
|            | Twenty-second.....  | 15                    | 20       | 20             | ..         | ..             | 4                     | ..       | 3              | ..         | 1              | 102         |
|            | Twenty-third.....   | 16                    | 3        | 18             | 6          | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 2              | 7          | ..             | 62          |
|            | Twenty-fourth.....  | 6                     | 2        | 3              | 2          | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | 34          |
| Total..... |                     | 167                   | 154      | 546            | 35         | 14             | 23                    | ..       | 27             | 8          | 3              | 871         |
| Brooklyn.  | First.....          | ..                    | 4        | 3              | ..         | 1              | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 5           |
|            | Second.....         | ..                    | ..       | 3              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 3           |
|            | Third.....          | 4                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 8           |
|            | Fourth.....         | 1                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 5           |
|            | Fifth.....          | 1                     | ..       | 3              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 9           |
|            | Sixth.....          | 4                     | 2        | 5              | ..         | 1              | 4                     | 1        | 1              | ..         | ..             | 28          |
|            | Seventh.....        | 2                     | 5        | 9              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | 1        | ..             | ..         | ..             | 19          |
|            | Eighth.....         | ..                    | 7        | 5              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | 13          |
|            | Ninth.....          | ..                    | 3        | 2              | ..         | 1              | ..                    | ..       | ..             | 1          | ..             | 8           |
|            | Tenth.....          | 5                     | 1        | 2              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 17          |
|            | Eleventh.....       | ..                    | ..       | 3              | 1          | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 11          |
|            | Twelfth.....        | 1                     | 1        | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 4           |
|            | Thirteenth.....     | 1                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 10          |
|            | Fourteenth.....     | 1                     | ..       | 5              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | 11          |
|            | Fifteenth.....      | 2                     | 3        | 8              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 8           |
|            | Sixteenth.....      | 5                     | 4        | 27             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 15          |
|            | Seventeenth.....    | 6                     | 1        | 7              | 2          | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 22          |
|            | Eighteenth.....     | 5                     | 2        | 2              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | 14          |
|            | Nineteenth.....     | 1                     | ..       | 7              | 2          | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 1              | 1          | ..             | 12          |
|            | Twentieth.....      | 5                     | 7        | 1              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 11          |
|            | Twenty-first.....   | 3                     | ..       | 21             | ..         | 1              | 1                     | 2        | ..             | 1          | ..             | 26          |
|            | Twenty-second.....  | ..                    | ..       | 7              | ..         | 1              | 2                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | 15          |
|            | Twenty-third.....   | 2                     | 21       | 11             | ..         | 2              | 1                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | 27          |
|            | Twenty-fourth.....  | 3                     | 2        | ..             | 1          | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 14          |
|            | Twenty-fifth.....   | 4                     | 26       | 4              | ..         | 1              | 2                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 13          |
|            | Twenty-sixth.....   | 5                     | 7        | 6              | ..         | 3              | 1                     | ..       | 1              | 2          | ..             | 22          |
|            | Twenty-seventh..... | 3                     | 5        | 8              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | 1        | 1              | ..         | ..             | 19          |
|            | Twenty-eighth.....  | 5                     | 5        | 9              | ..         | 2              | 1                     | 1        | 2              | ..         | ..             | 30          |
|            | Twenty-ninth.....   | 4                     | 1        | 1              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | 25          |
|            | Thirtieth.....      | 3                     | 4        | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 7           |
|            | Thirty-first.....   | 1                     | 4        | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 2           |
|            | Thirty-second.....  | 3                     | 1        | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 5           |
| Total..... |                     | 76                    | 116      | 164            | 6          | 13             | 22                    | 4        | 17             | ..         | 5              | 438         |
| Queens.    | First.....          | 6                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | 2              | 22          |
|            | Second.....         | 1                     | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 14          |
|            | Third.....          | 5                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 4           |
|            | Fourth.....         | ..                    | ..       | 2              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 13          |
|            | Fifth.....          | ..                    | ..       | 3              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..          |
| Total..... |                     | 12                    | ..       | 9              | ..         | ..             | 1                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | 2              | 53          |
| Richmond.  | First.....          | 3                     | 15       | 4              | ..         | 2              | ..                    | 2        | ..             | ..         | ..             | 9           |
|            | Second.....         | ..                    | 1        | 1              | 1          | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 3           |
|            | Third.....          | 3                     | 3        | ..             | ..         | ..             | 2                     | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 5           |
|            | Fourth.....         | 1                     | ..       | 1              | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | 1          | ..             | 4           |
|            | Fifth.....          | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | ..                    | ..       | ..             | ..         | ..             | 3           |
| Total..... |                     | 7                     | 19       | 6              | 1          | 2              | 2                     | 2        | ..             | 1          | ..             | 24          |

## General Work of the Department.

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Total inspections of premises.....                        | 21,391  |
| " orders issued for abatement of nuisances.....           | 649     |
| " inspections of milk and other foods.....                | 22,278  |
| " pounds of food condemned and destroyed.....             | 105,447 |
| " chemical analyses made.....                             | 144     |
| " bacteriological examinations made for diphtheria.....   | 301     |
| " bacteriological examinations made for tuberculosis..... | 119     |
| " vaccinations performed.....                             | 9,849   |
| " children's employment certificates granted.....         | 120     |
| " children's employment certificates refused.....         | 12      |
| " medical inspections of schools.....                     | 49      |

Analysis of Croton Water, April 6, 1901.

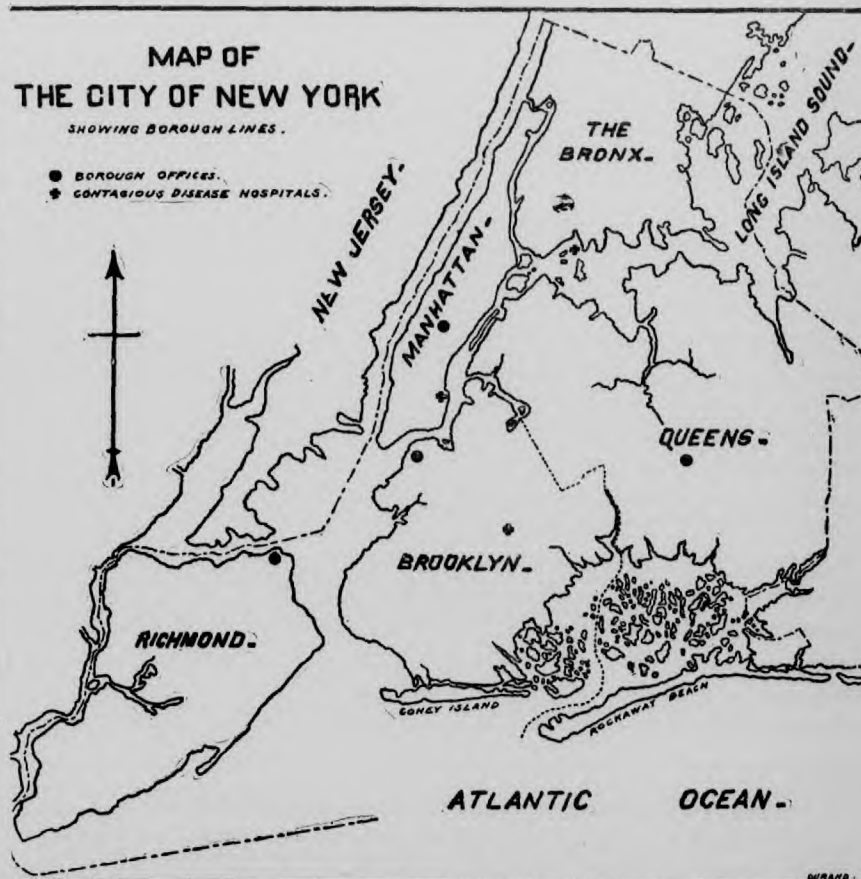
|  | RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES. | RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND. |
|--|--|--|
| Appearance.....  | Slightly turbid.   | Slightly turbid.   |
| Color.....   | Light yellowish brown.   | Light yellowish brown.   |
| Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....                               | Marshy.  | Marshy.  |
| Chlorine in Chlorides.....                                     | 0.161  | 0.275  |
| Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....                             | 0.264  | 0.453  |
| Phosphates (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ).....               | None.  | None.  |
| Nitrogen in Nitrites.....                                      | None.  | None.  |
| Nitrogen in Nitrates.....                                      | 0.0334   | 0.0572   |
| Free Ammonia.....  | 0.0032   | 0.0055   |
| Albuminoid Ammonia.....  | 0.0047   | 0.0080   |
| Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling..... | 1.71   | 2.94   |
| { After boiling.....   | 1.71   | 2.94   |
| Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....                   | 1.341  | 2.30   |
| Mineral matter (non-volatile).....                             | 2.333  | 4.00   |
| Total solids (by evaporation).....                             | 3.674  | 6.30   |

Temperature at hydrant, 42° Fahr.

Analysis of Ridgewood Water, April 4, 1901.

|  | RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES. | RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND. |
|--|--|--|
| Appearance.....  | Slightly turbid.   | Slightly turbid.   |
| Color.....   | Slightly brownish yel.   | Slightly brownish yel.   |
| Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....                               | Markedly vegetable.  | Markedly vegetable.  |
| Chlorine in Chlorides.....                                     | 1.2243   | 2.1000   |
| Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....                             | 2.0171   | 3.4610   |
| Phosphates (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ).....               | None.  | None.  |
| Nitrogen in Nitrites.....                                      | None.  | None.  |
| Nitrogen in Nitrates.....                                      | 0.1735   | 0.2976   |
| Free Ammonia.....  | 0.0002   | 0.0005   |
| Albuminoid Ammonia.....  | 0.0026   | 0.0045   |
| Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling..... | 2.0988   | 3.6000   |
| { After boiling.....   | 2.0988   | 3.6000   |
| Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....                   | 2.0405   | 3.5000   |
| Mineral matter (non-volatile).....                             | 3.6146   | 6.2000   |
| Total solids (by evaporation).....                             | 5.6551   | 9.7000   |

Temperature at hydrant, 50° Fahr.



By order of the Board.

CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.



## BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
FRIDAY, 2.30 P. M., March 29, 1901.

Hons. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor; Edgar J. Levey, Deputy Comptroller, and John Whalen, Corporation Counsel, the officers designated by section 1526, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, met this day.

The minutes of the meetings of March 14, 16 and 22, 1901, were approved as printed.

By concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Commissioner of Sewers be and hereby is authorized to publish in the newspapers herein designated, in addition to the CITY RECORD, brief advertisements inviting bids or proposals for the following works in the Borough of Queens:

Sewer in Broadway, between Trains' Meadow road and Thompson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, also the erection of a disposal plant in connection with the same.

"Queens Borough Herald."  
"Long Island City Daily Star,"  
"Newtown Register,"  
"Flushing Evening Journal."

"Long Island Farmer."

The following bill of the Brooklyn "Citizen Job Print" was presented:

Kings County Supreme Court, Special Term—  
Binding calendars (1899) in leather..... \$2 00  
Printing 1,000 day calendar sheets..... 8 00

\$10 00

By concurrent action of all the members of the Board the Supervisor was directed to transmit said bill to the Department of Finance.

By concurrent action of all the members of the Board the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is authorized to procure by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the following requisitions allowed at this meeting, not exceeding the estimates this day submitted by the Supervisor, as shown by schedule this day signed by the members of the Board of City Record, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

By the unanimous vote of all the members of the Board, the following requisitions were approved:

*Board of Aldermen.*

Requisition No. 1204—1 dozen Underwood's Remington copying ribbon, black; 1 dozen Underwood's Remington copying ribbon, blue; 1 dozen boxes Carter's carbon paper, size 8 by 13.

Requisition No. 4250—2,000 sheets of note paper, with official heading; 2,000 envelopes to match; 1,000 letter-heads; 500 large envelopes, to match, for Alderman John V. Coggey, who was elected to fill the unexpired term of Alderman Frank Dunn, deceased.

*City Clerk.*

Requisition No. 1205—1 dozen Underwood's Remington copying ribbon, black; 1 dozen Underwood's Remington copying ribbon, blue; 1 dozen boxes Carter's carbon paper, size 8 by 13.

*City Clerk, and Council.*

Requisition No. 1206—2 gross of No. 570 pencils, No. 2; 2 gross of No. 425 pencils, No. 2; 2 gross of No. 482 pencils, No. 2; 2 gross of No. 600 pencils, No. 2, E. Faber's.

*Commissioners of Accounts.*

Requisition No. 4247—1,000 blanks; 1,000 blanks.

*Department of Correction (Manhattan).*

Requisition No. 1208—2 boxes Underwood's carbon paper, 10 by 15, purple, moist; 2 boxes Underwood's carbon paper, 10 by 15, purple, clean copying; 3 boxes Underwood's carbon paper, 10 by 15, copying; 3 boxes Underwood's carbon paper, 8 by 14, semi-copying; 18 Underwood's record ribbons, purple; 18 Underwood's copying ribbons, purple; 12 Underwood's copying ribbons, black; 12 Underwood's record ribbons, black; 3 Underwood's copying ribbons, green.

*The Council.*

Requisition No. 1207—1 dozen Underwood's Remington copying ribbons, black; 1 dozen Underwood's Remington copying ribbons, blue; 1 dozen boxes Carter's carbon paper, size 8 by 13.

Requisition No. 4261—1,000 sheets of note paper, 1,000 envelopes to match, 1,000 sheets of letter paper, 500 large envelopes, for James Owens, No. 227 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Councilman Fourth Councilmanic District, elected to fill the unexpired term of Herman Sulzer, lately deceased.

*Mayor's Office.*

Requisition No. 1212—1 gross Esterbrook's Relief pens, No. 314; 1 gross Esterbrook's Judges Probate.

Requisition No. 1213—1 common-sense binder.

*Department of Finance.*

Requisition No. 1211—250 cloth-covered pay-roll boxes.

Requisition No. 2647 (Queens)—1 cancellation book for taxes and assessments.

Requisition No. 2653—1 register of special contracts; 1 cash book for use of Deputy Collector of Assessments, Borough of Queens.

Requisition No. 2654—4 books for the entry of cancellations, transfers and additions, being one each for the boroughs of The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

Requisition No. 4243—250 lithographed bonds, dock bonds of the City of New York, to be bound in book form.

Requisition No. 4254—1,650 warrants.

Requisition No. 4257—400 engraved certificates of Corporate Stock for construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad, to be bound in two books of 200 certificates each.

Requisition No. 4260—200 statements of amounts received from railway companies.

Requisition No. 4264—1,000 security deposit envelopes; 500 circular letters (to be printed in copying ink).

*Fire Department (Manhattan and The Bronx).*

Requisition No. 4259—Printing 100 copies transactions Fire Department, 1901; printing index to annual volume; binding 75 copies minutes.

*Health Department (Manhattan).*

Requisition No. 4252—10,000 postal cards, form 12 K; 100,000 certificates of vaccination.

Requisition No. 4253—30 copies brief on appeal (Wendel case).

Requisition No. 4258—50 contracts and specifications for coal for Willard Parker Hospital and Reception Hospital; 50 bid or estimate blanks for same; 50 envelopes for inclosing bids for above contract.

Requisition No. 4263—30 copies of brief (The Sanitary Utilization Company vs. The Department of Health).

*Department of Highways.*

Requisition No. 4255—500 copies report of the Department of Highways for the quarter ending December 31, 1900; 250 paper covers and 250 held for binding.

*Department of Parks (Manhattan and Richmond).*

Requisition No. 4249—75 copies contract for paving, etc., West Eighty-sixth street; 50 copies separate form of proposal for same.

*Board of Public Improvements.*

Requisition No. 4248—100 blank forms (resolutions street openings).

*Department of Sewers (Brooklyn).*

Requisition No. 4265—100 copies of specifications for construction of tunnel and other sewers authorized to be built in Tenth avenue, from Seventy-seventh street to Sixty-second street; Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Sixth avenue; Sixth avenue, from Sixty-second street to Sixty-fourth street; Sixty-fourth street, from Sixth avenue to New York Bay; 100 copies proposals and 100 indorsed envelopes for same purpose.

*Department of Street Cleaning.*

Requisition No. 1209—15 gross Defiance No. 50, two dozen in a box; one dozen green copying green typewriting ribbons, W. S. and B., for the boroughs of The Bronx, Queens and Richmond; one dozen boxes carbon paper, black, 8 by 12, for use boroughs of The Bronx, Queens and Richmond; 500 legal back covers.

*Department of Water Supply.*

Requisition No. 4251—75 copies of contract and specifications, estimates, and envelopes for furnishing, delivering and laying water-mains in Eighth and Park avenues, etc.

Requisition No. 4262—60 copies of contract and specifications, estimates and envelopes for "Repairs to Boilers at Washington Bridge."

*Municipal Court, Fourth District (Manhattan).*

Requisition No. 4256—2,000 jury notices.

Adjourned.

WM. A. BUTLER, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, April 3, 1901.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:

Report of Acting Inspector James Campbell relative to clock in the muster room of the Seventy-second Precinct Station-house, with recommendation of the Second Deputy Commissioner that the same be returned to James Burrell, owner, approved.

Ordered, That the communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, approved March 26, 1901, be and is hereby amended by substituting for premises No. 1533 Metropolitan avenue as station-house for proposed Seventy-seventh sub-Precinct the following described premises: The two-story frame store and dwelling, new and in complete repair, at northwest corner of Myrtle avenue and Sherman street, Glendale, lower part 20 feet front, 13 feet rear, 60 feet deep, two large rooms; upper part 34 feet front, 22 feet rear, 60 feet deep, 11 rooms, having sufficient accommodations for about 30 men; vacant lot on Sherman street adjoining property, 20 by 100, to be included; rent \$82.50 per month; agent, Jacob Blank, No. 638 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, and it is respectfully requested that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the Comptroller to lease said premises for the term of one year for the purpose mentioned.

*LEAVES OF ABSENCE.*

Captain John W. England, Third Precinct, twenty days, vacation.

Deputy Chief Cortright, ten days, without pay.

Communication from Dr. S. G. Cook, President, Board of Surgeons, recommending change in Surgeons' Department in Brooklyn, as follows: "That whenever a member of the force attached to and doing duty in the Telegraph Bureau, License Squad and Detective Bureau, of the Borough of Brooklyn, reports sick, notice thereof shall be sent to Dr. Charles H. Terry, Surgeon of the Twentieth District, and also to the Surgeon of the District in which such member has his residence (if said residence is outside of the Twentieth Surgical District) and during the time he is on the sick list he shall be under the care of the Surgeon in whose district he resides, who shall give him the care and attention his case requires. When said member shall have been returned to duty, the Surgeon under whose care he has been shall notify Dr. Terry in writing, giving him all the particulars necessary for him to complete the customary 'Monthly Reports,' approved and copy to be sent to Second Deputy Commissioner York."

Opinion of Corporation Counsel as to grant of all-night license to Charles Furlmann, Nos. 77 and 79 Park row, laid over.

*CHIEF CLERK TO ANSWER.*

Saml. Barris, Montreal, Canada, application for appointment as Patrolman.

*REFERRED TO DEPUTY CHIEF CORTRIGHT FOR REPORT.*

Copeland Townsend, Hotel Majestic, asking appointment of Daniel Carey as Special Patrolman in place of Andrew S. Handley, resigned.

Gross & Eisler, asking appointment of Harry Goldblatt as Special Patrolman.

Sergeant Wm. C. Egan, in charge of horses, for transfer of certain horses. For report as to reason for transfer.

*ON FILE.*

Report of Captain Bedell relative to protest of Precinct Detective James E. McGrath.

Protest of Precinct Detective Chas. T. Belger.

Corporation Counsel, approval of form of contract for supplying the Police Department with printing, books, blanks and lithography.

*REFERRED TO BOARD OF SURGEONS.*

Report of Surgeon McGovern as to physical disability of Captain Henry Frers.

*REFERRED TO FIRST DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.*

Petition of Pauline M. Keating for pension.

*ON FILE—SEND COPY.*

Report on communication from John DeWolf, relative to alleged disgraceful conditions existing in Fort Greene Park.

Leaves of absence under the rule, also from Brooklyn, placed on file.

Permanent disability reports of Surgeons placed on file.

Ordered, That Deputy Chief of Police William W. McLaughlin be and is hereby placed in command of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx during the absence of Deputy Chief Moses W. Cortright with leave.

By order of the Commissioner.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled "An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of change of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards of the city of New York or otherwise," as amended by chapter five hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, entitled "An Act to amend chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of change of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards in the city of New York or otherwise,'" relative to damages caused by change of grade in the borough of the Bronx (formerly the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards), of the city of New York, by permitting the filing of additional claims, under the provisions of said chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, as amended by chapter five hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and to extend the time for filing such claims.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 15, 1901, at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 10, 1901.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,  
Mayor.

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

AN ACT to make the office of sheriff of the county of Kings a salaried office and regulating the management of said office.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office

of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 15, 1901, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 10, 1901.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,  
Mayor.

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

AN ACT to make the office of register of the county of Kings a salaried office and regulating the management of said office.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 15, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 10, 1901.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,  
Mayor.

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

AN ACT to make the office of clerk of the county of Kings a salaried office and regulating the management of said office.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 15, 1901, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 10, 1901.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,  
Mayor.

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

AN ACT for the relief of Catherine E. Coleman, who has retired from the position of teacher in the training department of the Normal College of the city of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 15, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 10, 1901.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,  
Mayor.



MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,  
NEW YORK, April 8, 1901.  
Number of licenses issued and amounts received  
therefor in the week ending Saturday, April 6, 1901.  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

| DATE.                | NUMBER OF<br>LICENSES. | AMOUNTS.   |
|----------------------|------------------------|------------|
| Monday, Apr. 1, 1901 | 69                     | \$290 50   |
| Tuesday, " 2, "      | 50                     | 161 25     |
| Wed'sday, " 3, "     | 31                     | 174 00     |
| Thursday, " 4, "     | 34                     | 1,505 00   |
| Friday, " 5, "       | 17                     | 44 75      |
| Saturday, " 6, "     | 31                     | 103 50     |
| Totals.....          | 232                    | \$2,379 00 |

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

|                      |    |          |
|----------------------|----|----------|
| Monday, Apr. 1, 1901 | 20 | \$72 00  |
| Tuesday, " 2, "      | 19 | 61 50    |
| Wed'sday, " 3, "     | 14 | 65 50    |
| Thursday, " 4, "     | 17 | 59 50    |
| Friday, " 5, "       | 11 | 68 50    |
| Saturday, " 6, "     | 4  | 28 50    |
| Totals.....          | 85 | \$355 50 |

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

|                      |    |         |
|----------------------|----|---------|
| Monday, Apr. 1, 1901 | .. | .....   |
| Tuesday, " 2, "      | 13 | \$39 50 |
| Wed'sday, " 3, "     | .. | .....   |
| Thursday, " 4, "     | .. | .....   |
| Friday, " 5, "       | .. | .....   |
| Saturday, " 6, "     | 4  | 12 00   |
| Totals.....          | 17 | \$51 50 |

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

|                      |    |         |
|----------------------|----|---------|
| Monday, Apr. 1, 1901 | .. | .....   |
| Tuesday, " 2, "      | .. | .....   |
| Wed'sday, " 3, "     | .. | .....   |
| Thursday, " 4, "     | .. | .....   |
| Friday, " 5, "       | 2  | \$8 00  |
| Saturday, " 6, "     | 8  | 8 00    |
| Totals.....          | 10 | \$16 00 |

DAVID I. ROCHE,  
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

## MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Friday, April 12, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the matter of the proposed plan of relief from the excessive traffic at the Manhattan terminus of the Brooklyn Bridge.

All persons interested in the above matter are hereby respectfully requested to attend.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE,  
Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,  
CITY OF NEW YORK,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
PARK ROW BUILDING,  
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,  
April 9, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:  
SIR—I have this day transferred William Carney, of No. 2046 Ryer avenue, Borough of The Bronx, Inspector of Masonry, from said borough to the bridge over Harlem river at One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

Respectfully,  
JOHN L. SHEA,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
April 9, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:  
SIR—I beg to report the following action taken in connection with employees of this Department, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:

Laborer Reinstated.  
William Lawrence.  
Respectfully,  
CLINTON H. SMITH,  
Assistant Secretary, Park Board.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.  
ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

## Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief of Bureau.  
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn: WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.  
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.  
Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

and Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BERRICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

## MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

## THE COUNCIL.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.  
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.  
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Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN, Commissioners.

## BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

## Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
JAMES J. COOGAN, President.  
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## Borough of The Bronx.

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 11 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

## Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.  
Office, Long Island City, 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

## Borough of Richmond.

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## BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.  
WM B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS COUNTY.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City.  
CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

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The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, and ROBERT MUH, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.  
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Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Room 8, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

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Room 207 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EVCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary; WILLIAM R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

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MICHAEL T. DALY, EDGAR J. LEVEY, Deputy Comptrollers.

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F. J. BRETTMAN, Auditor of Accounts.  
MOSES OPPENHEIMER, Auditor of Accounts.  
WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.  
DANIEL B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.  
EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts.  
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts.  
WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor of Accounts.  
WILLIAM J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.  
JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.  
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JEREMIAH T. MAHONEY, Auditor of Accounts.

## Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.  
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MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.  
GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.  
JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.  
JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.

JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.  
FREDERICK W. BLECKWERN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.  
MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

## Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.  
ALEXANDER MEAKIM, Clerk of Markets.

## Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.  
JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

## Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street.  
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 18th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx.  
CHARLES C. WISSEL, Deputy for Queens.  
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

## Department of Sewers.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.  
MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan.  
THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Bronx. Office, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.  
WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn. Office, Municipal Building, Room 42.  
MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens. Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City.  
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MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.  
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JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

## Department of Water Supply.

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JAMES H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan.  
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.  
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JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.  
LAWRENCE GRESSER, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City.  
THOMAS J. LULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.  
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PERCIVAL E. NAGLE, Commissioner.  
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JOSEPH LIEBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 534 Willis avenue.  
JAMES F. O'BRIEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, No. 48 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

## Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

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HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.  
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JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.  
JOEL FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.  
EDWARD I. MILLER, Deputy Commissioner for Richmond.

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WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.  
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES C. SPENCER, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

## Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.

ADRIAN T. KIERMAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

## Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Commissioner.  
WILLIAM S. DEVERY, First Deputy Commissioner.  
BERNARD J. YORK, Second Deputy Commissioner.

## BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

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No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Commissioners—JOHN R. VOORHIS (President), CHARLES B. PAGE (Secretary), JOHN MAGUIRE, MICHAEL J. DADY.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 16 Smith street.

## Borough of The Bronx.

One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue.

## Borough of Queens.

Police Station, Astoria.

## Borough of Richmond.

Staten Island Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, S. I.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

## Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.  
ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn.

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JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.  
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

Department for Care of Destitute Children, No. 66 Third avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

## Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays to 12 M.  
FRANCIS J. LANTY, Commissioner.  
N. O. FANNING, Deputy Commissioner.  
JOHN MORRISSEY GRAY, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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## Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.  
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.  
EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department and in Charge of Fire-alarm Telegraph.  
JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.  
PETER SERRY, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.  
ALONZO BRYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
Central Office open at all hours.  
Committee to examine persons who handle explosives meets Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. R., Battery Place.  
J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.  
WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Burial Permit and Contagious Disease Offices always open.

JOHN B. SEXTON, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSBY, M. D., THE PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, ex-officio, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex-officio, Commissioners.  
CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.  
CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent.

FREDERICK H. DILLINGHAM, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan.  
EUGENE MONAHAN, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx.  
ROBERT A. BLACK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn.  
OBED L. LISK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.  
JOHN L. FEENEY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President, Park Board, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.  
WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.  
Offices, Arsenal, Central Park.  
GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.  
Offices, City Hall, Brooklyn, and Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park.  
AUGUST MOERUS, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx.  
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A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.

Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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BROWN, Secretary.

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Flushing, Long Island.  
PATRICK J. WHITE, President; JOSEPH H. FITZ-  
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*School Board for the Borough of Richmond.*

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Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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Under Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; JAMES DUNNE, Under  
Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY.

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JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT  
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## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, RICHMOND COUNTY.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANKLIN C. VITT, Sheriff.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park. Office hours from 9 A. M.  
to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. During the  
months of July and August the hours are from 9 A. M.  
to 2 P. M.  
ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy  
Register.

## REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

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.  
JAMES R. HOWE, Register.  
WARREN C. TREDWELL, Deputy Register.

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Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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Deputy Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.  
5 Court-house.  
WILLIAM E. MELODY, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
KINGS COUNTY.  
No. 375 Fulton street.  
EDWARD J. DOOLEY, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS  
COUNTY.  
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to 12 M.  
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COUNTY.  
CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.  
WILLIAM J. DOWLING, Deputy Commissioner.  
Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays,  
from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 6 A. M. to 10 P. M., daily.  
WILLIAM F. GRIEL, Sheriff.  
PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

## KINGS COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and  
DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.  
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; RICHARD BERGIN,  
Warden.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court-house, 9  
A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM SOMMER, County Clerk.  
GEORGE H. FAHRBACH, Deputy.

## KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk.

## QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.  
Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, to  
12 M.  
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens  
County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens  
9:30 A. M., to adjourn 5 P. M.  
JAMES INGRAM, County Clerk.  
CHARLES DOWNING, Deputy County Clerk.

## RICHMOND COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4  
P. M.  
EDWARD M. MULLER, County Clerk.  
CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy County Clerk.

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## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M.  
to 4 P. M.  
EUGENE A. PHILBIN, District Attorney; WILLIAM J.  
McKENNA, Chief Law Clerk.

## KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
JOHN F. CLARKE, District Attorney.

## QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island  
City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN B. MERRILL, District Attorney.  
CLARENCE A. DREW, Chief Clerk.

## RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.  
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Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all  
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No. 761 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.  
Open from 8 A. M. to 12, midnight.  
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## Borough of Brooklyn.

Office, Room 17, Borough Hall. Open all times of  
day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and  
5 P. M., on Sundays and holidays.  
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## Borough of Queens.

Office, Borough Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.  
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S. GUY, Jr.  
CHARLES J. SCHNEIDER, Clerk.

## Borough of Richmond.

No. 64 New York avenue, Rosebank.  
Open for the transaction of business all hours of the  
day and night.  
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## SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M.  
to 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M.  
FRANK T. FITZGERALD, ABNER C. THOMAS, Surro-  
gates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

## KINGS COUNTY SURROGATES' COURT.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn.  
GEORGE B. ABBOT, Surrogate.  
MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.  
Court opens 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.  
STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION,  
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-  
FOURTH WARDS.

Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway.  
Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at  
3 P. M.  
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Chairman; CHARLES A.  
JACKSON, OSCAR S. BAILEY, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

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## KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.

Court-house, Room 14.  
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## QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS, KINGS  
COUNTY.

Room 1, Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to  
4 P. M.  
GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.  
FRANK M. THORNBURN, Deputy Commissioner.  
THOMAS D. MOSSCROP, Superintendent.  
JOSEPH H. GRINNELL, Secretary.

## SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 16.  
Clerk's Office, Part I., Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 13.  
Clerk's Office, Part II., Room No. 12.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 18.  
Clerk's Office, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33.  
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.  
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 39.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 23.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 29.  
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 27.  
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.  
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.  
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.  
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.  
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 30.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38.  
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 32.  
Justices—GEORGE C. BARRETT, ABRAHAM R. LAW-  
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DUGRO, DAVID McADAM, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE,  
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A. O'GORMAN, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, WILLIAM  
SOHMER, Clerk.

## CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building, City  
Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term.  
Trial Term, Part I.  
Part II.  
Part III.  
Part IV.  
Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4  
P. M.  
Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H.  
McCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN,  
EDWARD F. O'DWYER, THEODORE F. HASCALL,  
FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, Justices. THOMAS F. SMITH,  
Clerk.

## CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court  
opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.  
EDWARD K. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M.  
4 P. M.

## APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth  
street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; CHESTER  
B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J.  
O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY,  
EDWARD W. HATCH, Justices. ALFRED WAGSTAFF,  
Clerk; WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Deputy Clerk.

## COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 22, 23, and  
27. Court opens 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 22 and 27,  
open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
JOSEPH ASPINALL and WM. B. HURD, Jr., County  
Judges.  
JAMES S. REGAN, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre,  
Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half  
past 10 o'clock.  
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Re-  
corder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON  
and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of Gen-  
eral Sessions. EDWARD K. CARROLL, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between  
Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.  
Court opens at 10 A. M.  
Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE,  
WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN  
B. McKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M.  
FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brook-  
lyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock;  
Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at  
10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of  
Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER,  
PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZ-  
GERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J.  
DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn,  
open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C.  
CORNELL, LEROY P. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL,  
CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W.  
MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO,  
EDWARD HOGAN, WILLARD H. OLMSTED.  
PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.  
First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexing-  
ton avenue.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first  
street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street  
and Third avenue.  
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth  
avenue.

## SECOND DIVISION.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENN-  
ER, Magistrate.  
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY  
BRISTOW, Magistrate.  
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.  
CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.  
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM  
KRAMER, Magistrate.  
Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW  
LEMON, Magistrate.  
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R.  
WORTH, Magistrate.  
Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush.  
ALFRED E. STEERS, Magistrate.  
Eighth District—Coney Island. ALBERT VAN BRUNT  
VOORHEES, Jr., Magistrate.

## Borough of Queens.

First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue,  
Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SMITH, Magistrate.  
Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LUKE J.  
CONNORTON, Magistrate.  
Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. ED-  
MUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.

## Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN  
CROAK, Magistrate.  
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHAN-  
IEL MARSH, Magistrate.  
Secretary to the Board, JARED J. CHAMBERS, No. 318  
Adams street, Borough of Brooklyn.

## MUNICIPAL COURTS.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and  
all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway  
and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island,  
Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands,  
New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of  
Wooster street.  
DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Four-  
teenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward  
lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street.  
Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.  
HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until  
daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily  
business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.  
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-  
room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth  
street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays  
excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.  
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards.  
Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue

Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of  
business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth  
Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK,  
Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards.  
Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and  
Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and con-  
tinues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room,  
No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every  
morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holi-  
days), and continues open to close of business.

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT,  
Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards.  
Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street  
and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and con-  
tinues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court  
day.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.  
JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN,  
Clerk.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY,  
Clerk.

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

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.  
Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward  
which lies north of the centre line of West One Hun-  
dred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of  
Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north  
of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room,  
corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and  
Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and  
legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX

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

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART,  
Clerk.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth  
Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One  
Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9  
A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh,  
Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-  
third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broad-  
way, Brooklyn.

GERARD E. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN,  
Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court  
opens at 10 o'clock.  
Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth,  
Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth  
Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLING-  
HORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first  
and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath ave-  
nue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.  
CORNELIUS FERGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J.  
O'LEARY, Clerk.

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

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City,  
formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens  
County Court-house (located temporarily).  
THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY,  
Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week  
day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER,  
Jr., Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice;  
GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.  
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court  
held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 A. M.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.



Cherry street and west side of Mechanic's alley be fenced, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Tenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 23d day of April, at 12 15 P. M., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JAMES J. COOGAN,  
President.  
I. E. RIDER,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

**MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1901,**

FOR SANITARY WORK IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 184, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREETS, BETWEEN FIFTH AND LENOX AVENUES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The time allowed for completion is one hundred and twenty (120) days.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Committee on Buildings of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, and which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the Committee on Buildings and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, according to law.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 246 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, 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.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Committee on Buildings, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, April 11, 1901.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

## DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, April 5, 1901.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Department of Sewers of The City of New York, at its office, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, until 12 o'clock M.,

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901,**

For furnishing materials and all the labor required and necessary to build and complete the following works:

### Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. SEWER IN FREEMAN STREET, from West Farms road to Westchester avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

164 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
580 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
180 spurs for house connections.  
9 manholes, complete.  
1 receiving-basin, complete.

400 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.  
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.  
5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.

2,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.  
25 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain-pipe.

The amount of the security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is two hundred (200) working days.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN HOME STREET, from Whitlock avenue to Hoe street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

84 linear feet of brick sewer, egg shaped, 26 inches by 36 inches.  
730 linear feet of brick sewer, 2 feet 6 inches diameter.

444 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
25 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
456 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
320 spurs for house connections.  
15 manholes, complete.  
11 receiving-basins, complete.

3,000 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.  
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.  
5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

5,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.

25 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain-pipe.

The amount of the security required is Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is two hundred and fifty (250) working days.

No. 3. SEWER IN LONGFELLOW STREET, from West Farms road to Westchester avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

64 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
5 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
616 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
170 spurs for house connections.  
9 manholes, complete.  
1 receiving-basin, complete.

500 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.  
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.  
5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

6,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.  
25 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain-pipe.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is seventy-five (75) working days.

The plans, drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx.

### Borough of Queens.

No. 4. SEWER IN BROADWAY, between Trains' Meadow road and Thompson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, also the ERECTION OF A DISPOSAL PLANT IN CONNECTION WITH THE SAME.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

1,550 linear feet of brick sewer, 7 feet by 5 feet 1 1/2 inch interior diameter.

1,220 linear feet of brick sewer 7 feet by 4 feet 6 inches interior diameter.

1,080 linear feet of brick sewer, 6 feet by 4 feet 2 3/4 inches interior diameter.

450 linear feet of brick sewer, 5 feet by 3 feet 4 inches interior diameter, including siphon under Horse brook.

1,500 linear feet of 4-feet 0-inch circular brick sewer.

1,650 linear feet of 3-feet 0-inch circular brick sewer.

1,500 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

1,500 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

1,000 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

750 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified pipe sewer.  
65 manholes, complete.

40,000 feet, B. M., timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

100 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

2,000 linear feet of piles, below caps, furnished, driven and cut off.

200 cubic yards of concrete in place.

One (1) sewage disposal plant, complete in every detail, as per specifications and those given in the proposal, including the operation of the said sewage disposal plant for six months, and the tests connected therewith.

The attention of bidders is called to the clause of the specifications which rejects "experimental or untried" systems of disposal, and calls for methods only the efficiency of which can be established by "proven records."

Attention is also called to the requirement that the "sludge" must be disposed of by cremation.

Attention is also called to the degree of purity called for in the effluent.

The amount of the security required is Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The plans, drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, or money to the amount of five per cent. of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and plans, in accordance with which all the above materials and work is to be furnished and done.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it for the interests of the City so to do.

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.

JAS. KANE,  
Commissioner of Sewers.

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, April 1, 1901.

### NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1901, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, Auctioneer, the

following buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., within the lines of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Gerard avenue to the Southern Boulevard, Borough of The Bronx:

No. 11. Fruit stand, etc., 10.8 by 4.4 by 5.7.

12. Part of covered stairway, etc.; part of two-story frame, brick basement house, etc., 2.7 by 6.5.

13. Larger part of three-story brick house, etc., 17.7 by 54.3.

Show windows, 3 large, 2 medium, and 2 small sheets of plate glass, 5 plate-glass doors, etc.

14. Larger part of first brick blacksmith shop, 18.4 by 29.5.

Covered inclosure.

Picket fence, 11 linear feet.

15. Larger part of first frame carriage house, etc., 21.4 by 18.6.

Belgian block driveway, 9 by 44.

Shed, side covered with zinc, 10 by 35.

18. Larger part of one-and-one-half-story frame house, etc., 11.9 by 22.1.

Storm-door, wooden steps, etc.

60. Part of one-story and attic frame house, etc., 6.6 by 16.3.

Porch, stoop and wood steps, 4 by 18.

Fence, 10 linear feet.

69. Retaining-wall, 150 linear feet.

Part of two-story and attic brick and frame house, 2 by 24.3.

Iron fence and retaining-wall, 2 gates, 150 linear feet.

Iron fence, 55 linear feet.

Stone steps.

80. All of a three-story and basement brick house, etc., 50.0 by 18.5.

Porch stoop and stone area steps.

High board fence, 8 linear feet.

Brick wall, 34 linear feet.

Concrete wall, 86 linear feet.

Iron railing, 78 linear feet.

82. Part of two-and-one-half story and basement brick house, 2.6 by 36.

84. Larger part of shanty and part of extension, etc., 10 by 36.

A drive platform on posts, etc.

85. Part of four-story brick flat house, etc., 25.1 by 20.6.

2 plate-glass show windows.

2 large, 2 medium and 2 small plate glass (sheets), etc.

2 plate-glass store doors.

3 fire-escapes.

86. Part of two-story and one-story brick house, etc., 24.9 by 13.6 by 14.

Porch platform and steps.

101. Part of two-story frame house, etc., 22.5 by 9.5.

Stoop and wood steps.

Picket fence, gate and 1 return, 50 linear feet.

Flagging, 10 linear feet.

103. Part of old shed, 10.3 by 15.3.

Picket fence drive gates, 25 linear feet.

175. Part of three-story brick and frame house, 19.1 by 10.8 by 11.5.

Stone wall, 1 return.

2 pair stone steps and veranda.

Coping, 22 linear feet.

Picket fence, 24 linear feet.

133. All of a three-story and basement frame and brick house, 22 by 7.3 by 45.3.

2 show-windows, 2 large, 2 medium, 2 small sheets plate glass, etc., 1 show-window on corner.

Iron railing, two returns, 38 linear feet.

Stone coping, 26 linear feet.

Storm shed and fence, 18 linear feet.

134. Part of three-story frame with brick-front house, 22.3 by 50.2.

135. Larger part of one-story and basement brick store, etc., 24.4 by 30.12.

Two plate-glass show-windows.

Two plate-glass store doors.

Wooden porch and wooden steps.

137. All of a two-story frame, stone-basement house, 21.9 by 36.1 by 6.

Picket and board fence.

Covered porch.

141. All of a two-story and attic brick-basement frame dwelling, 20.3 by 20.

Porch, stairway, etc.

Picket fence, 123 linear feet.

Underground brick vault, 6 by 5.8.

Grape arbor.

142. Part of stoop, side stoops, etc.

143. Part of two-story and basement frame house, etc., 2.3 by 17 by 9.

Wooden stoop, etc.

Stone area steps.

Square picket fence, gate, 1 return, 17 linear feet.

153. High board fence, 66 linear feet.

High board fence, 60 linear feet.

154. Board fence, 70 linear feet.

155. High board fence, 125 linear feet.

Board fence and picket fence, 49 linear feet.

166. Larger part of two-story brick house, 26.2 by 20.2.

Large stable doors.

178. Square and flat picket fence, 2 drive gates, and 2 returns, 107 linear feet.

Part of grape arbor, grape trellis.

181. Part of one-story frame brick-basement house, 24.1 by 12.5.

Picket fence, board fence, 1 gate and return, 117 linear feet.

### TERMS OF SALE.

The sale will begin with and in front of Lot No. 11, and will continue in the order enumerated. Only those parts of any building or fence standing within the limits of the street as acquired by the City and shown on the maps will be sold.

The buildings, fences, etc., must be removed by the purchasers within thirty days from the date of sale. If this condition is not complied with the purchase-money may be forfeited and the Commissioner, at the expiration of that time, may enter and remove the buildings and structures or cause a resale thereof.

Purchasers will be liable for any and all damage of any kind whatsoever by reason of the occupancy or removal of said buildings, etc.

Purchase money must be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

JAMES P. KEATING,  
Commissioner of Highways.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 207, STEWART BUILDING,  
No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, March 28, 1901.

### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Aqueduct Commissioners, at the above office, until 12 o'clock noon,

**TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1901,**

FOR DOING THE WORK AND FURNISHING MATERIALS REQUIRED TO BUILD THE MUSCOT DAM ON CROTON RIVER, AT MUSCOT MOUNTAIN, IN THE TOWNS OF SOMERS AND BEDFORD, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, STATE OF NEW YORK.

The security required will be SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The entire contract must be completely performed by or before July 1, 1902.

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

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title, "Muscot Dam," for which the estimate is

made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Aqueduct Commissioners, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the said Commissioners and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in chapter 490, Laws 1883, and in the blank form or bid mentioned below and furnished by the Commissioners.

The estimate must be verified.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of ten per centum of the amount of the bond required.

The check must not be inclosed in the envelope with the bid or estimate.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioners, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in



with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M. of

## TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1901.

All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street), for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, Riker's Island, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the public interest so to do.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner during the year 1901.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or of a guaranty or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided by section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and the blank proposals and lists of articles, materials, supplies and apparatus to be furnished. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to the specifications and schedules. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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 or schedule, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, The City of New York.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

## CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in The City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in The City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, January 3, 1900.  
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
CHARLES A. JACKSON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Clerk.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Seventy-fifth street, from Sixth avenue to Eleventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 24th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 3d day of April, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Seventy-fifth street, from Sixth avenue to Eleventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

- 1st. The elevation at the intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Sixth avenue to be 67.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
- 2d. The elevation at the intersection of centre lines of Seventy-fifth street and Seventh avenue to be 82.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 3d. The elevation at the northeastern curb intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Seventh avenue to be 82.4 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 4th. The elevation at the southeastern curb intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Seventh avenue to be 83.54 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 5th. The elevation at the intersection of centre lines of Seventy-fifth street and Fort Hamilton avenue to be 92.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 6th. The elevation at the southeastern curb intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Fort Hamilton avenue to be 92.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 7th. The elevation at the northeastern curb intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Fort Hamilton avenue to be 91.84 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 8th. The elevation at a point distant 200 feet easterly from the intersection of the northern side line of Seventy-fifth street with the eastern side line of Fort Hamilton avenue to be 95.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 9th. The elevation at the intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Tenth avenue to be 85.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 10th. The elevation at a point distant 350 feet easterly from the eastern side line of Tenth avenue to be 86.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 11th. The elevation at the intersection of Seventy-fifth street and Eleventh avenue to be 85.0 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 24th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change of grades of the above-named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 24th day of April, 1901.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

Dated New York, April 9, 1901.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the land known as Bensonia Cemetery, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 24th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 3d day of April, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the land known as Bensonia Cemetery, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Rae street with the easterly line of German place; thence running northerly along the easterly line of German place for 101.15 feet to the southerly line of Carr street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Carr street 234.57 feet to the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue 403 feet to the northerly line of Rae street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Rae street 195.98 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out as a public park of the above-named land at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 24th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed laying out as a public park of the above-named land will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 24th day of April, 1901.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

Dated New York, April 9, 1901.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and continuing Gravesend avenue, south of its junction with Avenue X and Eighty-sixth street, on the line of Shell road, 60 feet in width to Canal avenue; and the extension of West Sixth street, from Neptune avenue to Sheepshead Bay road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 17th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and extension will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 27th day of March, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and continuing Gravesend avenue, south of its junction with Avenue X and Eighty-sixth street, on the line of Shell road, 60 feet in width to Canal avenue; and the extension of West Sixth street, from Neptune avenue to Sheepshead Bay road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

The laying out and continuing of Gravesend avenue consists in laying out a new street 60 feet in width covering and widening the existing Shell road, between Avenue X and Canal avenue, North; thence the street is diverged southerly so as to connect with West Sixth street on Canal avenue, South.

The extension of West Sixth street consists in laying out a street between Neptune avenue and Sheepshead Bay road 60 feet in width, making thereby a continuous street, from Avenue X to Sheepshead Bay road.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and extension of the above-named streets at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 17th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out and extension of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of April, 1901.

Dated New York, April 2, 1900.  
JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and widening Kingsbridge road or Broadway, between Terrace View avenue and Ashley street and the northerly United States pierhead and bulkhead line of the Spuyten Duyvil creek, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 17th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and widening will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 27th day of March, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and widening Kingsbridge road or Broadway, between Terrace View avenue and Ashley street and the northerly United States pierhead and bulkhead line of the Spuyten Duyvil creek, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

This widening which is required for the construction of the bridge over the Spuyten Duyvil creek, in the

line of Broadway, consists in conforming the width of Broadway, between Terrace View avenue, North, and Ashley street and the southern line of the United States bulkhead-line to the lands acquired for the construction of the bridge crossing Spuyten Duyvil creek.

This widening is 25 feet on the west side and 30 feet on the east side.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and widening of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 17th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out and widening of the above-named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of April, 1901.

Dated New York, April 2, 1901.  
JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, April 4, 1901.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department, until 10.30 o'clock A. M. of

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901,

for furnishing and delivering the following work:

Borough of Manhattan.  
FOR THE ALTERATION OF BUILDING, LOCATED AT NO. 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The plans may be seen at the office of the Buildings Superintendent on the fifth floor of these Headquarters. The time for the full performance and completion of the contract is fifty (50) days.

The security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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 Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Commissioner, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the Headquarters of the Fire Department, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, April 4, 1901.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department until 10.30 o'clock A. M. on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901,

for the following-named supplies:

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

450,000 pounds No. 1 Hay.  
120,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw.  
330,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 White Clipped Oats, to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bush.  
45,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Bran.  
To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, at such times and in such quantities as may be required. The articles to be inspected and weighed at the several places of delivery by the officer or other employee in charge. The weighing to be upon beam scales furnished by the Department and transported by the contractor.

All of the hay, straw and oats shall be subject to inspection by a Produce Exchange Inspector at any time required by the Department (not exceeding three times during the deliveries under this contract), the expense of which inspection shall be borne by the contractors.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for Hay, Straw, Oats and Bran.  
The time to be allowed for the full delivery of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) days, and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract is Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said supplies.

Bidders must name a price for each and every item included in the specifications upon which these bids are based, and also state the total amount of their bids for the class supplies named.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, 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.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for.

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
Fire Commissioner.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER,  
Supervisor.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

FOURTEENTH AND SEVENTEENTH WARDS.

BERRY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, from North Thirteenth street to North Fourteenth street; also in NASSAU AVENUE, from North Fourteenth street to Lorimer street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Berry street, from a point situated about 1.10 feet south of North Thirteenth street to North Fourteenth street; both sides of Nassau avenue, from North Fourteenth street to Lorimer street; and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets; also lots numbered 43 to 48, both inclusive, of Block No. 44, and lots numbered 5, and 36 to 39, both inclusive, of Block No. 69, in the Fourteenth Ward; also lots numbered 65 to 62, both inclusive, of Block No. 132 in the Seventeenth Ward.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ST. MARK'S AVENUE—SEWER, between Buffalo avenue and a point situated about 202 feet westerly therefrom. Area of assessment: Both sides of St. Mark's avenue, between Buffalo avenue and a point situated about 202 feet westerly therefrom.

TWENTY-FOURTH AND TWENTY-SIXTH WARDS.

HOWARD AVENUE—SEWER, from Pitkin avenue to St. Mark's avenue; also, SEWER IN SARATOGA AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Dean street; also, SEWER IN HOPKINSON AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Pacific street; also, SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, north side, from Pitkin avenue to Howard avenue; also, SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, north side, from St. John's place to Hopkinson avenue; also, SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, south side, from Howard avenue to street summit east of Sterling place; also, SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, south side, from Hopkinson avenue to Prospect place; also SEWER IN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Saratoga avenue; also SEWER IN DEAN STREET, from a street summit west of Hopkinson avenue to Hopkinson avenue; also SEWER IN BERGEN STREET, from street summit west of Saratoga avenue to Hopkinson avenue; also SEWER IN ST. MARK'S AVENUE, from Howard avenue to Hopkinson avenue; also SEWER IN PROSPECT PLACE, from Ralph avenue to Hopkinson avenue; also SEWER IN PARK PLACE, from Ralph avenue to Eastern parkway extension; also SEWER IN STERLING PLACE, from Ralph avenue to Eastern parkway extension; also SEWER IN ST. JOHN'S PLACE, north side, from Ralph avenue to Howard avenue; also SEWER IN ST. JOHN'S PLACE, south side, from Ralph avenue to Howard avenue; also, SEWER IN ST. JOHN'S PLACE, from Howard avenue to Saratoga avenue; also, SEWER IN DEGRAUW STREET, from Ralph avenue to Eastern parkway extension; also, SEWER IN PITKIN AVENUE, south side, from Barrett street to Saratoga avenue; also, SEWER IN PITKIN AVENUE, north side, from Hopkinson avenue to the street summit east of Hopkinson avenue; also, SEWER IN PITKIN AVENUE, south side, from Hopkinson avenue to the street summit east of Hopkinson avenue; also, SEWER IN PITKIN AVENUE, south side, from Hopkinson avenue to the street summit east of Hopkinson avenue; also, SEWER IN BARRETT STREET, from Pitkin avenue to East New York avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Howard avenue, from Pitkin avenue to St. Mark's avenue; both sides of Saratoga avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Dean street; both sides of Hopkinson avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Pacific street; north side of Eastern parkway, from Pitkin avenue to Howard avenue; north side of Eastern parkway, from St. John's place to Hopkinson avenue; south side of Eastern parkway, from Howard avenue to Prospect place; both sides of East New York avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Saratoga avenue; both sides of Dean street, from a point distant about 454 feet west of Hopkinson avenue to Hopkinson avenue; south side of Bergen street, from Howard avenue to Hopkinson avenue; north side of Bergen street, commencing at a point distant about 478 feet west of Saratoga avenue to Hopkinson avenue; both sides of St. Mark's avenue, from Howard avenue to Hopkinson avenue; both sides of Prospect place, from Ralph avenue to Hopkinson avenue; both sides of Park place, from Hopkinson avenue to Ralph avenue; both sides of Sterling place, from Ralph avenue to Eastern parkway; both sides of St. John's place, from Ralph avenue to East New York avenue; both sides of Degraw street, from Ralph avenue to East New York avenue; both sides of Pitkin avenue, from Barrett street to Saratoga avenue; east side of Barrett street, from Pitkin avenue to East New York avenue; east side of Howard



avenue, from St. Mark's avenue to Bergen street; south side of Dean street, extending about 162 feet west of Saratoga avenue; both sides of Degraw street, from Howard avenue to East New York avenue; east side of Ralph avenue, from St. John's place to St. Mark's avenue; north side of Pitkin avenue, from Hopkinson avenue to Bristol street, and south side of Pitkin avenue, extending 200 feet east of Hopkinson avenue.

#### TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

COOPER STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, from Hamburg avenue to the County line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cooper street, from a point situated about one-half the blocks south of Hamburg avenue to the County line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting avenues.

#### TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

AVENUE C—BASIN, at the northeast corner of East Eighteenth street. Area of assessment: East side of East Eighteenth street, between Avenue C and Beverly road.

OCEAN AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of Beverly road. Area of assessment: North side of Beverly road, between East Nineteenth and East Twenty-first streets; west side of Ocean avenue and east side of East Nineteenth street, between Beverly road and Albemarle road; south side of Albemarle road, between Ocean avenue and East Nineteenth street; east side of Ocean avenue and west side of East Twenty-first street, between Beverly road and Regent place; and south side of Regent place, between Ocean avenue and East Twenty-first street. —that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 9, 1901, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before June 8, 1901, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 10, 1901.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK KNOWN AS THE FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS LONG ISLAND CITY, FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS AND ACCRUED INTEREST THEREON.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OFFICE OF THE BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 18, 1901.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 543, Laws of 1890, and section 1027 of the Greater New York Charter.

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York, now known as the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, formerly known as Long Island City, on which the assessment for the local improvement, known as the IMPROVEMENT OF STEINWAY AVENUE, has been laid and confirmed according to law, now remaining unpaid, and which was confirmed February 19, 1891, are required to pay the amount of the assessment or assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and the advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, as given herein, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 17th day of June, 1901, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest and charges thereon, as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessment, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, in the Department of Finance, that are situated respectively in the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK KNOWN AS THE FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS LONG ISLAND CITY, FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS AND ACCRUED INTEREST THEREON.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OFFICE OF THE BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 25, 1901.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 514, Laws of 1890, and section 1027 of the Greater New York Charter.

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York now known as the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, formerly known as Long Island City, on which two assessments for the local improvement known as the IMPROVEMENT OF FLUSHING AVENUE have been laid and confirmed according to law, now remaining unpaid, and which were confirmed, first assessment on November 21, 1891, second assessment on January 19, 1895, are required to pay the amount of the assessment or assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at

his office, in the Department of Finance, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and the advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears as given herein, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 17th day of June, 1901, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid and the interest and charges thereon, as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, in the Department of Finance, that are situated respectively in the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK KNOWN AS THE FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS LONG ISLAND CITY, FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS AND ACCRUED INTEREST THEREON.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OFFICE OF THE BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 25, 1901.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 569, Laws of 1880, and section 1027 of the Greater New York Charter.

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York now known as the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, formerly known as Long Island City, on which the assessment for the local improvement known as the IMPROVEMENT OF FULFON AVENUE AND MAIN STREET has been laid and confirmed according to law, now remaining unpaid, and which was confirmed April 11, 1891, are required to pay the amount of the assessment or assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office, in the Department of Finance, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and the advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, as given herein, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 17th day of June, 1901, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid and the interest and charges thereon, as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessment, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, in the Department of Finance, that are situated respectively in the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET—BASIN, at the northeast corner of Morris avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 73, and 100 to 104, both inclusive, of Block No. 2443.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 2, 1901, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 cent. per annum to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

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 Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before June 1, 1901, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 2, 1901.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4. FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—RE-REGULATING, REGRADING, RECURBING AND RE-FLAGGING, from a point situated about 260 feet westerly of Eleventh avenue to the line of Twelfth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, from a point situated about 260 feet westerly of Eleventh avenue to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the easterly side of Twelfth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 2, 1901, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof 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 cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before June 1, 1901, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 2, 1901.

#### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1901, ON THE Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 30, 1901, to May 1, 1901.

The interest due May 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due May 1, 1901, on Coupon Bonds of the City of New York will be paid in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1901.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

#### CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901.

at 12 o'clock P. M., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York, in and to certain premises situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, and described as follows:

All that piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the Eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, being so much of the old Gowanus road as falls within the lines of the lot known and designated on the Assessment Map of said Ward as Lot 3, in Block 70, which lot is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Third avenue, distant fifty (50) feet two (2) inches northerly from the intersection of the easterly side of Third avenue with the northerly side of Eighteenth street; running thence easterly and parallel with Eighteenth street one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly and parallel with Third avenue twenty-five (25) feet; thence westerly and parallel with Eighteenth street one hundred (100) feet to the easterly side of Third avenue, and thence southerly along the easterly side of Third avenue twenty-five (25) feet to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

The City's interest in said premises to be sold upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The highest bidder for said parcel will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of \$75 for expenses of examination, advertising, etc.

The quit-claim deed for the premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Room 55, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted March 8, 1901.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 12, 1901.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK KNOWN AS THE FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS LONG ISLAND CITY, FOR UNPAID INTEREST DUE ON ASSESSMENTS LEVIED FOR IMPROVEMENT OF GRAND AVENUE AND MAIN STREET.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OFFICE OF THE BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 4, 1901.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 514, Laws of 1890, and of the Greater New York Charter, chapter 378, Laws of 1897: That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York now known as the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, formerly known as Long Island City, on which the interest on the assessments levied for the local improvement, known as the IMPROVEMENT OF GRAND AVENUE AND MAIN STREET, has been laid and confirmed according to law, now remaining unpaid, and which was confirmed April 1, 1892, are required to pay the amount of the interest so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, with the charges of this notice and the advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, as given herein, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 17th day of June, 1901, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in con-

sideration of advancing the amount of the interest so due and unpaid and the charges thereon, as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the amount of interest due and unpaid on each assessment, a description of the property and the ownership of the property assessed is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Department of Finance that are situated respectively in the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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

To the Holders of Six Per Cent. Gold Consolidated Stock of the County of New York, Payable July 1, 1901:

THE FOLLOWING IS AN EXTRACT FROM the proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held Tuesday, February 19, 1901:

The Comptroller presented the following report and accompanying resolution relative to the redemption of six per cent. Gold Consolidated Stock of the County of New York, maturing July 1, 1901:

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 15, 1901.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Six per cent. Gold Consolidated Stock, amounting to eight million eight hundred and eighty-five thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,885,500), which was issued by the County of New York prior to its consolidation with the former City of New York, matures on July 1, 1901.

The said stock is all held by the public and is payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 213 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Under an amendment to the Constitution of the State of New York adopted at the general election held in the year 1899, the said stock is exempted for the debt-restrictive purposes of section 10 of article VIII. of the Constitution, from classification as a City debt.

In view of the present heavy demands upon the City's debt-incuring capacity, especially for rapid transit and bridge construction, it is desirable to retain the advantage gained by such exemption. This advantage would be practically lost as to the amount of said stock if it were to be redeemed out of the Sinking Fund, or if it were refunded by the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

I therefore propose to extend the maturity of a considerable proportion, if not the whole of such stock, for periods not exceeding twenty years, under the authority conferred upon me by chapter 630 of the Laws of 1900, upon the best obtainable terms for the City.

It is not unlikely, however, that it may prove impossible to extend certain portions of said stock upon advantageous terms, and I therefore recommend that a resolution be adopted authorizing the Comptroller to redeem from the Sinking Fund such portions of said stock.

Respectfully,

(Signed) BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

Whereas, Six per cent. Gold Consolidated Stock issued by the County of New York prior to its consolidation with the former City of New York, amounting to eight million eight hundred and eighty-five thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,885,500), matures July 1, 1901, and is payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), under the provisions of section 213 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897;

Whereas, the Comptroller proposes, under the authority of chapter 630 of the Laws of 1900, to extend for periods not exceeding twenty years the maturity of as much of said stock as he may be able to so extend upon terms advantageous to the City; therefore

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay out of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1), such portion of the six per cent. Gold Consolidated Stock of the County of New York, payable July 1, 1901, as he may be unable to extend upon terms deemed by him to be advantageous to the City.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

For the reasons set forth in the foregoing report to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller of The City of New York will avail himself of the provisions of chapter 630 of the Laws of 1900, which reads as follows:

#### CHAPTER 630.

AN ACT to authorize the extension of the funded indebtedness of the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond.

ACCEPTED BY THE CITY.

Became a law April 23, 1900, with the approval of the Governor. Passed, a majority being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. It shall be lawful for the comptroller of the city of New York, in his discretion, to provide for the extension of all or any part of the funded indebtedness of the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond, as the same may from time to time mature. Certificates of stock or bonds so extended shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half per centum per annum, and shall be stamped across their face with the terms of such extension, which shall be for a period not exceeding twenty years.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Proposals will be received by the Comptroller at his office, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, from the holders of six per cent. Gold Consolidated Stock of the County of New York, payable July 1, 1901, for extending the maturity of all or any part of the respective amounts of such stock held by them to the following dates:

JULY 1, 1907,  
JULY 1, 1918,  
JULY 1, 1919,  
JULY 1, 1920, and  
JULY 1, 1921.

Stock so extended will be payable in gold and will bear interest from July 1, 1900, at the rate of three and one-tenth (3 1/10) per cent. per annum, payable, also in gold, semi-annually, on the first day of January and of July in each year. The Comptroller proposes to apportion the amount of stock thus extended so that, as nearly as practicable, one-fifth of the whole amount extended shall be redeemable at each of the five maturity dates above mentioned. Preference will, as far as possible, be given to the proposals accepted according to priority in the date of their receipt, the proposals first received being entitled to the privilege of the longest extension period, unless such proposal shall indicate a preference for the shorter terms. The stock which is to be extended in accordance with the terms of this circular must be delivered to the Comptroller upon demand, when the certificates will be stamped across their face with the terms of the extension, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 630 of the Laws of 1900, provided, however, that such stock now outstanding in coupon form when presented for extension will be extended in the form of registered stock. Thereafter transfers may be made of such stock on the books of the Corporation in accordance with the general provisions of law and the rules of the Department of Finance in regard thereto. The right to discontinue the offer contained in this circular at any time without further notice is expressly reserved.

Dated NEW YORK, March 1, 1901.  
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.



## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, PARK ROW BUILDING,  
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

## PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., ON

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1901.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TOWER FOUNDATION, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, OF A BRIDGE (NO. 3) OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The work here advertised will consist of sinking, by the plenum-pneumatic process, to a depth of about 94 feet below mean high-water, a caisson, and building thereon a masonry pier.

The caisson will be of timber 78 feet by 144 feet in plan and 55½ feet high. It will be supplemented by a cofferdam about 44 feet high.

The location of the caisson will be between the pier-head and bulkhead lines near the foot of Washington street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000).

The time allowed will be three hundred and twenty (320) days, exclusive of Sundays, holidays and days on which work cannot be done on account of weather.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required, and of the places of delivery, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner of Bridges reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms 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 Department of Bridges.

JOHN L. SHEA,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

## OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH," "Daily News," "Commercial Advertiser," "Weekly Union," "Semi-weekly—'Harlem Local Reporter,'" "German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,  
Supervisor, City Record.

SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List No. 6495, No. 1. Outlet sewer for Sewerage District No. 27, through Two Hundred and First street, with branches in Academy street, Ninth avenue, Two Hundred and Second street, Post avenue, Sherman avenue and Hawthorne street.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List No. 6583, No. 2. Sewers and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between the Southern Boulevard and Hughes avenue; in Clinton avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street; in Crotona avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street; in Belmont avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Two Hundred and First street, from the Harlem river to Academy street; both sides of Academy street, from the Harlem river to Broadway; both sides of Two Hundred and Second and Two Hundred and Third streets, from the Harlem river to Tenth avenue; both sides of Two Hundred and Fourth street, extending about 250 feet east of Tenth avenue; east side of Emerson street, from Cooper street to a point distant about 150 feet south of Vermilyea avenue; west side of Emerson street, from Post avenue to Cooper street; both sides of Hawthorne street, from Broadway to Tenth avenue; both sides of Dyckman street, from Broadway to the Harlem river; both sides of Elwood street, from Hillside avenue to Broadway; both sides of Hillside avenue, from Broadway to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Wadsworth avenue, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Naegle avenue, from Broadway to Tenth avenue; both sides of Post avenue, from Dyckman street to

Emerson street; both sides of Sherman avenue, from Broadway to Emerson street; both sides of Vermilyea avenue, from Dyckman street to a point distant 175 feet east of Emerson street; south side of Broadway, from Hawthorne street to a point distant half-way between Academy street and Dyckman street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Two Hundred and First street to Two Hundred and Fourth street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Academy street to Two Hundred and Seventh street; both sides of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street to Dyckman street.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from the Southern Boulevard to Hughes avenue; both sides of Crotona avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eightieth street; both sides of Belmont avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; east side of Belmont avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to Oakland place; both sides of Oakland place, from Belmont avenue to Prospect avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Crotona avenue to Prospect avenue; both sides of Marmion avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; west side of Marmion avenue, extending about 97 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Mapes avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eightieth street; both sides of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eightieth street; south side of One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Clinton avenue to Crotona avenue; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Belmont avenue to Clinton avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 7, 1901, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
JOHN B. MEYENBORG,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
April 8, 1901.

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, March 27, 1901.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, will be received at No. 21 Park row, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1901.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department at the hour above mentioned.

## Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN NA-PIER, NELSON, RIVER, VALENTINE, DEVOE, ELEVENTH AND TWELFTH AVENUES, AND IN FIFTEENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH, TIFFANY AND KAPOCK STREETS, AND IN BROWN PLACE, HEWITT PLACE AND ROGERS PLACE.

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

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING LUBRICATING OILS. The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

## Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING LUBRICATING AND ILLUMINATING OILS AND LUBRICATING GREASE.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred and sixty-five days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING LUBRICATING AND ILLUMINATING OILS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred and sixty-five days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 346 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner of Water Supply reserves the right to reject all bids received if he deems it for the best interests of the City so to do.

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 of Water Supply, Room 1521, where the plans and drawings, which are made a part of the specifications, can be seen.

WILLIAM DALTON,  
Commissioner of Water Supply.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING the Police Department with Printing, Books, Blanks and Lithography, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. of

WEDNESDAY, THE 17th DAY OF APRIL, 1901.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The said bidders will be required to complete the entire work and furnish the supplies required within sixty days from the date and execution of the contract.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supply referred to, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable, if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of each article required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price for the entire schedule, also for each item, for which they will contract to supply the articles named therein, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Department reserves the right to purchase by item or by entire schedule.

The right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons interested with him therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, 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.

Samples, when required, must be submitted.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioners, copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose 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 to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Police Commissioner,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, April 4, 1901.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,  
Property Clerk.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, Office, Municipal Building, 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 money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
March 30, 1901.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1901,

for the following-named works:

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO ERECT AND COMPLETE THE RANGE OF HORTICULTURAL BUILDINGS IN THE BOTANICAL GARDENS IN BRONX PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN STONE, COARSE SCREENINGS AND FINE SCREENINGS IN PARKS, WHERE REQUIRED, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The plans and specifications for the above works may be seen at the Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of the Bronx.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several works mentioned above are respectively as follows:

## Time.

No. 1. One hundred consecutive working days.  
No. 2. Thirty consecutive working days.  
Security required will be as follows:

No. 1. .... \$30,000 00  
No. 2. .... 1,500 00

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said works.

The contracts must be bid for separately. BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS FOR EACH CLASS OF SUPPLIES NAMED.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder with adequate security as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

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

The Park Board reserves the right to reject all the bids received if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx, where the plans which are made a part of the specifications can be seen.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
March 30, 1901.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1901,

for the following-named works in the Borough of Manhattan:

No. 1. FOR REPAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT MASTIC THE WALKS OF RIVERSIDE PARK, FROM SEVENTY-SECOND TO SEVENTY-NINTH STREET.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT MASTIC ON CONCRETE BASE (WITH RUBBLE STONE FOUNDATION WHERE REQUIRED) PORTIONS OF THE WALKS OF RIVERSIDE PARK, BETWEEN NINETY-SIXTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-TH STREET.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING STONE WALL AND OTHER WORK TO COMPLETE ENTRANCE TO CENTRAL PARK AT SIXTY-SIXTH STREET AND CENTRAL PARK, WEST.

Plans and specifications for the above work and supplies may be seen at the Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several contracts mentioned above are respectively as follows:

## Time.

No. 1. Twenty-five consecutive working days.  
No. 2. Ten consecutive working days.  
No. 3. Thirty consecutive working days.

## Security.

No. 1. .... \$2,000 00  
No. 2. .... 750 00  
No. 3. .... 900 00

The contracts must be bid for separately. The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The Park Board reserves the right to reject all the



bids for each contract if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, where the plans, which are made a part of the specifications, can be seen.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
March 4, 1901.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE** title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

**THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1901,**  
**FOR CONTRACT NO. 3, FOR THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY, ASTOR, LENOX AND TILDEN FOUNDATIONS, AT FIFTH AVENUE, FORTIETH AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE COMPLETE ERECTION OF THE BUILDING, AS DESCRIBED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS AND SHOWN ON THE PLANS EMBRACED IN CONTRACT NO. 3.**

The bids will be opened by the head of the said Department and submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, who may select such bid or bids, proposal or proposals, the acceptance of which will, in their judgment, best secure the efficient performance of the work.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment may reject any or all of said bids and direct a readvertisement.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be two years and six months.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law, as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, or money to the amount of \$25,000 or five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, where the plans which are made a part of the specifications can be seen.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

New York, April 8, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the time for the opening of the bids or estimates referred to in the foregoing advertisement has been postponed to

**THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1901,**

at 11 o'clock A. M.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING FORAGE FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** above-mentioned contract, indorsed with the title of the work and with the name and address of the person making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, until 12 M. of

**FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1901,**  
at which time and place said bids or estimates will be publicly opened by the head of the Department for the following articles:

437,000 pounds of Hay, of the quality and standard known as prime hay.  
109,000 pounds of good, clean, long, Rye Straw.  
834,000 pounds of clean No. 2 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound and well cleaned and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.  
14,000 pounds of first quality Bran.

2,000 pounds of first quality Fine Salt.  
1,500 pounds of first quality Rock Salt.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid or estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the above-mentioned contract, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, deputy thereof or clerk therein, chief of a bureau, or other officer of the Corporation is directly interested therein, or in any of the work or supplies to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bid or estimate shall be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Bidders must state in their bids or estimates the prices for which he will furnish the supplies, and these prices must be written out and must be given also in figures.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies and the nature and extent of the work required, reference must be made to the specifications.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank 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, and showing the manner of the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner.

Dated New York, March 29, 1901.

P. E. NAGLE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

**PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL,** in the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioners of Public Charities, at the office of the Commissioners, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York City, until 12 o'clock noon, on

**MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1901,**

for furnishing and delivering the following supplies:

**FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES, FLOUR, FLUID AND CONDENSED MILK, CREAM, LUMBER, FODDER, COAL, ETC., AND FOR OTHER MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.**

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required will be not less than fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioners, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications or schedule, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,  
A. H. GOETTING, Commissioner,  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,  
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,  
April 5, 1901.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED** in a sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at the above office of the Department of Health, until 11 o'clock,

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901,**

at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

**No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL, PEA SIZE, FOR THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL,** Kingston avenue and Fennimore street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Under Contract No. 1 delivery to be made at Kingston Avenue Hospital at the time required by the Board of Health during the year 1901.

**No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL, PEA SIZE, FOR THE WILLARD PARKER AND RECEPTION HOSPITALS,** at the foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred (\$200) Dollars.

Under Contract No. 2 delivery to be made at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, at the foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, at the time required by the Board of Health during the year 1901; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the estimated quantities.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law, as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 246 to 323 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Department reserves the right to reject all bids if it deems it for the best interests of the City so to do.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Health, 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 Secretary of the Department, fourth floor, corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

JOHN B. SEXTON, President,  
WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D.,  
ALVA H. COSBY, M. D.,  
ALVA H. DOTY, M. D.,  
MICHAEL C. MURPHY,  
Board of Health.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

(Contract No. 703).

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Board of Docks, at the office of said Board, on Pier A, foot of Battery place, North river, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

**FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1901,**

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Board.

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WROUGHT-IRON SCREW-BOLTS, DOCK-SPIKES AND WASHERS AND BLACKSMITHS' IRON, ARMATURES, ETC.**

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Furnishing and Delivering Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, Dock-spikes and Washers and Blacksmiths' Iron, Armatures, etc.," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the interests of the City so to do.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

The said iron to be delivered on or before the expiration of four months from receipt of order from the Engineer-in-Chief to begin deliveries.

The security required will be Four Thousand Dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Board.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
CHARLES F. MURPHY,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners composing the Board of Docks.  
Dated MARCH 1, 1901.

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

**PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER NO. 121, NORTH RIVER, UNDER CONTRACT NO. 704.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** above-mentioned work, in conformity with the specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

**FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1901.**

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Preparing for and Building a New Wooden Pier, with Appurtenances, at the foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-first street, North River, Borough of Manhattan, to be known as Pier No. 121, North River," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the interests of the City so to do.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

The said work to be completed in 90 days.

The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 therein 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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Board.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
CHARLES F. MURPHY,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners composing the Board of Docks.  
Dated MARCH 8, 1901.

#### SUPREME COURT.

##### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Moshulu parkway to Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of April, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East Two Hundred and Sixth street, from Moshulu parkway to Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 437.35 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East Two Hundred and Fourth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 61.54 feet;

2d. Thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 440 feet radius for 31.62 feet; radius of said circle drawn northerly through the northerly extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 11 degrees 55 minutes 51 seconds to the west of said course;

3d. Thence easterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course and whose radius is 160 feet for 93.55 feet;

4th. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 64 degrees 55 minutes 22 seconds to the left from the southern prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through the eastern extremity of said course for 85.88 feet;

5th. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 7 minutes 28 seconds to the left for 288.74 feet to the western line of Moshulu parkway;

6th. Thence southerly along the western line of Moshulu parkway for 60.56 feet;

7th. Thence westerly deflecting 97 degrees 46 minutes 5 seconds to the right for 381.24 feet;

8th. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 220 feet radius for 105.39 feet; the radius of said circle drawn from the western extremity of the preceding course deflected 73 degrees 6 minutes 55 seconds to the right from said course;



9th. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 380 feet for 91.85 feet to the point of beginning.

East Two Hundred and Sixth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on Section 18 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

The land to be taken for East Two Hundred and Sixth street is located in Blocks 3312 and 3313 of Section 12 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 11, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EVELYN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of April, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Evelyn place, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Jerome avenue distant 200 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street;  
1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Jerome avenue for 60 feet;  
2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 78.28 feet;  
3d. Thence southerly deflecting 80 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 60.78 feet;  
4th. Thence easterly for 807.97 feet to the point of beginning.

Evelyn place is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on Section 16 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on November 18, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 18, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 20, 1895.

The land to be taken for Evelyn place is located in Blocks 3293 and 3107 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 11, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MAPES AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of April, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Mapes avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street distant 295.52 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Prospect avenue;  
1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street for 60 feet;  
2d. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 56 minutes 4 seconds to the right for 530 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street;  
3d. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet;  
4th. Thence northerly for 530 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street distant 295.52 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Prospect avenue;  
1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street for 60 feet;  
2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees 3 minutes 56 seconds to the left for 511.45 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street;  
3d. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet;  
4th. Thence southerly for 511.38 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street distant 295.52 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Prospect avenue;  
1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street for 60 feet;  
2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 845.02 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street;  
3d. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60.33 feet;  
4th. Thence southerly for 851.28 feet to the point of beginning.

Mapes avenue is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on Sections 10 and 12 of the Final

Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on June 10, 1895, and October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 14, 1895, and November 2, 1895; and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1895, and November 2, 1895, respectively.

The land to be taken for Mapes avenue is located in Blocks 3105, 3107, 3108, 3109, 3110 and 3111 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 11, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel,  
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Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to OAKLAND PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Belmont avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 23d day of April, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Oakland place, from Belmont avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Crotona avenue distant 200.01 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;  
1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Crotona avenue for 50 feet;  
2d. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 25 minutes 8 seconds to the left for 242.07 feet to the eastern line of Belmont avenue;  
3d. Thence southerly along said line for 50.02 feet;  
4th. Thence easterly for 241.3 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona avenue distant 200.01 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;  
1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Crotona avenue for 50 feet;  
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees 34 minutes 52 seconds to the right for 274.86 feet to the western line of Clinton avenue;  
3d. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;  
4th. Thence easterly for 274.53 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Prospect avenue distant 200 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street;  
1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Prospect avenue for 50 feet;  
2d. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 56 minutes 4 seconds to the left for 294.57 feet to the eastern line of Clinton avenue;  
3d. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;  
4th. Thence easterly for 294.44 feet to the point of beginning.

Oakland place is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on Sections 13 and 12 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on October 31, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for Oakland place is located in Blocks 3083, 3094 and 3095 of Section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 11, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate on the SOUTHWEST-ERLY CORNER OF HENRY AND RAPELLE STREETS, in the Sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 278 of the Laws of 1897, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 10, 1901, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 24th day of April, 1901, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1901, 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 the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, April 10, 1901.

PAUL GROUT,  
EDWARD S. FOWLER,  
JOSEPH E. OWENS,  
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to certain lands on FIFTY-NINTH AND SIXTIETH STREETS, between First avenue and Avenue A, and between Avenue A and the East river, in the Borough of (Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected according to law with other lands as a site for the construction and permanent location of a suspension bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, in The City of New York (known as Bridge No. 4).

**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, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of April, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition by The City of New York, for the use of the public, of title in fee to certain lands situated in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of a bridge over the East river, from the Borough of Manhattan to the Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto, duly selected according to law for said purpose, known as Bridge No. 4.

The property taken in this proceeding is for the main pier and anchor pier of the bridge in the Borough of Manhattan, and the lands required therefor are described by metes and bounds as follows, namely:

**PARCEL NO. 1.**

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street two hundred (200) feet easterly from the intersection formed by the easterly side of First avenue with the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street; running thence northerly and at right angles with Fifty-ninth street two hundred and eighty-three hundredths (200.83) feet to the southerly side of Sixtieth street; thence easterly and along the southerly side of Sixtieth street two hundred and six and fifty hundredths (206.5) feet; thence southerly and at right angles with Fifty-ninth street two hundred and eighty-three hundredths (200.83) feet to the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly and along the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street two hundred and six and fifty hundredths (206.5) feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL NO. 2.**

Beginning at a point made by the intersection of the easterly side of Avenue A and the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street, and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Avenue A two hundred and eighty-three hundredths (200.83) feet to the southerly side of Sixtieth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of Sixtieth street two hundred and eighty-nine and forty hundredths (289.40) feet to the pier head-line as approved by the Secretary of War in 1889; thence southwesterly along the aforesaid pierhead-line two hundred and four and sixty-four hundredths (204.64) feet to the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly and along the northerly side of Fifty-ninth street two hundred and fifty (250) feet to the point of beginning.

The parcels of land above described are shown on similar maps or plans entitled "City of New York, Department of Bridges, Bridge over East River, between Manhattan and Queens, Property Required in the Borough of Manhattan," and filed, one in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 7th day of March, 1901, and the other in the office of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York on the 7th day of March, 1901.

Dated New York, April 9, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### IN AND FOR THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands at the SOUTHWEST-ERLY CORNER OF GOUVERNEUR AND MONROE STREETS, in the Seventh Ward of said City, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the Board of Education, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 9, 1901, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the State Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 20th day of April, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 8, 1901.

AUGUSTUS C. BROWN,  
JOHN DELAHUNTY,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,  
Clerk.

#### SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS, near Vernon avenue, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Queens and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That, after completing our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, we did deposit a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 2, 1901, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the State Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 15th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial District, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 22d day of April, 1901, 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 1, 1901.

EDWARD E. SPRAGUE,  
JAMES P. JUDGE,  
JAMES W. CAIN,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening GARDNER AVENUE, from Johnson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the 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 office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 30th day of April, 1901, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Harrison place, distant 150 feet east from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Harrison place with the easterly line of Stewart avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between said Stewart avenue and Gardner avenue; and running thence northerly on a line in continuation of said centre line of the block aforesaid to the southerly side of Johnson avenue; thence easterly along said line to the centre line of the block between Gardner avenue and Scott avenue, and running thence southerly along said centre line aforesaid to the centre line of Ingraham street; thence westerly along said centre line of Ingraham street to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn at right angles with the southerly line of Ingraham street, which point would be 36 feet 7½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Gardner avenue aforesaid, and running thence southerly along said line to a point on the southerly line or side of said Ingraham street; thence southwesterly along a line drawn at right angles with Flushing avenue 94 feet 10½ inches, more or less, to the northerly line of said Flushing avenue; thence southwesterly along said line to the northerly line of Harrison place, and thence westerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 3, 1901.

JAMES P. FARRELL, Chairman,  
ANDREW VAN THUN, JR.,  
ALBERT J. BUTTLING,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,  
Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HOPKINSON AVENUE, from Eastern Parkway Extension to Pitkin avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots



and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 April, 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Pitkin avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Pitkin avenue with the westerly line of Hopkinson avenue and running thence northerly along a line which is the centre of the block between Hopkinson avenue and Amboy street to the southerly line of East New York avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of East New York avenue to the centre of the block between Hopkinson avenue and Bristol street; running thence southerly along said centre line of the block aforesaid to the northerly side of Pitkin avenue and running thence westerly along Pitkin avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly side of East New York avenue with the westerly side of Hopkinson avenue; running thence southwest along East New York avenue to Butler street; running thence westerly along Butler street to the Eastern Parkway Extension; running thence northeasterly along the Eastern Parkway Extension to a point distant 295 feet 7 inches northeasterly from the easterly line of Hopkinson avenue; thence southerly on a line drawn at right angles to Park place to the northeasterly side of East New York avenue, and thence southwest along East New York avenue to the point or place of beginning, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 3, 1901.

FRANK E. McELROY, Chairman,  
JOHN LYNCH,  
WILLIAM H. DOWNES,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Sixth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 April, 1901, at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Fourth avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Fourth avenue to the centre line of the block between Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets, as said streets are laid down on the Town Survey Commission Map, and running thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets to the westerly line of Sixth avenue; thence southerly along said line to the centre line of the block between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets aforesaid, and thence westerly along said centre line of the block to the point or place of beginning, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 3, 1901.

WILLIAM G. MORRISSEY, Chairman,  
JAMES P. FARRELL,  
MAURICE SELMAN,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening UTICA AVENUE, from the division line of the former towns of Flatbush and Flatlands to

Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 April, 1901, at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Avenue G with the easterly line of East Forty-ninth street, as said street and avenue were laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of East Forty-ninth street to the northeasterly line of Flatbush avenue; thence southeasterly along said northeasterly line of Flatbush avenue to the northerly line of Avenue S; thence easterly along said line to the westerly line of East Fifty-first street; thence northerly along the westerly line of said East Fifty-first street to the southerly line of Avenue G and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Avenue G to the point or place of beginning, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 3, 1901.

RICHARD GOODWIN,  
FRANK GALLAGHER,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

#### SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on WILBUR AVENUE, RADDE STREET AND ACADEMY STREET, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for high-school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Queens, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That, after completing our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, we did deposit a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 1, 1901, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 12th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial District, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 18th day of April, 1901, 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 30, 1901.

A. J. KOEHLER,  
JOHN B. SHANAHAN,  
ELMER G. SAMMIS,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to, and possession of the wharfrage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to eighty-eight (88) feet of bulkhead on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF SOUTH STREET, EAST RIVER, at and near Clinton street, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings, tenements, hereditaments and wharf property affected thereby, and having objec-

tions thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Rooms Nos. 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York on or before the 22nd day of April, 1901, 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 1st day of May, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term, thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1901, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, March 30, 1901.

BENNO LEWINSON, Chairman,  
ALFRED HENRY LEWIS,  
PATRICK J. MCCUE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN J. PRINCE, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SARATOGA AVENUE, from Eastern Parkway extension to Pitkin avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Sterling place (formerly Butler street) which said point would be intersected by a line drawn parallel with Saratoga avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom, and running thence westerly along Sterling place (Butler street) to the southeasterly line or side of Eastern Parkway; thence southwest along said line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel with Saratoga avenue and distant 100 feet therefrom; thence southerly along said line to the northerly line of East New York avenue; thence southerly on a line in prolongation of the last-mentioned line to the southeasterly line or side of East New York avenue; thence westerly along said last-mentioned line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel with Saratoga avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said line to the northerly side of Pitkin avenue; thence easterly along the northerly side of Pitkin avenue to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Saratoga avenue with the northerly line of Pitkin avenue, and thence northerly on a line parallel with Saratoga avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom to the southerly line or side of East New York avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned line to the southwest corner of Douglass street and East New York avenue, and thence northerly on a line parallel with Saratoga avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom to the southerly line or side of Sterling place at the point or place of beginning, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 1, 1901.

JOHN R. FARRAR, Chairman,  
JOHN PETTERSON,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE, from Putnam avenue to Chauncey street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 30th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: All the land between Howard avenue and Eastern Parkway and Pitkin avenue on the west of the proposed street, and on the east all the land between Eastern Parkway, Douglass street, and East New York avenue; also, all the land south of Pitkin avenue running as far as Sutter avenue and 100 feet on each side of Howard avenue; also all the land north of Eastern Parkway to Park place and 100 feet on each side of Howard avenue, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 3, 1901.

MICHAEL FURST, Chairman,  
JOSEPH MANNE,  
JOSEPH W. MASTERS,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Putnam avenue distant 325 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Putnam avenue with the easterly line of Knickerbocker avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Knickerbocker avenue and Irving avenue; running thence southerly along said centre line of the block between Knickerbocker avenue and Irving avenue to a point which would be intersected by the patent line dividing the counties of Kings and Queens; thence southwest along said patent line to the northerly line of Chauncey street; thence westerly along said line to a point distant 200 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Knickerbocker avenue with the northerly line of Chauncey street, which said point is the centre line of the block between Knickerbocker and Hamburg avenues; thence northerly along said centre line to the southerly line of Putnam avenue, and running thence easterly along said line to the point or place of beginning, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads, that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 3, 1901.

RICHARD GOODWIN, Chairman,  
JOSE E. PIDGON,  
WILLIAM SMITH,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of PUBLIC PARK (although not yet named by proper authority), bounded by Jackson avenue, Van Alst avenue and Ninth street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of April, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 99 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 21, 1901.

TERENCE F. SMITH,  
MARTIN FLEISHER,  
HENRY J. GOETTE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HOWARD AVENUE, from Eastern Parkway extension to Pitkin avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1901, 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 April, 1901, at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: All the land between Howard avenue and Eastern Parkway and Pitkin avenue on the west of the proposed street, and on the east all the land between Eastern Parkway, Douglass street, and East New York avenue; also, all the land south of Pitkin avenue running as far as Sutter avenue and 100 feet on each side of Howard avenue; also all the land north of Eastern Parkway to Park place and 100 feet on each side of Howard avenue, exempting and reserving, however, therefrom, within said area, all the lands contained in the streets, avenues and roads that are legally opened, as shown upon our damage and benefit maps.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 3, 1901.

MICHAEL FURST, Chairman,  
JOSEPH MANNE,  
JOSEPH W. MASTERS,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.